

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY,
NAGPUR BENCH, AT NAGPUR.**

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (BA) NO.125 OF 2020

(Daulatram s/o Bakshuram Chauthani and another ..vs.. The State of Maharashtra, through PS
Khadan, Akola)

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Shri P.V. Navlani, Counsel for the applicants,
Shri M.J. Khan, Addl.P.P. for the non-applicant.

CORAM : ROHIT B. DEO, J.

DATED : 25-02-2020

The learned Counsel for the applicants to seek leave to withdraw the application as regards applicant 2 with liberty to apply for bail after the filing of the charge-sheet.

2. The application is disposed of as withdrawn, in so far as applicant 2-Rahul Chauthani is concerned.

3. Needless to record, that applicant 2-Rahul shall be at liberty to approach the Sessions Court for bail after the charge-sheet is filed.

4. In so far as applicant 1-Daulatram, who is the father of applicant 2-Rahul, is concerned, on perusal of the case diary, I do not find any major role which is attributed as far as the allegations in the first information report are concerned. The allegations are primarily against applicant 2-Rahul and what is attributed to

applicant 1-Daulatram is that he and applicant 2 visited the residence of the informant-victim and berated the father of the victim for demanding back the money from applicant 2-Rahul. According to the statements, applicant 1-Daulatram Chauthani confronted the victim and her father on the premise that his son did not do any wrongdoing as is alleged.

5. While I was not inclined to consider granting bail to applicant 2-Rahul, at least at this stage, in so far as applicant 1-Daulatram is concerned, I do not see any reason for continuing the judicial custody.

6. The application is partly allowed.

7. The applicant shall be released on bail in Crime 19/2020 registered at Police Station Khadan, District-Akola on furnishing personal bond of Rs.25,000/- with one solvent surety of like amount.

8. The applicant shall not influence the prosecution witnesses.

JUDGE

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