



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA

KALABURAGI BENCH

DATED THIS THE 16TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2025

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SACHIN SHANKAR MAGADUM

CRIMINAL PETITION NO.201518 OF 2025

(439(Cr.PC)/483(BNSS))

BETWEEN:

RADHIKA W/O AJIT KUMAR PATIL,
AGE: 33 YEARS, OCC: HOUSEHOLD,
R/O GADI MOHALLA, GURUMATKAL,
TQ. GURUMATKAL, DIST. YADGIRI.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI RAJESH DODDAMANI, ADVOCATE)

AND:

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by RENUKA
Location: HIGH
COURT OF
KARNATAKA

THE STATE OF KARNATAKA,
THROUGH YADGIRI RURAL POLICE STATION,
YADGIRI
NOW REPRESENTED BY ADDITIONAL S.P.P.
HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA,
KALABURAGI BENCH-585103.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SMT. ANITHA M. REDDY, HCGP)

THIS CRIMINAL PETITION IS FILED UNDER SECTION 483
OF BNSS (NEW), UNDER SECTION 439 OF CR.P.C (OLD),
PRAYING TO ALLOW THIS PETITION AND ENLARGE THE



PETITIONER/ACCUSED NO.3 AS PER REMAND SHEET ON BAIL IN CONNECTION WITH IN CRIME NO.154/2025 OF YADGIRI RURAL POLICE STATION FOR THE OFFENCES PUNISHABLE SECTIONS 103(1), 238 OF BNS 2023, NOW PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC (JN.DN.), YADGIRI.

THIS PETITION, COMING ON FOR ORDERS THIS DAY, ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SACHIN SHANKAR MAGADUM

ORAL ORDER

(PER: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SACHIN SHANKAR MAGADUM)

The petitioner has filed the captioned petition under Section 483 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 seeking regular bail in pending Crime No.154/2025 for the offences punishable under Sections 103(1) and 238 of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.

2. The gist of the prosecution case is that the de facto complainant, Smt. Parvati Bayi, has two daughters and one son, by name Ramsingh. It is alleged that the said Ramsingh was addicted to vices and had developed



an illicit relationship with one Bibi Hasina, a resident of the same locality. Another person by name Mohammed Yusuf, who is arrayed as accused No.1, was also visiting the complainant's house frequently and is said to have developed intimacy with the present petitioner. It is further alleged that Mohammed Yusuf had borrowed a sum of Rs.6,00,000/- from the complainant. While the deceased Ramsingh was allegedly demanding repayment of the said amount, the complainant is stated to have instructed Mohammed Yusuf not to repay the same to Ramsingh.

3. The case of the prosecution further reveals that on 26.08.2025, the said Ramsingh was found murdered, and based on the complaint lodged by the mother of the deceased, a case came to be registered alleging that the petitioner, owing to her alleged illicit relationship with Mohammed Yusuf, conspired and facilitated the murder of her brother Ramsingh. The petitioner has been arrested primarily on the basis of the confessional statement of



accused No.1 Mohammed Yusuf, who is the co-accused in the case.

4. This Court has heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned High Court Government Pleader and has perused the records.

5. The material placed on record indicates that the prosecution case rests entirely on circumstantial evidence, and the petitioner's implication is based mainly on the alleged confession of a co-accused. The petitioner, a woman, has been in judicial custody since 31.08.2025 and is presently the mother of a ten-month-old infant. The investigation has substantially progressed, and the final report is likely to be filed shortly. Having regard to the nature of evidence presently available, further custodial interrogation of the petitioner does not appear necessary.

6. While the allegations are grave, the severity of the charge alone cannot be a ground for denial of bail when the evidentiary material does not indicate the



petitioner's direct participation in the homicidal act. The apprehension of the prosecution that the petitioner may abscond or tamper with witnesses can be effectively safeguarded by imposing appropriate conditions. In the totality of the facts and circumstances, this Court finds that continued incarceration of the petitioner would be unwarranted and that she is entitled to be enlarged on bail.

7. Accordingly, this Court proceeds to pass the following:

ORDER

The petition is allowed.

The petitioner shall be enlarged on bail in connection with Crime No.154/2025 of Yadgiri Rural Police Station, registered for the offences punishable under Sections 103(1) and 238 of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023,



pending before the Civil Judge and JMFC (Jr. Dn.), Yadgiri,
subject to the following conditions:

- a) The petitioner shall execute a personal bond for a sum of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh only) with two sureties for the like sum to the satisfaction of the jurisdictional Court;
- b) The petitioner shall appear before the IO as and when required;
- c) The petitioner shall not directly or indirectly threaten, induce, or tamper with any of the prosecution witnesses;
- d) The petitioner shall not involve herself in any offence of similar nature during the pendency of the case;
- e) The petitioner shall not leave the jurisdiction of the Trial Court without obtaining prior permission of IO and



- f) In case of violation of any of these conditions, it shall be open to the prosecution to seek cancellation of bail in accordance with law.

Sd/-
(SACHIN SHANKAR MAGADUM)
JUDGE

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