



**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____ OF 2026

(arising out of SLP (Crl.) No.1994 of 2026)

VIKRAM SINGH

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF RAJASTHAN & ORS.

- 1. STATE OF RAJASTHAN**
- 2. GOVIND SINGH**
- 3. MOHAN SINGH**
- 4. DEVENDRA SINGH**
- 5. RAKESH SINGH**

Respondent(s)

O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. Though the office report records that respondent Nos.2, 3, 4 and 5 have not been served, we find that these respondents are proforma respondents as they are the co-accused who sought bail along with the appellant before the High Court and were, therefore, made parties to this case.
3. The appellant is aggrieved by the denial of regular bail by the Rajasthan High Court at Jodhpur, vide order dated 09/04/2025 passed in S.B. Criminal Miscellaneous Bail Application No.7000 of 2024, in connection with FIR No.309/2023, registered at Police Station Bhim, District-Rajsamand, Rajasthan, for offences punishable under Sections 147, 148, 302, 201 &

120-B read with Section 149 IPC. The appellant has been in custody since 23/01/2024.

4. We find that another co-accused of the appellant, who stands similarly situated in all respects, was granted bail by this Court, *vide* order dated 14/10/2025 passed in Criminal Appeal No. 4504 of 2025. As was the case with that co-accused, the appellant was not named in the FIR and though an iron rod is stated to have been recovered from him, it is for the prosecution to establish the link between such recovery and the alleged offence during the course of the trial.
5. At this stage, we find no grounds to continue the incarceration of the appellant pending the trial.
6. The appeal is accordingly allowed, setting aside the order dated 09/04/2025 passed by the High Court. The appellant shall be released on

bail on such appropriate terms and conditions as may be fixed by the Trial Court.

7. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

.....J.

(SANJAY KUMAR)

.....J.

(K. VINOD CHANDRAN)

NEW DELHI
FEBRUARY 26, 2026.

ITEM NO.6

COURT NO.12

SECTION II-D

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.)
No(s). 1994/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order
dated 09-04-2025 in SBCRMBA No. 7000/2024 passed
by the High Court of Judicature for Rajasthan at
Jodhpur]

VIKRAM SINGH

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF RAJASTHAN & ORS.

Respondent(s)

IA No. 27264/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING
IA No. 27265/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF
THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 27266/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 27279/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL
DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES
IA No. 27278/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE LENGTHY
LIST OF DATES

Date : 26-02-2026 This matter was called on for
hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K. VINOD CHANDRAN

For Petitioner(s) :Mr. Jasmeet Singh, Adv.
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Mr. Saif Ali, Adv.
Mr. Pushpendra Singh Bhadoriya,

Adv.
Mr. Ajith Williyam, Adv.
Mr. Vijay Sharma, Adv.
Mr. Pranav Menon, Adv.
Mr. Bilal, Adv.
Mr. Saurav, Adv.
M/s Sarc Legal, AOR

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Divyank Panwar, Adv.
Ms. Nidhi Jaswal, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel, the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. Criminal Appeal stands allowed in terms of the signed order placed on the file.
3. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(SACHIN KUMAR SRIVASTAVA)
COURT MASTER (SH)

(PREETI SAXENA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)