



IN THE COURT OF SESSIONS JUDGE, GADCHIROLI

(Presided over by Shri A. L. Tikle)

Cri.Bail Appln. No.07/2026

Alkesh Govindrao Tadas

Aged 35 years, Occupation : Mobile repairing shop,

R/o. Sainagar, Behind Carmel High School,

Gadchiroli, Tah., Dist. Gadchiroli.

.. **Applicant**

-versus-

State of Maharashtra

Police Station Officer,

Police Station, Gadchiroli,

Tahsil, District : Gadchiroli

.. **Non-applicant.**

O R D E R (Below Exh.01)

(Passed on : 15th July, 2026)

By this application, under section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (BNSS), the applicant/accused has prayed for grant of pre-arrest bail in Crime No.1019/2026 registered with the Police Station, Gadchiroli, Tah., District : Gadchiroli, for an offence punishable under Sections 303 of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023(BNS).

2] I have heard Mr. Thakare, learned counsel for the applicant and Mr. Bhandekar APP for the prosecution, in support of the application and say of the prosecution respectively. Their submissions and contentions are dealt specifically as and when required as follow.

3] With the assistance of Mr. Bhandekar, I have perused the investigation of papers so far placed before me, only for my perusal. As per the First Information Report, it transpires that the applicant is the

real nephew of the informant. The allegations are that the applicant committed theft of some ornaments and some cash which belonged to the mother of the informant, who was also the grandmother of the applicant. However, it transpires that the grandmother at the time of her death did not reside with the informant. It can be inferred that she used to reside with the applicant.

4] Mr. Thakare has placed on record a copy of the application preferred for a succession certificate. The succession certificate is for some ornaments and some other movable properties belonging to the deceased and it is preferred by the applicant meaning thereby the parties have been litigating a civil dispute. It can be inferred that the present First Information Report was lodged as an out come of the said civil dispute. That apart I find that there is huge delay to lodge the First Information Report.

5] It is also not a case of the prosecution that the applicant has misused the interim protection.

6] In view of the above discussion, I find that the applicant should be protected by grant of pre arrest bail. The contentions of Mr. Bhandekar that the applicant should co-operate during the investigation is reasonable. With this, I pass the following order.

ORDER

1] Criminal Bail Application **No.07/2026** is hereby allowed.

2] The interim protection granted vide order dated 19.01.2026 is hereby confirmed, subject to one additional condition that the applicant shall co-operate during the investigation.

(Dictated and pronounced in open court.)