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In the Court of Addl. Sessions Judge, and Judge Special Court Under the
Provisions of SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocity) Act, Satara.
Spl. Case No. 87 of 2021

State of Maharashtra

...Complainant.

Vs.

Shankar Dada Kharat & Others

...Accused.

Miss. G. M. Lakade, A.P.P for the State.

Shri. A. A. Doiphode, Advocate for the Accused.

Coram: Mr. S. R. Tamboli,
The Addl. Sessions Judge, Satara,

:: ORDER BELOW EXH.58 ::

1. In the instant application, accused No. 1 has prayed to relax the condition imposed in the bail orders dated 18/06/2021 and 17/12/2024.

2. Mr. A. A. Doiphode, learned Counsel for the accused, submitted that, while granting bail to the accused, the Court directed the accused to stay out of Satara Taluka, except to attend the dates of the case. On 06/08/2021, the accused filed an application (Exh. 32) for relaxation of the condition. The said application was not pressed by the accused. Thereafter, the accused filed an application (Exh. 45) for relaxation of the condition. The said application was dismissed. The accused filed another application (Exh. 52) for relaxation of the condition. The Court partly allowed the application and permitted the applicant to visit his

house every Saturday and Sunday. The said order was passed on 17/02/2024. Since then, no allegation has been made against the accused in regard to tampering with the evidence. The father of the accused is mentally unwell. His wife and children are unable to take care of him. He has no other property outside Satara Taluka. He was running a pan shop. The said shop is closed. The whole family is suffering losses. Hence, he prayed that condition No. 2(c), mentioned in the order dated 18/06/2021 passed below Exh. 5 and 7, be cancelled.

3. The application is opposed by Ms. G. M. Lakade, learned A.P.P for the State, on the ground that the accused will tamper with the evidence. The offence is serious. The trial has not commenced. Hence, she prayed to reject the application.

4. The victim was served with notice; however, she did not remain present.

5. The accused has come before the Court contending that his father is mentally unwell and his business is closed. His family is going through a financial crisis. Considering this fact, this Court thinks it proper to cancel Condition No. 2(c) imposed in the order earlier passed below Exh. 5 and 7.

6. Accordingly, the application is allowed. Condition No. 2(c), imposed in the order dated 18/06/2021 passed below Exh. 5 and 7, is hereby cancelled.

**Place : Satara.
Date : 23.02.2026.**

**(S.R. Tamboli)
Addl. Sessions Judge, and Judge
Special Court under the provisions of
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Satara.**