

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

S.B. Criminal Miscellaneous **3rd** Bail Application No. 14786/2025
CNR: RJHC011099632025
URN: CRLMB / 30758U / 2025

Manoj S/o Jamashankar Parashar, Aged About 24 Years, Resident
Of Ha Ji Sector, Azadnagar, Thana Pratapnagar, Bhilwara Raj..
(Presently Lodged At District Jail Bhilwara)

-----Petitioner

Versus

State Of Rajasthan, State Of Rajasthan Through Pp

-----Respondent

Connected With

S.B. Criminal Miscellaneous **3rd** Bail Application No. 14787/2025
CNR: RJHC011073932025
URN: CRLMB / 30759U / 2025

Govind S/o Bhairulal Sharma, Aged About 24 Years, R/o Sutharo
Ka Mohalla, Amli, Police Station Hamigarh, District Bhilwara
(Rajasthan).

-----Petitioner

Versus

State Of Rajasthan, Through Pp

-----Respondent

S.B. Criminal Miscellaneous **3rd** Bail Application No. 15436/2025
CNR: RJHC011112252025
URN: CRLMB / 32110U / 2025

Gauri Shankar S/o Shri Gopal Sharma, Aged About 22 Years, R/o
Presently Tenant B 162 Aazadnagar Ps Pratapnagar Bhilwara
Rajasthan (Presently Lodged In District Jail Bhilwara)

-----Petitioner

Versus

State Of Rajasthan, Through Pp

-----Respondent

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. Rajendra Singh Rathore Mr. Raj Kumar Singh Sisodia Mr. Bharat Gurjar Mr. Sourabh Soni
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. Narendra Singh, PP

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP MATHUR

Order

13/07/2026

These third applications for bail under Section 483 BNSS have been filed by the petitioners who have been arrested in connection with F.I.R. No.490/2024 registered at Police Station Pratapnagar, Bhilwara, for the offences punishable under Sections 127(2), 115(2), 111(2)(B), 140(2)(3)(4), 308(4), 61(2)(A) of BNS and Sections 3/25, 25(6) and 35 of Arms Act.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned Public Prosecutor. Perused the material available on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the allegation against the petitioners is that, on 15.07.2024, they kidnapped Aditya Jain and demanded a ransom of Rs.45,00,000/- for his release. Learned counsel further submitted that the petitioners have remained in judicial custody for about two years. It was contended that the statement of the complainant, Aditya Jain, has already been recorded before the competent criminal Court and, therefore, there is no longer any apprehension of the petitioners influencing him. Learned counsel also submitted that, having regard to the stage of the trial, the conclusion of the proceedings is likely to take a considerable period of time and, therefore, the petitioners deserve to be enlarged on bail.

Per contra, learned Public Prosecutor vehemently opposed the bail applications.

Having considered the rival submissions and the facts and circumstances of the case, particularly the fact that the petitioners have remained in judicial custody for more than two years; that the statement of the complainant, Aditya Jain, has already been recorded before the competent criminal Court and, therefore, there is no reasonable apprehension of his being influenced by the

petitioners; and further that the learned Public Prosecutor has not pointed out any material indicating that, if enlarged on bail, the petitioners are likely to influence the remaining prosecution witnesses or abscond or flee from justice, this Court is of the opinion that the petitioners have made out a case for grant of bail. Thus, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the bail applications filed by the petitioners deserve to be and are hereby allowed.

Consequently, these third bail applications under Section 483 BNSS are allowed. It is ordered that the accused-petitioners **(1) Manoj S/o Jamashankar Parashar, (2) Govind S/o Bhairulal Sharma and (3) Gauri Shankar S/o Shri Gopal Sharma** arrested in connection with F.I.R. No.490/2024 registered at Police Station Pratapnagar, Bhilwara, shall be released on bail, if not wanted in any other case, provided each of them furnishes a personal bond of Rs.50,000/- and two sureties of Rs.25,000/- each, to the satisfaction of learned trial court, for their appearance before that court on each & every date of hearing and whenever called upon to do so till completion of the trial.

It is however, made clear that findings recorded/observations made above are for limited purposes of adjudication of bail application. The trial court shall not get prejudiced by the same.

A copy of this order be placed in each file.

(KULDEEP MATHUR),J