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IN THE COURT OF ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE-2, JALNA

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION No.165 OF 2026

Sachin Govardhan Wahulkar

... Applicant/accused

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra

...Respondent/Prosecution

Appearance :

Shri.Y.S.Kharat, the learned L.A.D.C. for the applicant

Shri. B.V. Ingle, the learned In-charge D.G.P. for the State

ORDER BELOW EXH.1

(Delivered on : 17.03.2026)

The applicant/accused has preferred this bail application under the provisions of section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (hereinafter referred to as the “BNSS” for the sake of brevity), seeking bail in Crime No.78/2026 registered with Chandanzira police station under Sections 7(A) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

02. As per the applicant/accused, one Komal Shinde lodged complaint on 27.02.2026 that one written complaint was received from Annasaheb Kaldade that Safety Kits and Household Articles Kits were being provided by Maharashtra Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board to the building labourers free of costs. However, in Gat No.224, behind Bhakti Oil Mill, in new MIDC Area at

Moreshwar godown, the applicant/accused was distributing said kits to the workers/labours by obtaining bribe amount of Rs.200/-. Therefore, the information was verified and trap was laid. The applicant/accused was found accepting amount of Rs.200/- towards gratification. Hence, complaint was filed.

03. As per the applicant/accused, he is falsely implicated in the offence. He was arrested on 27.02.2026 and since 01.03.2026, he is in Judicial custody. The investigation is almost completed. The applicant/accused is ready to abide with terms and conditions of bail, if imposed on him.

04. The prosecution resisted the bail application by filing say at Exh.03. It is contended that the offence is serious in nature. It is further contended that, the applicant/accused demanded and accepted bribe of Rs.200/-. The investigation is in progress. The prosecution apprehends that in case the applicant/accused is released on bail, he will tamper the evidence and threaten the witnesses. Hence, the application is sought to be rejected.

05. Heard learned L.A.D.C. Shri.Y.S.Kharat for the applicant/accused and the learned In-charge D.G.P. Shri.B.V.Ingle for the State. Perused the papers submitted by the prosecution.

06. From the reply of prosecution and police papers, it is seen that the applicant/accused is in Judicial custody since 01.03.2026. The amount of gratification is already seized. The apprehension of the prosecution can be taken care of by imposing stringent conditions on the applicant/accused.

Hence, the applicant/accused is entitled to be released on bail. With this, I pass the following order: -

ORDER

1. Bail Application No.165 of 2026 is hereby allowed.
2. The applicant/accused **Sachin Govardhan Wahulkar** be released on executing P. R. Bond of Rs.25,000/-(Rupees Twenty-five Thousand only) with surety of like amount, in C.R.No.78 of 2026 registered with Chandanzira Police Station, on following conditions:-
 - a. The accused shall not tamper, threaten or influence the victim and/or complainant and witnesses and/or directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade them from disclosing such facts to the Court or any Police Officer or tamper with the evidence of prosecution.
 - b. Accused shall not commit similar offence of which he is accused.
 - c. Accused shall furnish his address, contact details & Aadhaar Card alongwith contact numbers and addresses of two acquainted persons.
3. Violation of any of the condition imposed shall amount to cancellation of bail forthwith.
4. Authenticated copy of this order be sent to the accused through the Jailor.
5. A soft copy of this order be sent by e-mail to the prisoner through the Jail Superintendent, Jalna.
6. Bail Application No.165 of 2026 stands disposed off accordingly.

(Dictated and pronounced in open Court)

Date: 17.03.2026

(NAZERA S. SHAIKH)
Additional Sessions Judge-2
Jalna.

CERTIFICATE

I affirm that the contents of this PDF file are word to word as per original.

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