



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2025

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHIVASHANKAR AMARANNAVAR

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 13705 OF 2025
[(439(Cr.PC) / 483(BNSS))]

BETWEEN:

AAKASH
S/O. GIRISH,
AGED ABOUT 21 YEARS,
R/AT: 319, 2ND MAIN ROAD,
R.R.LAYOUT, KENGERI,
BANGALORE - 560 060.

PERMANENT ADDRESS OF:
AKASH G, S/O. GIRESH S.
AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS,
SOLLAPURADAMMA LAYOUT,
DODDAGOLLARAHATTI,
VISHWANEEDAM,
BAGNALORE - 560 091.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. PRAKASH R., ADVOCATE)

AND:

THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY RAJAGOPAL NAGAR POLICE STATION,
REP. BY ITS STATE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
CITY CIVIL COURT COMPLEX,
BANGALORE - 560 001.

...RESPONDENT

(BY SMT. PUSHPALATHA B., ADDITIONAL SPP)



THIS CRL.P IS FILED UNDER SECTION 439 CR.P.C (UNDER SECTION 483 BNSS) PRAYING TO ENLARGE HIM ON BAIL IN CRIME NO.259/2017 IN CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS NO.7559/2025 AND IN S.C.NO.1634/2017 OF RAJAGOPAL NAGAR POLICE STATION, FOR THE OFFENCES PUNISHABLE UNDER SECTIONS 399 AND 402 OF IPC BY THE RESPONDENT POLICE, PENDING BEFORE LXVI ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, BENGALURU CITY (CCH-67), AT BANGALORE.

THIS PETITION COMING ON FOR FURTHER HEARING, THIS DAY, ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHIVASHANKAR AMARANNAVAR

ORAL ORDER

This petition is filed by accused No.7 under Section 439 of Code of Criminal Procedure, praying to grant bail in S.C.no.1634/2017 (Crime No.259/2017 of Rajagopal Police Station) registered for offences punishable under Sections 399 and 402 of Indian Penal Code, pending on the file of LXVI Additional City Civil and Sessions Judge, Bengaluru. (CCH-67).



2. Heard learned counsel for petitioner and learned Additional State Public Prosecutor for respondent - State.

3. The petitioner who is accused No.7 in Crime No.259/2017 of Rajagopal Nagar Police Station, registered for offences punishable under Sections 399 and 402 of IPC has been granted bail and released on bail on 27.09.2019. Thereafter, the charge sheet has been filed and the case has been committed to the Sessions Court and it is pending S.C.No.1634/2017. After grant of bail, the petitioner appeared before the Sessions Court on some dates and subsequently, he remained absent. The petitioner has been secured by executing NBW issued against him on 25.08.2025 and he is in judicial custody since then. It is admitted that, due to loss of communication between the petitioner and his counsel, he could not appear in the said case. The petitioner is now ready to deposit Rs.50,000/- towards forfeited bond amount. In that regard, the learned counsel for petitioner



has kept Demand Draft for Rs.50,000/- dated 10.12.2025 ready and it is drawn in the name of Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore on Karnataka Bank Ltd. The learned counsel for petitioner submits that, he will submit this Demand Draft before the trial Court within two days. The trial Court has to receive the said Demand Draft and issue receipt. The petitioner has undertaken to appear before the trial Court on all dates of hearing unless exempted by the trial Court and co-operate for speedy disposal of the case

4. Considering all the above aspects, the petitioner has made out a case for grant of bail with conditions. In the result, the following;

ORDER

The Criminal Petition is ***allowed***. The petitioner is granted bail in S.C.no.1634/2017 (Crime No.259/2017 of Rajagopal Police Station) pending on the file of Additional LXVI City Civil and Sessions Judge, Bengaluru. (CCH-67), subject to following conditions:



- i) The petitioner shall execute a personal bond for a sum of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh only) with one surety for the like-sum to the satisfaction of the trial Court.*
- ii) The petitioner shall not tamper the prosecution witnesses either directly or indirectly.*
- iii) The petitioner shall appear before the trial Court on all dates of hearing unless exempted by the Court and cooperate for speedy disposal of the case.*
- iv) The petitioner shall furnish the receipt for having deposited Rs.50,000/- towards forfeited bond amount.*

The trial Court shall appropriate the said deposit of Rs.50,000/- to the State towards forfeited bond amount.

Sd/-
(SHIVASHANKAR AMARANNAVAR)
JUDGE