

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD

**R/SPECIAL CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 6009 of 2025
(DOMESTIC VIOLENCE)**

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BALVANTSINH KHODUBHA GOHIL & ORS.

Versus

STATE OF GUJARAT & ANR.

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Appearance:

MR NISARG D SHAH(7299) for the Applicant(s) No. 1,2,3,4
SUNIL H PRAJAPATI(8350) for the Applicant Nos. 1,2,3,4
MR MANAN MEHTA APP for the Respondent(s) No. 1
MR PRATIK ADVANI for the Respondent No.2

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DIVYESH A. JOSHI

Date : 07/05/2025

ORAL ORDER

At the outset, learned advocate for the applicants does not press this application qua the applicant no.1. Hence, this application stands disposed of as not pressed qua the applicant no.1.

Learned advocate for the applicants has referred to the allegations leveled in the impugned complaint and submitted that the applicants, who are the mother-in-law, sister-in-law and husband of sister-in-law (Nandoi), have been wrongly arraigned as accused and if the Hon'ble Court would make cursory glance upon the allegations, in that event, it would be found out that general vague and sweeping allegations are levelled and the allegations made and prayer sought are against the accused – husband. At this stage, learned advocate submitted that the case of the applicants is squarely covered by the decisions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court

in case of **Achin Gupta Vs. State of Haryana**, reported in **2024 (2) GLH 387**. It is, therefore, prayed to protect the applicants by passing appropriate orders.

In view of the above submissions, issue **Notice** to the respondents returnable on **28th August, 2025**.

Learned APP, Mr. Manan Mehta for respondent no.1 and learned advocate, Mr. Pratik Advani for respondent no.2 waive service of notice.

Ad-interim relief in terms of Para No.7(C).

(DIVYESH A. JOSHI, J.)

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