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Criminal Bail Application No.749/2026
Sunil Bhaskarrao Desale Vs. State of Maharashtra

ORDER BELOW EXH.01

(A) CASE DETAILS		
	FIR Number & Date	444/2026 - 1.8.2026
	Police Station, District & State	Dhule Taluka police station, Tal. & Dist. Dhule, Maharashtra.
	Sections invoked	Under Sections 409, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 477-A, 166, 167, 120-B read with Section 34 of The Indian Penal Code, 1860.
	Maximum punishment prescribed	Imprisonment for life.
(B)	CUSTODY & PROCEDURAL COMPLIANCE	
	Date of Arrest/ Appearance	Nil
	Total period of custody undergone	Nil
(C)	STATUS OF TRIAL	
	Stage of proceedings (Investigation/Charge-sheet/C ognizance/ Framing of Charges/Trial)	Investigation.
	Total number of witnesses cited Nil in the charge-sheet	Nil.
	Number of prosecution witnesses examined	Nil
(D)	CRIMINAL ANTECEDENTS	
	FIR No. & Police Station	Nil

	Sections	Nil
	Status (Pending/Acquitted Nil convicted)	Nil
(E)	PREVIOUS BAIL APPLICATIONS	
	Court	Nil
	Case No.	Nil
	Outcome of case	Nil
(F)	COERCIVE PROCESSES	
	Whether any Non-Bailable No Warrant was issued?	Nil
	Whether declared a proclaimed offender?	Nil.

1. This is an application filed by the applicant/accused under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, for the grant of pre-arrest bail in crime No.444/2026, Dhule Taluka police station, Tal. & Dist. Dhule for offences punishable under Sections 409, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 477-A, 166, 167, 120-B read with Section 34 of The Indian Penal Code, 1860.

2. The informant, Bajirao Dadaji Jagtap, lodged the report and alleged that he is working as Extension Officer, Panchayat Samiti, Dhule. Sarpanch of Grampanchayat, Ner, namely Gayatri Jaiswal and a member, Dr Laxmikant, filed the complaint before the Collector, Dhule and alleged that the land of the Grampanchayat was grabbed. Accordingly, an inquiry was ordered. In the said inquiry, it was found that the land from Gat No.337/1-A acquired for a Government project. In the record, the area was 100 x 100 ft., over-writing 160 x 1500, and scratches were made, and a fake record was prepared. It is also alleged that there is no concern of the

Grampanchayat in respect of the acquired land, and a fake record of the Grampanchayat was prepared. The name of one Rajesh Chandrakant Sonwane was recorded, and he has gifted the said property to his wife Minal. They lodged the report.

3. The accused claims he is innocent and falsely implicated in the case. The notice was issued against him for disciplinary action. He worked as Gram Vikas Adhikary of the Grampanchayat Ner from 10.10.2023 to 24.8.2026. He found a very suspicious entry in Namoon 8 and other records. He submitted the application and resolution dated 25.10.2023 passed in the monthly meeting of Grampanchayat. Bajirao Dadaji Jagtap conducted an inquiry hurriedly. The said report was incomplete, and the Deputy C.E.O. ordered a detailed inquiry. In which the present accused Sunil has not given the Dakhla. He has already handed over the charge of Gram Panchayat Ner. The informant has not considered this report and illegally implicated the name of the present accused. He claimed that his custodial interrogation is not required. He is ready to co-operate in the investigation. He prayed for pre-arrest bail.

4. The Ld. A.P.P. and Investigating Officer filed the say at Exh. 6 and opposed the bail application. The offence is a serious one. The name of the present accused is in the F.I.R. Before registration of the offence, the department has carried out the inquiry. The present accused was found guilty, and action was taken. The present accused worked as a Gram Vikas Adhikar, Ner from 10.10.2023 to 24.8.2023. The present accused was aware of the entry on the record of Namoon 8. It was suspicious that the entry was overwritten and

white ink was also affixed. Even though Namoonas 8 were issued. He also found that the area was overwritten. In the Gram Panchayat, there is no resolution about the said entry. He issued Namoonas 8, and the accused Rajesh used said Namoonas 8 to gift the said property to his wife, Minal. The accused also took the tax from the accused Rajesh in a hurried manner. In the inquiry, Namoonas 8 were also found to be issued with the signature of the present accused. On 4.8.2026, the present accused abused and threatened the informant, and NC No.213/2026 registered in Deopur police station, Dhule. Therefore, they prayed that the application be rejected.

5. The complainant Laxmikant Bhondre appeared through his Advocate. Ld. counsel supported the submission of Ld. PP.

6. I have heard the Ld. Counsel for the accused, the Ld. PP. Ld. counsel for the accused claimed that the tenure of the present accused is after the alleged fake record. He has pointed out that the fake record was prepared before his tenure. He has also argued that he has issued Namoonas 8 as he is bound to issue otherwise action against him be taken. He has also argued that he has noticed suspicious entries and took a resolution. As per the allegation made in the F.I.R., it clearly appears that the tax is recovered. The said tax receipt is also signed by one Dattraya Sonawane, who is not related to the Grampanchayat. Thereafter, on the record, there is overwriting and scratches in respect of the area. The facts show that the present accused was aware of the suspicious entry, even though the present accused issued the Namoonas 8. Likewise, the present accused also issued the Dakhla of the Grampanchayat Hadd. When the present accused came to know about the suspicious entry, he had to inform

his superior or stop issuing the Namoonas 8 as well as the Dakhla. The Investigating Officer also found that the taxes were hurriedly collected from the accused Rajesh. So, the present accused issued the documents Namoonas 8 and Dakhla. The said documents are used for a gift deed. The allegation is serious, and investigation is in progress. Hence, the accused is not entitled to pre-arrest bail. Hence, I pass the following order-

ORDER

1.	The present Criminal Bail Application No. 749 of 2026 is hereby rejected.
2.	The present Criminal Bail Application stands disposed of accordingly.

Dictated and pronounced in open Court.

Place : Dhule.

(P. V. Bulbule),

Date : 12.8.2026.

Additional Sessions Judge (District Judge-2)
Dhule.

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