

Special Case No. 336/2026
State Vs. Laxmikant @ Bhausaheb
Shantilal Tambe & others
CNR No. MHTH290011792026



ORDER BELOW EXH.04
(Passed on 15th July, 2026)

1] This is an application filed by the applicants/accused Ambadas Shankar More and Govardhan Pandurang Gondavale @ Gondhavale under Section 483 of the B.N.S.S. for grant of regular bail in connection with Crime No. 191/2026 registered against them with Police Station Padgha for the offences punishable under Sections 64(m), 65(1) & 3(5) of the B.N.S. and Sections 9, 10 and 11 of the Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006 and Section 3(1) (w)(i), 3(1)(w)(ii), 3(2), 3(V) of the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities Act) and Sections 4 and 8 of The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012.

2] According to the applicants/accused, their family members are depend on their earnings. The applicants/accused have not played any role in the alleged marriage. Already the investigation is completed. Chargesheet is filed. There is no necessity of the applicants/accused for the interrogation. There is no criminal antecedent of the applicants/accused. The applicants/accused will not abscond. They are ready to abide the conditions which are imposed on them while releasing them on

bail. Therefore, the applicants/accused prayed for grant of regular bail.

3] The prosecution opposed the bail application by filing say (Exh.08) on the grounds that the offence is serious one. Accused Vilas Hilim taken to the victim alongwith applicants/accused Govardhan Gondhavale and Ambadas More in the house of Govardhan Gondhavale and introduced with the accused Laxmikant @ Bhausahab Tambe. The victim refused even though on 27/02/2026 at about 13.00 hours other accused performed the marriage of the victim and Laxmikant @ Bhausahab Tambe. Thereafter Laxmikant @ Bhausahab Tambe performed sexual intercourse with the victim. The allegations against the applicants/accused in respect of role in the marriage. The applicant/accused will tamper the prosecution witnesses. Therefore, the prosecution prayed for rejection of the application.

4] The informant/victim also filed say and strongly opposed the bail application.

5] Heard both parties.

6] Perused the record. The FIR indicates that other accused performed marriage of the victim with accused Laxmikant @ Bhausahab Tambe. Thereafter Laxmikant @ Bhausahab Tambe committed sexual intercourse with her, therefore, FIR was lodged. The role of the applicants/accused are in respect of performing marriage of the victim. The victim was matured and understanding

age. She know the consequence. Already the investigation is completed. Chargesheet is filed. There is no criminal antecedent of the applicants/accused. Considering the interest of the prosecution witnesses, it is necessary to impose the conditions on the applicants/accused while enlarge on bail. Hence, the following order is passed :-

ORDER

- 1] The application is allowed.
- 2] The applicants/accused viz. **Ambadas Shankar More and Govardhan Pandurang Gondavale @ Gondhavale**, be released on bail on executing P.B. & S.B. of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only) each with one or more surety in the like amount in connection with Crime No. 191/2026 registered against the applicants/accused with the **Police Station Padgha** for the offence punishable under Sections 64(m), 65(1) & 3(5) of the B.N.S. and Sections 9, 10 and 11 of the Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006 and Section 3(1)(w)(i), 3(1)(w)(ii), 3(2), 3(V) of the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities Act) and Sections 4 and 8 of The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012, on the following conditions:

- a) The applicants/accused shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promises to any person acquainted with the facts of accusation, so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to the police.
- b) The applicants/accused shall attend the dates in the present proceedings regularly.
- c) The applicants/accused shall not involve themselves in any other crime in the future.
- d) The applicants/accused shall submit their and their relatives mobile numbers to the Police Station Officer / Investigating Officer and kept it in the operative till the trial.
- e) The applicants/accused shall submit their Aadhar Card, PAN Card and Driving License copy and contact address before the Investigating Officer.

Bhiwandi
Dt.15/07/2026

(N.K.Karande)
Additional Sessions Judge, Bhiwandi