

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD

**R/CRIMINAL MISC.APPLICATION (FOR QUASHING & SET ASIDE
FIR/ORDER) NO. 1579 of 2026**

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PAYAL ANILBHAI MARATHI

Versus

STATE OF GUJARAT

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Appearance:

MR. DEVESH G RAMAKRISHNAN(14143) for the Applicant(s) No. 1

MS RV ACHARYA(1124) for the Applicant(s) No. 1

MR. MANAN MAHETA, APP for the Respondent(s) No. 1

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VIMAL K. VYAS

Date : 17/03/2026

ORAL ORDER

1. Heard learned advocate Mr. Devesh Ramakrishnan appearing for the applicant.

2. Perused the entire material placed on the record along with the FIR as well as the original investigation papers. It prima facie appears that the present applicant has been arraigned as an accused only on the basis of the statement of the co-accused and the CDR, except these no incriminating evidence has been placed on the record.

3. Issue **NOTICE** to the respondents, making it returnable on 07.04.2026.

4. Learned APP Mr. Manan Maheta waives service of notice for and on behalf of the respondent no.1 – State of Gujarat.

5. In the meantime, the investigation may continue, however, charge-sheet shall not be filed without the prior permission of this Court, till the next date of hearing.

(VIMAL K. VYAS, J)

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