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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH
AT SRINAGAR

CrIM(850/2026) IN CRM(M) 368/2026
CrIM(851/2026)

FIRDOUS AHMAD Petitioner(s)

Through: Mr. Naveed Bukhtair, Advocate.

V/s

UNION TERRITORY THROUGH POLICE STATION TANGMARG AND ANOTHER Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Hakeem Aman, Dy. AG

Coram:

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Dhar, Judge

ORDER

03.06.2026

CrIM No. 850/2026:

For the reasons stated in the application, the same is allowed and the requirement of filing certified copy of FIR No. 31/2026 is dispensed with. The petitioner shall file the same within one week.

CrIM disposed of.

CRM (M) No. 368/2026:

The petitioner, has challenged FIR No. 31/2026 for offences under Sections 304(2), 318(4) of BNSS registered with Police Station, Tangmarg.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and perused the record.

As per the impugned FIR, on 30.04.2026, the complainant/respondent No. 2 lodged a written report with the Police alleging therein that the petitioner projected himself as having close relations with high officials of the Police Department and he threatened

the petitioner that he will be booked under the Public Safety Act and under this threat, he extracted an amount of Rs. 40.00 lacs from the complainant. It is further alleged in the impugned FIR that on the eve of Eid-ul-Azha, the petitioner took away two gold pounds and cash of Rs. 2.00 lacs from the complainant.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner has a monetary transaction with respondent No. 2 and the said respondent in order to avoid repayment of the money which has been advanced by the petitioner to him, has lodged in the impugned FIR. He has submitted that even after lodging of impugned FIR, the complainant has made certain payments in favour of the petitioner regarding which he has placed on record certain documents.

Issue notice to the respondents.

Mr. Hakeem Aman, learned Dy. AG accepts notice on behalf of respondent No. 1. Notice be sent to respondent No. 2 through concerned Police Station. Learned counsel for the petitioner shall furnish a copy of the petition to Mr. Hakeem Aman, learned Dy. AG so as to enable him to file his response by next date of hearing.

In the meantime, the investigation in the impugned FIR may go ahead, However, in case challan is proposed to be filed against the petitioner, the same shall not be done without prior permission of this Court.

List on 20.07.2026.

(Sanjay Dhar)
Judge

SRINAGAR

03.06.2026

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