

In the Court of Sessions Judge, Jaunpur
Present : Sushil Kumar Shashi (H.J.S.)
Bail Application No. -653/2026
CNR No. UPJP010046402026

1. Lalchandra Gaud S/o late Vanshraj Gaud R/o Takhapurab, P.S. Shahganj,
District Jaunpur.

Versus

State of U.P.,

Mr. R. S. Tiwari, Advocate for the applicant,
D.G.C. (Crl.) for the State.

Crime No.- 142/2026
U/s- 85, 80(2)B.N.S. & ¾ D.P.Act,
P.S- Shahganj, District- Jaunpur.

22-06-2026

This Bail Application has been filed by the accused/applicant Lalchandra Gaud under Sections 85, 80(2)B.N.S. & ¾ D.P.Act, in Crime No. 142/2026, P.S. Shahganj, Jaunpur.

The prosecution story in brief is that complainant Ramesh Gaud lodged an FIR at P.S. Shahganj, Jaunpur alleging therein that the marriage of his daughter Nandani Gaud was solemnized with Vishal Gaud on 26.05.2023 as per Hindu Custom. After marriage, her husband Vishal Gaud, mother-in-law Suneeta and father-in-law Lalchand Gaud used to torture and harass her for the demand of dowry. They also used to instigate her to commit suicide. On 29.04.2026, he got information that his daughter consumed poison. He along with his family members reached Gaurav Hospital Shahganj. During treatment, she died.

Learned counsel for the applicant has contended that the applicant is innocent and he has been falsely implicated in this case. The prosecution story is false and fabricated. He is father-in-law of the victim. She has not demanded any dowry from the victim or from her parents. FIR version is totally false and fabricated. He has no criminal history. He has no criminal history. On the above grounds, it is prayed that the accused/applicant be released on bail.

Learned DGC (Criminal) has opposed the bail application and alleged that accused/applicant along with other co-accused persons subjected cruelty and committed death for demand of dowry.

A perusal of record transpires that the deceased was found dead in her matrimonial home in unnatural circumstances within 7 years of her marriage and there are serious allegations regarding demand of dowry and subjecting cruelty for the same. FIR version has been supported by the complainant and other witnesses in their statement recorded u/s 180 BNSS. As per post mortem report cause of death could not be ascertained hence viscera preserved for chemical analysis. The accused/applicant is named in the FIR and he is father-in-law of the deceased. Allegations against the accused are serious in nature.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, nature and gravity of offence, the bail application is liable to be rejected.

Order

Application for bail of accused/applicant Lalchandra Gaud in case Crime No. 142/2026, P.S. Shahganj, Jaunpur is rejected.

Date: 22.06.2026
Chandramani Yadav/-

(Sushil Kumar Shashi)
J.O. Code:- UP 2001
Sessions Judge,
Jaunpur.