

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD  
R/CRIMINAL MISC.APPLICATION (FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE) NO. 6497  
of 2026**

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DHRUMIL HIMANSHUBHAI SHAH & ORS.  
Versus  
STATE OF GUJARAT & ANR.

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Appearance:  
SHRINEEL M SHAH(9374) for the Applicant(s) No. 1,2,3,4,5  
MS VRUNDA SHAH, ADDL.PUBLIC PROSECUTOR for the Respondent(s)  
No. 1

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE M. K. THAKKER**  
**Date : 13/04/2026**  
**ORAL ORDER**

Learned advocate Mr. Shah submits that though the complainant had left the matrimonial house in the year 2020, the impugned complaint is filed after three years of delay. It is submitted by the learned advocate that the FIR which was lodged under Section 498A of the IPC was stayed by this Court and the proceedings under Section 125 of the IPC have resulted partly in favour of the complainant, and the son of the complainant has been ordered to pay maintenance. It is also submitted by the learned advocate Mr. Shah that if the matter is referred to the Mediation Centre, he is ready to resolve the dispute amicably.

Considering the submissions, let notice be issued, making it returnable on 23.04.2026.

Direct Service is permitted.

M.M.MIRZA

**(M. K. THAKKER,J)**