SL. No.	Date	Office Notes, reports, orders or proceedings or directions and Registrar's order with Signatures	COURT'S OR JUDGE'S ORDERS
			BA1/1400/2026 Sehzad --Applicant **Versus** State Of Uttarakhand --Respondent **Hon'ble Alok Mahra, J.** Mr. Gaurav Singh, learned counsel for the applicant. Mr. Manoj Bhatt, learned Brief Holder for the State of Uttarakhand. 2. The present bail application has been filed by the applicant, who is in judicial custody in connection with FIR/Case Crime No. 221 of 2026, registered at Police Station Bhagwanpur, District Haridwar, for the offences punishable under Sections 3, 5 and 11(1) of the Uttarakhand Protection of Cow Progeny Act, 2007. 3. Heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the record. 4. Learned counsel for the applicant submits that the applicant has been falsely implicated in the present case on the basis of the information allegedly provided by a police informer and the statements allegedly made by the co-accused persons while in police custody, which, it is contended, are not admissible in evidence against the applicant. Apart from the aforesaid, there is no evidence on record connecting the applicant with the alleged offence. It is fur ther submitted that nothing whatsoever has been recovered from the conscious possession of the applicant, nor has any recovery been effected at the applicant's

instance. There is no evidence on record to suggest that the applicant had slaughtered any cow progeny. It is also contended that the place where the alleged act of cow slaughter was being carried out does not belong to the applicant and that no public witness was present at the time of the alleged recovery. Learned counsel further submits that the applicant has been languishing in jail since 26.07.2026.

5. Per contra, learned State Counsel has opposed the bail application.

6. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and upon perusal of the material available on record, this Court is of the view that the applicant is entitled to be enlarged on bail.

7. Accordingly, the bail application is allowed.

8. Let the applicant be released on bail upon furnishing a personal bond and two reliable sureties, each in the like amount, to the satisfaction of the court concerned.

9. It is made clear that any observations made hereinabove are confined to the adjudication of the present bail application and shall not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

10. All pending applications, if any, stand disposed of accordingly.

(Alok Mahra, J.)
28-10-2026

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