



HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPCR No. 259 of 2026

Mohammad Nafees Soudagar **Versus** State of Chhattisgarh

Order Sheet

07/05/2026	Heard Mr. Pushpendra Singh Baghel, learned counsel for the petitioner as well as Dr. Saurabh Kumar Pande, learned Deputy Advocate General, appearing for the State/respondents. The petitioner has confined his argument on prayer No.(i) and so far as prayer Nos.(ii) to (v) are concerned, he may take recourse to law before the appropriate Court / forum. In that view of the matter, prayer Nos. (ii) to (v) stands deleted. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that there is matrimonial dispute between the petitioner and respondent No.5 and proceeding under Section 85 of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita and Section 4 of the Dowry

Prohibition Act, 1961 was also initiated against the petitioner by respondent No.5, which is the subject matter of CRMP No. 3820 of 2025, in which interim order has already been granted in favour of the petitioner by this Court vide order dated 19.12.2025. A copy of order dated 19.12.2025 passed by this Court is annexed herein as Annexure-P/3. He states that allegations which have been levelled in the present FIR are similar to what have been stated by respondent No.5 in FIR registered under Section 85 of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita and Section 4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 and in the present case, the petitioner has already been granted anticipatory bail.

Connect the present petition along with CRMP No. 3820 of 2025 and issue notice to respondent No.4 on payment of PF as per rules. Notice be made returnable within four weeks.

List the matter thereafter.

Sd/-
(Ravindra Kumar Agrawal)
Judge

Sd/-
(Ramesh Sinha)
Chief Justice