

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/CRIMINAL MISC.APPLICATION (QUASHING) NO. 20494 of 2026**

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AMEERA SUSHIL SHAH DIRECTOR OF METROPOLIS HEALTHCARE LTD
Versus
STATE OF GUJARAT & ANR.

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Appearance:

MR NM KAPADIA(394) for the Applicant(s) No. 1
MR. SOAHAM JOSHI, APP for the Respondent(s) No. 1

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M. R. MENGDEY**Date : 03/09/2026****ORDER**

1. Rule returnable on 7.01.2027. Learned APP waives service of Rule on behalf of the Respondent – State.
2. The Petitioner herein happens to be the Director of the Company in question. It is submitted by learned Advocate appearing for the Petitioner that the Petitioner is stationed at Mumbai whereas the offence in question has been committed in Surat and therefore the Petitioner cannot be held vicariously liable for the offence in question. Learned Advocate has also sought to rely upon the decision of this court in case of Arvind Gupta v. State of Gujarat in Criminal Misc. Application No. 1556 of 2013.
3. In that view of the matter, interim relief in terms of paragraph 7(C) is granted.

Direct service is permitted.

(M. R. MENGDEY,J)