

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/SPECIAL CRIMINAL APPLICATION (QUASHING) NO. 14190 of 2025**

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PRATIK GULSHANBHAI ALLAWADI
Versus
STATE OF GUJARAT & ANR.

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Appearance:

MR. HERSCHELLE K. RAVAL(18164) for the Applicant(s) No. 1
MR. SURAJ A SHUKLA(7185) for the Applicant(s) No. 1
MS. VRUNDA SHAH, APP for the Respondent(s) No. 1

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M. R. MENGDEY**Date : 02/12/2025****ORAL ORDER**

1. From the FIR, the allegations levelled against the Petitioner is to the effect that he had acted as a broker between the first informant and the other co-accused and due to the intervention of the present Petitioner, the other co-accused had purchased goods from the first informant. However, no payment was made by the other co-accused for these purchases. The FIR further indicates that the first informant and the other co-accused were known to each other since the year 2023 whereas the present FIR came to be lodged in the year 2024.

2. Primafacie the dispute involved in the present offence appears to be of civil nature.

3. Having regard to these aspects, issue Notice, returnable on 16.03.2026. Learned APP waives service of Notice on behalf of the Respondent – State.

4. Till then, there shall be no coercive steps against the Petitioner. Direct service is permitted.

(M. R. MENGDEY,J)