



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

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO(s). _____ OF 2026

**(arising out of SLP (CrI.) No(s).1299 OF
2026)**

**PRADIP @ VISHAL
KIRANBHAI SOLANKI (RAVALDEV)
(PRADIP @ VISHAL
KIRANBHAI SOLANKI) APPELLANT(S)**

VERSUS

STATE OF GUJARAT RESPONDENT(S)

O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. Appellant challenges the judgment and order dated 10.12.2025 in R/Criminal Misc. Application (for Regular Bail-after Chargesheet) No.25984/2025 passed by the High Court of Gujarat at Ahmedabad, titled "*Pradip @ Vishal Kiranbhai Solanki*

(Ravaldev) (Pradip @ Vishal Kiranbhai Solanki) vs. State of Gujarat".

3. The appellant was arrested in connection with Crime No.11211010250201 of 2025 registered at Chuda Police Station, Surendranagar District, Gujarat for the offences punishable under Sections 103(1), 189(2), 191(2), 191(3), 190 and 238(a) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.

4. We have heard learned counsel for the parties, and perused the material placed on record.

5. In the attending facts and circumstances of the case and the role ascribed to the appellant, we are of the considered view that the appellant has made out a case for interference with the impugned order dated 10.12.2025.

6. Considering the totality of circumstances and also the fact that the appellant has been in custody since 20.07.2025, we are inclined to grant bail to the appellant on such terms as may be

fixed by the Trial Court. Ordered accordingly.

7. To comply with the order, the appellant shall be produced before the Trial Court not later than 18.02.2026.

8. Trial expedited. The appellant shall fully cooperate during the investigation/trial, and he shall not misuse the liberty in any manner, and shall extend complete cooperation in the trial of the instant case. It shall be open to the Trial Court to take all steps, including cancellation of bail, should the necessity arises.

9. Needless to add, if the investigation is not complete in all respects, the appellant would fully cooperate, and if the challan/charge sheet is filed, he would maintain good conduct and not attempt to influence any of the witnesses in any manner till the completion of the trial.

10. The impugned judgment/order dated

10.12.2025 shall stand set aside.

11. Accordingly, the appeal is allowed.

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

.....J.
(SANJAY KAROL)

.....J.
(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)

NEW DELHI
16-02-2026

ITEM NO.36

COURT NO.9

SECTION II-E

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).1299/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 10-12-2025 in R/CRLMA No.25984/2025 passed by the High Court of Gujarat at Ahmedabad]

PRADIP @ VISHAL
KIRANBHAI SOLANKI
(RAVALDEV)
(PRADIP @ VISHAL KIRANBHAI SOLANKI) PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

STATE OF GUJARAT RESPONDENT(S)

IA No. 22261/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF
THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 22260/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 16-02-2026 This matter was called on for
hearing today.

CORAM :
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KAROL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

For Petitioner(s) :
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Ms. Swati Ghildiyal, AOR

Crl.A @ S.L.P (C) No.1299/2026

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Mr. Nimesh Bhatt, Adv.

Upon hearing the counsel the Court made
the following
O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. The appeal is allowed in terms of
the signed order, which is placed on the
file.
3. Pending application(s), if any,
shall stand disposed of.

(D. NAVEEN)
COURT MASTER (SH)

(ANU BHALLA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)