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**IN THE COURT OF HON'BLE THE 6th
ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE, SURAT.**

**CRI. MISC. APPLICATION No. 1427 of 2026
Exh. No**

Sr. No.	Name of The Applicant	Age	Occupation
	Vimlesh @ Bimlesh Indal @ Indra Nishad, Resident of, House No. 202, Diwalinagar Society, Near Trikamnagar Society, Varachha, Surat. At present, Central Jail, Lajpor, Surat	23 yrs	Labour
V/s			
Sr. No.	Name of The Opponent	Age	Occupation
	The State of Gujarat Through District Government Pleader, Surat	-	-

Sub :- Application under the provisions of Section 483 of The
BHARATIYA NAGARIK SURAKSHA SANHITA,
2023.

Appearance :-

Ld. Advocate for the applicant :- Mr. D. J. Khadawala.
Ld. A. P. P. for the opponent :- Mr. R. P. Dobariya.

:- Judgment :-

1. The applicant has filed the present application under the provisions of section 483 of The Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2003 (herein after referred as "**The BNSS**" for short) inter – alia praying for the grant of regular bail in connection with the offense registered as Part - A C. R. No. 11210060260044/2026, registered with Varachha Police Station, Surat for the alleged commissions of the offenses punishable under the provisions sections 64(2)(I), 64(2)(M), 115(2), 351, of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (herein after referred to as "**The BNS**" in short) and under the provisions of sections 3, 4, 5(L), 5(J-II) and 6 of The Protection of Children from Sexual Offenses Act, 2012 (hereinafter referred as "**The Act**" for short).
2. The Id. advocate for the applicant has made his oral submission. It is further submitted that now the investigation has been over and charge sheet has been filed, which has been registered as Special POCSO Case No. 40/2026. It is submitted that, this is the first of the applicant before this court after filing of charge sheet. He has submitted that, the applicant accused has been arrested in connection with the aforesaid offense on 07/01/2026 and has been kept in judicial custody since 08/01/2026. The case of the complainant against the accused is nothing but a concoction. Further, the complainant has filed complaint against unknown person and therefore, there is no prima facie case against the applicant. It is further submitted that, the applicant accused has not committed any criminal act as per

the alleged offense. The applicant accused has not molested the victim and has not injured the victim and therefore, the facts of the prosecution case is concocted. It is further submitted that, as per the FIR, it reveals that there was a love affair between the applicant accused and victim and they are known to each other from earlier. It is further submitted that, the applicant is innocent and has committed no offense and if, he be kept in custody, it will amount to pretrial conviction. Further, the applicant accused having no any criminal antecedents. It is further submitted that, the applicant accused has been arrested by the Police on the basis of suspicious only. He has further submitted that, the applicant is falsely implicated in this case. It is further submitted that, the applicant is residing at Surat as mentioned in cause title and is having responsibility to maintain of his family and he will not flee from the justice and he will abide by the terms & conditions, which may be imposed by this court including conditions not to enter into the area where the victim resides for certain period as this court deems fit. Therefore, it is prayed that, the applicant may be enlarged on regular bail subject to the suitable conditions. In support of his submissions, he has relied upon the judgment vide exh. 8 list.

3. The Id. APP for the State has made his oral submissions by reiterating the contentions raised in the affidavit filed by the IO vide exh. 5. He has mainly submitted that, **despite of knowing that the victim is a minor and has not completed 18 years of her age, the accused has called the**

victim to work in his Khata and had established forcibly physical relations with the victim and has threatened to defame her among her relatives, if she tells anyone. The victim has not told anyone due to fear of defamation. The applicant - accused has repeatedly raped the victim and made her pregnant and when the victim and complainant along with other brother had told about the same, then there was scuffle between them and injured the victim. It is also submitted that, during the course of investigation, on medical check-up of the victim on 09/01/2026 it is revealed that the victim is 26 weeks pregnant and thus, sufficient material have been found against him. It is also submitted that, the applicant has also filed R/Cri. Misc. Application no. 3458 of 2026 for consent quashing, which was withdrawn and therefore, prima facie, there appears strong case against applicant - accused. The applicant accused does not have fixed residence and therefore, if the accused is released on bail than he will flee from justice. At present, recording of evidence of material witnesses are pending and thus, considering the nature of allegations leveled against the applicant, the present regular bail application of the applicant may be disallowed.

4. The de facto complainant has appeared before this court and has filed her affidavit vide exh. 7 inter alia praying for passing of appropriate order.
5. I have gone through the contentions of the application filed by the applicant, affidavit filed by the I.O., submissions

advanced by Id. advocate for the applicant as well as Id. A.P.P. for the State and carefully gone through the police papers. It is imperative to note that, the accused is alleged to have committed the offenses punishable under the provisions of The BNS and The Act as stated above. It is alleged that, the accused has committed offenses as aforesaid against the minor victim of crime under the guise of giving job had called the victim and has forceful physical relation and threatened her to defame her and repeatedly committed the offenses and made her pregnant and injured the victim. The accused was also aware about the fact that, the victim is minor and therefore, has taken disadvantage of the situation. It is also stated that, inspite of the victim's refusal, the accused had repeatedly committed the offense.

I have also carefully gone through the papers made available. It transpired from the record that the applicant - accused alleged to have committed serious offense against the minor child and serious allegations are leveled against him and there appears prima facie case against him. It is alleged that, the accused has called the victim and forcefully raped her and threatened her and repeatedly committed the said offenses and made the victim pregnant and committed offense as aforesaid against the minor victim of crime against her will and wish and it was repeatedly committed against her. Further, it is alleged that, the applicant was aware about the age of the victim, still, has committed the offense and therefore, there is prima facie case against the applicant and at present, the evidence of the material

witnesses have not been recorded and therefore, if the applicant is released on bail than chances of threatening them or hampering the course of justice or flee from justice can not be ruled out.

Further, filing of charge sheet would strengthen the case of the prosecution against the applicant accused.

I have also gone through the judgment vide exh. 8. However, in view of the aforesaid facts of the case, this court is of the humble view that, the said judgment can not be made applicable to the facts of the case on hand.

Thus, from aforesaid discussions, at present stage, in the facts and circumstances of the case on hand, this court is of the view that, no case is made by the applicant accused for exercise of discretionary power in his favour and therefore, at this stage, no case is made out to exercise the power vested u/s 483 of the BNSS and therefore, this court does not inclined to exercise its discretionary power in favour of the applicant and hence, in the interest of justice, following order is passed.

ORDER

The application filed by the applicant under the provisions of section 483 of The BNSS is hereby disallowed and rejected.

Order is passed and pronounced in Open Court on this 09th Day of March, 2026.

Date :- 09/03/2026

Place :- Surat

Hiteshkumar Mukundray Vyas

6th Addl. District & Sessions Judge, Surat.

Judge Code No. GJ00834