

ORDER BELOW EXH. 23

(Passed on 12/08/2026)

1. This application is filed by accused Sonu Vikas Dhule for modification of bail order dated 18.09.2024 and releasing him on bail on executing PR bond only on account of his inability to furnish solvent surety or cash security as per bail order dated 18.09.2024 passed below application Exh.1 in Cri. Bail. Appln No. 4728/2024.

2. Ld. APP for the State opposed the application by filing say on it on the ground that there is every possibility of absconding of the accused and as such prayed for rejection of the application.

3. Perused the application and say filed by the Ld. APP for the State. Heard Ld. Advocate Shri. A. B. Dhande for the accused and Ld. APP Smt. V.R. Raut for the State at length. Perused the record. Accused is charge-sheeted along with remaining accused persons for offence punishable under section 427, 411, 413 r/w 34 of the Indian Penal Code and section 136 of the Electricity Act. Vide order dated 18.09.2024 passed below Exh.01, my Ld. Predecessor pleased to grant bail to the accused Sonu on executing PR bond of Rs.25,000/- with one solvent surety in the like amount and in addition depositing cash security of Rs.5,000/-. However, the accused is unable to furnish solvent surety or cash security. Accused is in jail since 03.07.2024. The maximum punishment for the alleged offence is imprisonment upto three years. Accused is

already suffered imprisonment for around two years. Considering the nature of the alleged offence and the fact that the accused is in jail since last about two years, due to his poor financial condition unable to furnish solvent surety or cash security, in my opinion, it would be just and proper to release the accused on executing only PR bond of Rs.25,000/-.

4. For aforesaid reason, this application deserves to be allowed. Hence, the following order.

ORDER

- 1] Application Exh. 23 is allowed.
- 2] Accused Sonu Vikas Dhule in connection with CR No. 558/2024 registered with Shirur Police Station for the offences punishable under section 427, 411, 413 r/w 34 of the Indian Penal Code and section 136 of the Indian Electricity Act, be released on bail on execution of his Personal Bond of Rs.25,000/- in the like amount on following conditions :-
 - (a) The applicant shall produce his proof of permanent residence along with his mobile number.
 - (b) The applicant shall produce the address and mobile numbers of his three relatives.
 - (c) The applicant shall give declaration of place of his residence.
 - (d) The applicant shall not directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of accusation against him, so as to dissuade them from disclosing such facts to the Court or to investigation officer.

- (e) The applicant shall not commit the similar offence and shall not indulge in any other criminal activities.
- (f) The applicant shall not leave India without previous permission of the Court.
- (g) The applicant shall attend the Court on each and every date till conclusion of the trial.
- (h) Inform concerned Jail authority accordingly.

Ghodnadi-Shirur
Date : 12.08.2026

(N. S. Momin)
Additional Sessions Judge,
Ghodnadi-Shirur, Pune.