

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/SPECIAL CRIMINAL APPLICATION (DOMESTIC VIOLENCE) NO.
8599 of 2025**

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RAJESHBHAI ARJANBHAI @ KALUBHAI PARMAR & ORS.

Versus

STATE OF GUJARAT & ANR.

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Appearance:

MS. ALVEERA S KACHARA(11935) for the Applicant(s) No. 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9

MS MAITHILI MEHTA, APP for the Respondent(s) No. 1

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HASMUKH D. SUTHAR

Date : 04/07/2025**ORAL ORDER**

Heard learned advocate appearing for the petitioners and learned APP for respondent No.1 – State of Gujarat.

By way of present petition, the petitioners have sought quashing of application being Criminal Misc. Application No.2890/2024 pending before the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, First Class, Rajkot for the offence under the Domestic Violence Act.

Learned advocate for the petitioners has submitted that the allegations are general in nature and respondent No.2 is resided with the petitioner – husband only for around two months. Petitioner Nos.2 to 9 are falsely enroped in the offence and coordinate Bench has been pleased to grant stay *qua* the proceeding under Section 498A of the IPC and therefore, she has submitted to stay the impugned proceedings also.

Considering the nature of allegation, petitioner Nos.2 and 3 are in-laws, petitioner Nos.4 to 7 are sisters in law, petitioner Nos.8 and 9

are residing separately and are distant relatives of the respondent No.2 and hence, considering the nature of allegations, petition deserves consideration.

Hence, **RULE** returnable on **29.08.2025**.

Learned APP waives service of notice of Rule for and on behalf of the respondent No.1 – State of Gujarat.

Respondent No.2 to be served through the concerned police station.

In the meantime, there shall be **interim relief** in terms of **paragraph No.20(B)** of the petition ***qua* petitioner Nos.2 to 9 only**.

Direct service is permitted.

(HASMUKH D. SUTHAR, J.)

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