

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/CRIMINAL APPEAL (AGAINST CONVICTION) NO. 1594 of 2026****With****CRIMINAL MISC. APPLICATION (FOR SUSPENSION OF SENTENCE)****NO. 1 of 2026****In R/CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 1594 of 2026**

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BHOPNARAYANDAS PREMDAS MAHANT**Versus****STATE OF GUJARAT**

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Appearance:**MR. KRUTARTH K DESAI(9662) for the Appellant(s) No. 1****MR. ROHAN SHAH, APP for the Opponent(s)/Respondent(s) No. 1**

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VIMAL K. VYAS**Date : 16/07/2026****ORAL ORDER****Order in Criminal Appeal**

1. Leave to amend is granted. The amendment shall be carried out forthwith.
2. Heard learned advocate Mr. Krutarth Desai appearing for the applicant.
3. **ADMIT.** Learned APP Mr. Rohan Shah waives service of notice of admission for and on behalf of the respondent - State.
4. Record and proceedings along with paper-book shall be called for from the concerned trial Court.

5. Learned advocate Mr. Krutarth Desai appearing for the applicant is permitted to place on record the paper-book.

Order in Criminal Misc. Application

1. Leave to amend is granted. The amendment shall be carried out forthwith.

2. Issue **NOTICE** to the respondents, making it returnable on **30.07.2026**.

3. Learned APP Mr. Rohan Shah waives service of notice for and on behalf of the respondent no.1 – State of Gujarat.

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(VIMAL K. VYAS, J)