

**HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
AT JODHPUR**

S.B. Criminal Miscellaneous (Petition) No. 4382/2026

CNR: RJHC010544032026

URN: CRLMP / 7950U / 2026

1. Mahendra Choudhary S/o R R Choudhary, Aged About 42 Years, Presently Working As Branch Manager, Punjab National Bank, First Puliya Branch, Chopasni Road, Jodhpur.
2. Ajay Singh Jakhar S/o Daya Ram Jakhar, Aged About 37 Years, Presently Working As Branch Manager, Punjab National Bank, Village Dechu, District Jodhpur. Previously Working As Branch Manager At First Puliya Branch, Chopasni Road, Jodhpur.

----Petitioners

Versus

1. State Of Rajasthan, Through Public Prosecutor.
2. Ridmal Khan Mehar S/o Mehar Deen Khan, R/o D-21, Kamla Nehru Nagar, Jodhpur, Ps Dev Nagar, Jodhpur City, West, Jodhpur.

----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. Jagdish Vyas
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. Sameer Pareek, PP Mr. Moti Singh

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BALJINDER SINGH SANDHU

Order

06/07/2026

The instant Criminal Miscellaneous Petition has been preferred by the petitioner under Section 528 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (BNSS) seeking quashing of FIR No. 134/2026 registered at Police Station Dev Nagar, District Jodhpur City West, for the offences under Sections 316(4), 318(2) and 61(2) of the BNS.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners were serving as the bank Managers of the branch in question. It is contended that the dispute is essentially between the members of the Committee and that the petitioners acted strictly in accordance with the resolutions passed by the Committee. It is, therefore, submitted that the petitioners have been falsely implicated in the present case.

In view thereof, this Court is inclined to interfere in the matter.

Mr. Moti Singh, learned counsel appears for the respondent No.2.

Learned Public Prosecutor is directed to procure the factual report by the next date.

List the matter on 23.07.2026,as prayed.

In the meanwhile and till the next date of hearing, the petitioner shall not be arrested in connection with FIR No. 134/2026 registered at Police Station Dev Nagar, District Jodhpur City West. However, the petitioner shall join the investigation.

(BALJINDER SINGH SANDHU),J