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CRL.P No. 15594 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 3RD DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S VISHWAJITH SHETTY

CRIMINAL PETITION NO. 15594 OF 2026

BETWEEN:

MOHAMMED IMRAN,
S/O. IBRAHIM,
AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS,
R/AT. FLAT NO. 403, MIKASA APARTMENT,
ROHAN CORPORATION, OPP. TATA
SHOWROOM, BEJAI, MANGALURU,
D.K. DISTRICT – 575004.

…PETITIONER

(BY SRI. LETHIF B, ADVOCATE [ABSENT])

AND:

1. STATE OF KARNATAKA,
   BY MANGALURU WOMEN POLICE STATION,
   D.K DISTRICT,
   REP. BY SPP, HIGH COURT BUILDING,
   BANGALORE-560001.

2. VICTIM
   XXX

   DELETED VIDE ORDER DATED 14.10.2026

…RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI. CHANNAPPA ERAPPA, HCGP FOR R-1;
V/O DATED 14.10.2026, R-2 IS DELETED)

Digitally signed by CHETAN B C
Location: High Court of Karnataka

THIS CRL.P IS FILED U/S 439 CR.P.C (U/S 483 BNSS) PRAYING TO RELEASE THE PETITIONER ON BAIL IN CR.NO.10/2020 (CC.NO.2225/2021) OF MANGALURU WOMEN

P.S., D.K. DISTRICT, FOR THE OFFENCES P/U/S 376, 323, 506 OF IPC, PENDING ON THE FILE OF THE JMFC III COURT, D.K MANGALURU.

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

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S VISHWAJITH SHETTY

ORAL ORDER

Accused in Crime No.10/2020 registered by Mangaluru Women Police Station, Dakshina Kannada district, for offences punishable under Sections 376, 323 and 506 of Indian Penal Code, is before this Court in this petition filed under Section 483 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, seeking regular bail.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the parties.

3. Perusal of the material on record would go to show that considering the nature of allegations found in the first information filed by the victim girl, aged 23 years who was in love with petitioner and had relationship with him for a period of more than two years, the petitioner was granted anticipatory bail in the present case by the jurisdictional Sessions Court on

22.05.2020. After completing investigation, charge sheet was filed in the present case and since the petitioner had not appeared before the committal court, non-bailable warrant was issued against him and his presence was secured before the Court on 10.08.2026 and on the said day, he was remanded to Judicial Custody.

4. A reading of the order passed by the learned Sessions Judge rejecting the regular bail application of the petitioner would indicate that victim girl who had appeared before the Court, had filed no objection for granting bail to him.

5. Considering the aforesaid aspects of the matter, I am of the opinion that the prayer made by the petitioner for grant of regular bail needs to be answered affirmatively, subject to appropriate conditions. Accordingly, the following:

O R D E R

(i) The Criminal Petition is **allowed**. The petitioner is directed to be enlarged on bail in Crime No.10/2020 registered by Mangaluru Women Police Station, Dakshina Kannada

district, for offences punishable under Sections 376, 323 and 506 of Indian Penal Code, subject to the following conditions:

a) Petitioner shall execute a personal bond for a sum of Rs.1,00,000/- with two sureties for the likesum, to the satisfaction of the jurisdictional Court;

b) The petitioner shall appear regularly on all the dates of hearing before the Trial Court unless the Trial Court exempts his appearance for valid reasons;

c) The petitioner shall not directly or indirectly threaten or tamper with the prosecution witnesses;

d) The petitioner shall not involve in similar offences in future;

e) The petitioner shall not leave the jurisdiction of the Trial Court without permission of the said Court until the case registered against him is disposed off.

Sd/-
(S VISHWAJITH SHETTY)
JUDGE

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