

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD****R/CRIMINAL MISC.APPLICATION (FOR ANTICIPATORY BAIL) NO. 5427  
of 2026**

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USHA RAJKUMAR RAI  
Versus  
STATE OF GUJARAT

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Appearance:

MR ANVESH V VYAS(5654) for the Applicant(s) No. 1  
MR. SAGAR M PANDYA(17606) for the Applicant(s) No. 1  
PUBLIC PROSECUTOR for the Respondent(s) No. 1

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**CORAM:HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE SANJEEV J.THAKER****Date : 30/04/2026****ORAL ORDER**

1. By way of this application under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (*for short, "BNSS"*), the applicants have prayed for anticipatory bail in the event of arrest in connection with the FIR being C.R. No.1119901251374 of 2025, registered with the Bharuch City 'C' Division Police Station, Bharuch, for the offences punishable under Sections 409 and 114 of the Indian Penal Code.

2. Heard, the learned advocate for the applicants and learned APP for the State.

3. Considering the facts of the present case, more particularly, the fact that the present applicant is shown as

a Director of the Company and having 21.27% share holding. Therefore, this Court is of the opinion that the protection is required to be granted to the applicant.

4. Under the circumstances, **Notice**, returnable on 12.06.2026. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor waives service of notice of rule on behalf of the respondent – State.

5. By way of interim relief, the investigating officer is directed not to arrest the applicant till the next of hearing, subject to the condition that the present applicant shall appear before the concerned Investigating Officer for recording of the statement on 04.05.2026 between 11:00 a.m. and 05:00 p.m.

Direct service is permitted.

M.H. DAVE/sn/41

**(SANJEEV J.THAKER,J)**