2026:AHC:208104-DB

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD

CRIMINAL MISC. WRIT PETITION No. - 20066 of 2025

Sanki Singhal

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State Of U.P. And 2 Others

.....Respondent(s)

Counsel for Petitioner(s)	:	Adwait Prakash Ojha, Manish Tiwari
Counsel for Respondent(s)	:	G.A.

Court No. - 47

HON'BLE RAJEEV MISRA, J.
HON'BLE JAI KRISHNA UPADHYAY, J.

1. Case called out in the revised list. Even though the names of Mr. Adwait Prakash Ojha and Mr. Manish Tiwary are duly published in the cause list as counsel for petitioner, but neither they nor anyone on their behalf is present to press the present writ petition even in the revised call.

2. Learned A.G.A. representing respondents 1 and 2 is present.

3. Perused the record.

4. Petitioner Sanki Singhal has approached this court by means of present criminal miscellaneous writ petition challenging the FIR dated 23.05.2019 lodged by first informant-respondent no.3 Vinod Gupta and registered as Case Crime No. 409 of 2019, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 120-B I.P.C., Police Station Sikandara, District Agra.

5. Present writ petition came up for admission on 09.10.2026 and this court passed the following order:-

"1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Additional Government Advocate for the State.

2. This writ petition has been filed for quashing of the First Information Report dated 23.5.2019 giving rise to Case Crime No.409 of 2019 under sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 120B of Indian Penal Code, Police Station Sikandara, District Agra. The petitioner has also prayed that he be not arrested in pursuance of the impugned FIR.

3. Despite the order dated 10.9.2025, no instruction has been passed on by the learned AGA. However, from the paper book, we find that Arun Parashar and one another co-accused had been granted relief by this Court in Criminal Misc. Writ Petition No.16027 of 2019 on 10.6.2019. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that

the petitioner's role is absolutely similar to the petitioners in that writ petition.

4. Matter requires consideration.

5. Learned AGA appears for respondent nos.1 and 2. Issue notice to respondent no.3 by registered post. Steps may be taken within ten days.

6. Respondents may file their counter affidavits within a period of three weeks. Rejoinder affidavit, if any, may be filed within two weeks thereafter.

7. List this petition on the date fixed in the notice.

8. Till the next date of listing or till the submission of police report, whichever is earlier, the petitioner shall not be arrested subject to his cooperation in the investigation. In the event, the petitioner does not cooperate in the investigation, the police would be at liberty to approach this Court."

6. Order sheet shows that office has submitted a report dated 05.10.2026 stating therein that learned counsel for petitioner has not taken steps for service upon unserved respondents. Since steps have not been taken by learned counsel for petitioner in compliance of the order dated 9.10.2025, therefore, present writ petition is hereby **dismissed.**

7. Interim order, if any, stands vacated.

October 5, 2026
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(Jai Krishna Upadhyay,J.) (Rajeev Misra,J.)

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ASHOK KUMAR TRIPATHI
High Court of Judicature at Allahabad