

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

S.B. Criminal Miscellaneous (Petition) No. 7642/2025

Sushil Bothra S/o Manmal Bothra,

-----Petitioner

Versus

State Of Rajasthan & Anr.

-----Respondents

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Yash Takhar, Adv.

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Vivek Choudhary, Dy.G.A.

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BHUWAN GOYAL

Order

23/02/2026

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits vague allegations have been levelled in the FIR that certain documents signed by the complainant were stolen and misused. He also submits that similarly situated co-accused-Mukesh Kumar Sharma has been granted interim protection by the Co-ordinate Bench of this court vide order dated 11.11.2025 passed in S.B. Criminal Miscellaneous Petition No.7197/2025 and case of the petitioner is similar to him. So, interim protection may be granted to the petitioner.
2. Learned Deputy Government Advocate has not controverted the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner.
3. Heard. The matter requires consideration.
4. Issue notice to the respondent No.2, returnable within a period of three weeks.
5. Petitioner is directed to appear before the Investigating Officer on or before 09.03.2026 for interrogation.
6. Till next date, no coercive action shall be taken against the petitioner.

7. In the meantime, learned Deputy Government Advocate is directed to call for the case diary along-with status report of the investigation conducted so far.
8. It is made clear that this interim order would come into effect only after service of notice upon the respondent No.2.
9. Office is directed to send a copy of this order to the respondent No.2 alongwith notices.
10. The respondent No.2 would be at liberty to move application for modification/recall of this order after service.

(BHUWAN GOYAL),J