

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIRCUIT BENCH AT KOLHAPUR
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION NO. 3074 OF 2023**

Rajendra Subrao Chavan And Anr	...Applicants
Versus	
The State Of Maharashtra	...Respondent

Mr. Jaydeep Mane Advocate for the Applicant
Mr. S. H. Yadav, APP for the State

CORAM : SHIVKUMAR DIGE, J.
DATE : 3rd DECEMBER, 2025.

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1. Applicants are apprehending arrest in C.R. No. 493 of 2023 registered with Vairag Police Station, District: Solapur for offences punishable under Sections 306, 323, 504, 506 read with 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

2. It is the prosecution's case that the applicants are brother-in-law of deceased Sharad Gaikwad who committed suicide by hanging himself. It is alleged that due to mental harassment by the applicants, the deceased has committed suicide.

3. It is contention of learned counsel for applicants that

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applicants were on interim relief for two years. Investigation is completed and charge-sheet has been filed. Custodial interrogation of the applicants is not required. Hence, requested to allow the application.

4. It is contention of learned APP that there was physical and mental harassment by the applicants to the deceased. Due to continuous mental harassment, deceased committed suicide. Considering the allegations against the applicants, their custodial interrogation is required. Hence, requested to reject the application.

5. I have heard both learned counsels, perused F.I.R. and documents produced on record. There is delay of 6 days in filing the complaint. The incident is of the year 2023. Investigation is completed and charge-sheet has been filed. Considering the allegations against the applicants, their custodial interrogation is not required and I pass following order:

ORDER

I. Application is allowed.

II. In the event of arrest, applicants be enlarged on bail in 493 of 2023 registered with Vairag Police Station, District: Solapur on

furnishing P.R. Bond in the sum of Rs. 20,000/- each with one or two sureties in the like amount.

III. The applicants shall attend the concerned police station as and when required.

IV. The applicants shall not tamper with the evidence or attempt to influence or contact the complainant, witnesses or any person concerned with the case.

6. Application is disposed of in above terms.

7. All concerned to act on authenticated copy of this order.

(SHIVKUMAR DIGE, J.)