



HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD

CRIMINAL MISC. WRIT PETITION No. - 4635 of 2026

Aman

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of U.P. and others

.....Respondent(s)

Counsel for Petitioner(s)	:	Mohd. Abrar Khan
Counsel for Respondent(s)	:	G.A.

Court No. - 47

**HON'BLE J.J. MUNIR, J.
HON'BLE TARUN SAXENA, J.**

(Order on the memo of Writ Petition)

This matter was mentioned in the morning to be taken up, indicating an urgency. The prayer was accepted. The matter is, accordingly, taken up out of turn.

A perusal of the gang-chart shows that the District Magistrate, Kaushambi has approved the gang-chart on 20.01.2026, without holding a joint meeting with the Superintendent of Police, Kaushambi. This is in violation of Rule 5(3)(a) of the Uttar Pradesh Gangsters and Anti-Social Activities (Prevention) Rules, 2021. It is mandatory that the aforesaid joint meeting be held before a gang-chart is approved and an FIR registered, in view of the Bench decision of this Court in **Sanni Mishra @ Sanjayan Kumar Mishra v. State of U.P. and others, 2024 (1) ADJ 231 DB**, which has been approved by the Supreme Court in **Vinod Bihari Lal v. State of Uttar Pradesh and another, 2025 SCC OnLine SC 1216**.

A prima facie case is made out.

Admit.

Notice on behalf of all the respondents is accepted by Mr. Shashi Shekhar Tiwari, learned Additional Government Advocate. He is granted two weeks' time to file a counter affidavit.

Adjourned to **18.05.2026**.

To be taken up in the cause list of the day for **orders**, along with a report regarding status of affidavits.

(Order on Criminal Misc. Stay Application No. 1 of 2026)

Issue notice.

Until further orders of this Court, the petitioner, **Aman**, shall not be arrested in Case Crime No. 15 of 2026, under Section 2/3 of the Uttar Pradesh Gangsters and Anti-Social Activities (Prevention) Act, 1986, Police Station Karari, District Kaushambi.

The Registrar (Compliance) is directed to communicate this order to the Superintendent of Police, Kaushambi and the Station House Officer, Police Station Karari, Kaushambi, both through the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Kaushambi **within 24 hours next**.

(Tarun Saxena,J.) (J.J. Munir,J.)

April 27, 2026
I. Batabyal/S.K. Srivastava