

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/SPECIAL CRIMINAL APPLICATION (QUASHING) NO. 9217 of 2025**

IKBAL RAMJANIBHAI DEVDIWALA

Versus

STATE OF GUJARAT & ANR.

Appearance:MR MOHAMMEDHANIF A VADNAGARWALA(12331) for the Applicant(s)
No. 1

MR VIVEK V BHAMARE(6710) for the Applicant(s) No. 1

MS DHWANI TRIPATHI, APP for the Respondent(s) No. 1

CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HASMUKH D. SUTHAR**Date : 07/07/2025****ORAL ORDER**

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

By way of present petition, the petitioner has sought for quashing and setting aside the FIR being C.R. No.11191065250554 of 2025 registered with Narol Police Station, for the offence punishable under Sections 467, 468, 471 and 472 of the Indian Penal Code.

Learned Advocate for the petitioner has submitted that the occurrence of the offence is between 30.06.2016 to 01.08.2019 whereas the impugned complaint is filed after a delay of 6 years. The petitioner and respondent No.2 are brothers and in connection of Leave and License Agreement the alleged incident took place. In the year 2022 one complaint came to be lodged which was time being filed. Once again on the same set of facts the present complaint is filed. Considering the nature of allegations, for transfer or renewal of GPCB License, forged signature of the respondent no.2 being done

and thereafter the said license is also transferred in the year 2019 in the name of respondent no.2.

Considering the nature of allegation, the 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 no coercive steps qua the petitioner.

Direct service is permitted.

(HASMUKH D. SUTHAR,J)

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