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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

MCRC No. 9483 of 2026

Avan Yadav S/o Sampatti Yadav Aged About 38 Years R/o Bhadiya Belwar, Chowki - Pandrapath, Police Station Bagicha, District Jashpur Chhattisgarh

... Applicant

versus

State Of Chhattisgarh Through Police Station - Bagicha, District - Jashpur Chhattisgarh

... Respondent(s)

For Applicant	**:**	Ms. Jigyasa Singh, Advocate
For Respondent(s)	**:**	Ms. Ankita Shukla, Panel Lawyer

Hon’ble Shri Justice Rakesh Mohan Pandey

Order on Board

28/10/2026

1. This is the first bail application filed under Section 483 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 for grant of regular bail

to the applicant who has been arrested in connection with Crime No. 228/2026 registered at Police Station Bagicha, District Jashpur (C.G.) for the offence punishable under Sections 331(4), 64(2)(m), 115(2), 351(2) and 309 of BNS, 2023. The applicant is in custody since 29.08.2026.

2. The case of the prosecution, in brief, is that the FIR was lodged against the present applicant alleging that the complainant was in a relationship with him and that he entered her house and assaulted her. It is further alleged that the applicant had previously committed sexual assault upon her.

3. Learned counsel for the applicant submits that the applicant is innocent and has been falsely implicated in the present case, and the allegations levelled against him are denied in toto. The applicant has no criminal antecedents and is a permanent resident of the given address and there is no likelihood of his abscondin or fleeing form justice.

4. Learned counsel for the State opposes the bail application and submits that, considering the nature and gravity of the allegations levelled against the applicant, he is not entitled to be enlarged on bail.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the material available on record.

6. Having considered the submissions advanced by learned counsel for the parties, the nature and gravity of the allegations, and the

circumstances of the case, it appears that serious allegations have been levelled against the applicant, including allegations of sexual assault and assault upon the complainant. The allegations, as reflected in the prosecution case, require due consideration during trial. At this stage, having regard to the nature of the accusations, this Court is not inclined to grant the benefit of regular bail to the applicant.

7. Accordingly, the bail application is rejected.

8. However, concerned trial Court is directed to expedite the trial and to ensure that the trial is concluded as expeditiously as possible.

SD/-
(Rakesh Mohan Pandey)
JUDGE

Madhurima