



Spl. (Atro.) Case No. 1/2026
State X Prakash Barman & ors.
MHGA130000052026

APPLICATION EXH. 57
IN
SPECIAL (ATRO.) CASE NO.1/2026

ORDER
(Passed on 27.03.2026)

1. The accused has prayed for the interim custody of his INFINIX mobile and BSNL SIM No.9421924743 and JIO SIM No.9356185821 seized by Mulchera Police Station in Crime No.108/2025 registered under Sections 118(1), 115(2), 351(2)(3), 352 of BNS, Sections 3(1)(r)(s), 3(2)(va) of SC & SC Act and 4(1)/181 of M.V. Act. It is the case of the accused that he is the owner of mobile and SIMs, and he requires the mobile for his daily use. Hence, this application.
2. The I.O. and learned APP filed common say at Exh.62 and opposed the application.
3. Heard. The crime relates to voluntarily causing grievous hurt to informant and abusing him with reference to his caste. However, It is not the case of

prosecution that the abuses were uttered on mobile phone. It is also not the case that the alleged incident is video recorded on the mobile. Nothing incriminating material found in the said mobile. The investigation is completed and charge-sheet is filed. In the circumstances, there is no need to retain the mobile phone. The receipt shows that the applicant/accused is the owner of the mobile. Hence, the interim custody of seized mobile is liable to be given to the applicant/accused. Hence, the order.

4. The application Exh.57 is allowed. Pending the trial, the seized INFINIX mobile and BSNL SIM No.9421924743 and JIO SIM No.9356185821 seized by Mulchera Police Station in Crime No.108/2025 registered under Sections 118(1), 115(2), 351(2)(3), 352 of BNS, Sections 3(1)(r) (s), 3(2)(va) of SC & SC Act and 4(1)/181 of M.V. Act be returned to the applicant/accused **Bhupal Radhakant Mandal**, on his furnishing indemnity bond of ₹15,000/- (In words Rupees Fifteen Thousand Only) on the following conditions.

- a) The applicant shall not sell, mortgage or transfer said mobile and SIMs without permission of the court during trial.
- b) The applicant shall produce said mobile and SIMs before the Court or investigating officer as and when directed.
- c) Panchanama of the said mobile and SIMs noting details thereof be prepared before returning it to the applicant/accused.

Aheri.
Date – 27.03.2026.

(D. M. Aher)
Judge, Special Court (SCST Act),
Aheri

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