

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD
R/SPECIAL CRIMINAL APPLICATION (HABEAS CORPUS) NO. 10137 of
2026

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KIRITKUMAR HARJIBHAI SOLANKI

Versus
STATE OF GUJARAT & ORS.

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Appearance:

ANAND S TAILOR(9021) for the Applicant(s) No. 1

MR L B DABHI, APP for the Respondent(s) No. 1

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MS. JUSTICE GITA GOPI

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE L. S. PIRZADA

Date : 21/07/2026

ORDER

(PER : HONOURABLE MS. JUSTICE GITA GOPI)

1. Learned APP has produced the report of Vasna Police Station, Ahmedabad City. The Police Sub - Inspector, Vasna Police Station, Ahmedabad City has brought the corpus before this Court.

2. From the report, it transpires that the police had telephonically contacted the brother of the corpus - Shri Arjun Bhagwanbhai Thakor and had asked him to keep the corpus present. Accordingly, the police has brought the corpus today.

3. The matter is not listed on the board. Thus, it is ordered to be taken up on board and to be listed today.

4. We have talked to the corpus in the chamber. Learned advocate for the petitioner Mr. Anand S. Tailor was also called and informed that the corpus had been brought before this Court. Thereafter, learned advocate Mr. Tailor contacted his client i.e. the petitioner, who is also present before this Court.

5. Along with the corpus, the brother as well as the sister of the corpus had accompanied her. We have also talked with the brother and sister of the corpus. It appears that the dispute is because of the difference in their caste and the family members of both sides are under social pressure. Thereby, they had to contact the police. According to the petitioner, the corpus was forcibly taken away.

6. The petitioner submitted that he and the corpus both were present at Vasna Police Station and had given an application in writing. Under a false pretext, the family members of the corpus took her away, assuring the petitioner that they would send the corpus back to him within a few days. The said fact is also confirmed by the corpus before us.

7. While communicating with the corpus, we found that she is willing to join the petitioner as they both have married. The marriage has been registered on 19.03.2026 at Shahpur under the Gujarat Registration of Marriages Act, 2006. The corpus stated that she and the petitioner had willingly entered into marriage by performing the

Saptapadi ceremony and the marriage was registered.

8. We found that learned advocate Mr.Tailor has also produced a written undertaking of the petitioner, whereby the petitioner has undertaken to take care of the corpus and ensure her welfare and well-being.

9. The written undertaking is taken on record along with the report of Vasna Police Station.

10. The corpus is willing to join the petitioner-husband.

11. Having read the petition and the apprehension raised by both the petitioner as well as the corpus, in case the petitioner or the corpus needs any assistance from the police, then they may, as advised, take recourse to law.

12. In view of the corpus being willing to join the petitioner and the petitioner being willing to take her along, the petition is disposed of as allowed.

(GITA GOPI,J)

(L. S. PIRZADA, J)

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