



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

947 ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION NO. 1825 OF 2024
WITH
CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 4888 OF 2024 IN ABA/1825/2024

RAHUL KUMAR PAPPU YADAV
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND ANOTHER

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Advocate for Applicant : Mr. D.B. Pawar
APP for Respondents 1 & 2 : Ms. Neha B. Kamble
Advocate for assisting APP : Mr. Sagar P. Mahale h/f. Mr. M.A. Jahagirdar
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CORAM : ARUN R. PEDNEKER, J.

DATE : 07/05/2025

PER COURT :

1. Heard the learned counsel for the applicant, the learned APP for the respondents-State and Mr. S.P. Mahale h/f. Mr. M.A. Jahagirdar, learned advocate assisting APP.
2. The applicant is apprehending arrest in connection with Crime No. 251/2024 dated 30.7.2024 registered with Kotwali Police Station, Parbhani, District Parbhani for the offences punishable under sections 306 of I.P.C.
3. This Court by order dated 24.10.2024 has granted interim protection to the applicant by noting submissions at para 1, as under :-

"1. Learned counsel for the Applicant, on instructions, makes statement that there was a transaction of advancement of Rs. 500/- by the Applicant to the deceased and he had sought repayment of the same. Further, on instructions, statement is made that Applicant made only one phone call to the deceased and there is only one chat between them. Screenshot of the same is placed on record and marked 'x' for identification."

4. The learned APP submits that apart from the aforesaid transaction noted in above order, there is no more transactions between the deceased

and the applicant. The learned advocate assisting APP submits that the learned APP has not verified the whatsapp chat and calls which would be reflected from the phone of the deceased.

5. However, as of now, there is no material on record to show how the applicant is responsible for the suicide of the deceased or how the applicant has instigated the deceased to commit the suicide. Considering this aspect and considering the interim order dated 24.10.24, I hold that the interim protection granted earlier can be confirmed.

6. In view of the above, the application is allowed and the interim protection granted on 24.10.2025 is confirmed on the following terms :

i] The applicant shall attend the police station as and when required.

ii] The applicant shall not tamper with the evidence of the prosecution in any manner. He shall not influence the informant, witnesses and other persons concerned with the case.

iii] The applicant shall co-operate with the investigation and also in the proceedings before the trial Court.

6. In the event, the applicant violates any of the conditions specified in this order, it shall be liable to be cancelled.

7. It is also clarified that the observations made in this order are limited for the purpose of disposal of the present anticipatory bail application and the trial Court shall not be influenced by the observations made hereinabove.

8. The application stands disposed of.

[ARUN R. PEDNEKER, J.]

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