

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD

**R/CRIMINAL MISC.APPLICATION (FOR QUASHING & SET ASIDE
FIR/ORDER) NO. 2547 of 2026**

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CHIRAGBHAI SHAILESHBHAI PATEL & ANR.
Versus
STATE OF GUJARAT & ANR.

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Appearance:
URJA B DAVE(7461) for the Applicant(s) No. 1,2
MR MANAN MAHETA, LD.ADDL. PUBLIC PROSECUTOR for the
Respondent(s) No. 1

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VIMAL K. VYAS

Date : 10/04/2026

ORAL ORDER

1. Heard learned advocate Ms.Urja Dave for the applicants-accused and learned Additional Public Prosecutor Mr.Manan Maheta appearing for the respondent No.1- State.

2. Perused the entire material on record along with the impugned FIR as well as the original investigation papers.

3. From a bare perusal of the FIR, it prima facie appears that though the applicants were present at the time of incident, neither they participated nor played any role in the alleged offence. On the contrary, it appears that they tried to pacify the situation; however, they have been arraigned as the accused. Therefore, in the considered opinion of this court, the application deserves consideration.

4. Issue **RULE** to the respondents, making it returnable on 01.07.2026.
5. Learned APP Mr.Manan Maheta waives service of Rule for and on behalf of the respondent No.1 – State of Gujarat.
6. In the meantime, let there be an ad-interim relief in terms of Para 8(B) of the application qua the present applicants only, till the next date of hearing.

(VIMAL K. VYAS, J)

DIPTI PATEL