

9 BAIL MATTERS / 195/2026
Vikas Pandey Vs. State Through SHO
FIR No. 28/2026 (Preet Vihar)

12.03.2026

1st bail application u/s 480 BNSS filed on behalf of accused Vikas Pandey.

Present: Sh. Chetan Mittal, Ld. APP for State.
Sh. Aakash Sharma, Ld. Counsel for applicant/ accused.

Reply to the bail application filed. Same is taken on record.

It is stated in the application that the applicant/accused is innocent and falsely implicated in the present case; that the accused has no role whatsoever in the commission of alleged offence, that the accused belongs to the reputed family and has deep roots in the society; that the accused has never been involved in any criminal activity and has a clean record; that nothing incriminating or recovery has been effected from the accused. It is further stated on behalf of the accused that there is only allegation against the accused that his scooty was allegedly used in the commission of offence which cannot be construed the applicant/ accused as the part of the commission of alleged offence and no fruitful purpose would be served for keeping the accused in JC. It is further stated that accused is ready to abide by the terms & conditions as may be imposed by this court and to furnish reliable surety to the entire satisfaction of the court. Hence, it is prayed that the accused may be granted bail.

Ld. APP for the State as well as IO have vehemently opposed the bail application of the accused.

Submissions heard. Reply perused.

Considering the facts & circumstances of the case coupled with the fact that the accused was arrested red-handed at the spot, co-accused is yet to be arrested, investigation is at nascent stage; recovery of case property is yet to be effected and considering the fact that bail is a rule and jail is an exception, however, the larger public interest outweighs the personal liberty of the applicant/ accused, this court does not deem it fit to grant bail to the accused at this stage as it would adversely hamper the investigation. Accordingly, **bail application of accused Vikas Pandey is dismissed**. Bail application stands disposed of accordingly. Nothing expressed herein above shall have bearing in the final merits of the case. **Copy of order be sent to Jail Superintendent concerned through e-mail as well as dispatch rider.**

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