2026:AHC:231967

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD

CRIMINAL MISC. BAIL APPLICATION No. - 39822 of 2026

Rohit @ Latkan

.....Applicant(s)

Versus

State of U.P.

.....Opposite Party(s)

Counsel for Applicant(s) : Anand Vibhor Singh, Karunesh Pratap Singh

Counsel for Opposite Party(s) : G.A.

Court No. - 68

HON'BLE KRISHAN PAHAL, J.

1. List has been revised. Supplementary affidavit filed by learned counsel for the applicant is taken on record.

2. Heard Sri Anand Vibhor Singh, learned counsel for the applicant, Ms. Ifrah Islam, learned State Law Officer for the State and perused the material placed on record.

3. Applicant seeks bail in Case Crime No.245 of 2026, under Sections 8/20/29/60 NDPS Act, Police Station Bidhnoo, District Kanpur Nagar, during the pendency of trial.

4. Learned counsel for the applicant has argued that the applicant is absolutely innocent and has been falsely implicated in the present case. The applicant was simply a passenger in the vehicle in question and was seated alongwith the driver. The main accused is the driver of the said vehicle, if any. A false recovery has been foisted on the applicant as well. He did not have any conscious possession of the alleged contraband. As such, he is entitled to bail. The criminal history assigned to the applicant has been explained. He is in jail since 7.8.2026. He undertakes to cooperate with the trial and not misuse the liberty of bail.

5. Learned State Law Officer has vehemently opposed the bail application but the submissions raised by the learned counsel for the applicant could not be disputed.

6. Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, submissions made by learned counsel for the parties, the evidence on record, and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, *prima-facie* the Court is of the view that the applicant has made out a case for bail. The bail application is ***allowed***.

7. Let the applicant- **Rohit @ Latkan**, be released on bail in the aforementioned case crime on furnishing a personal bond and two sureties to the satisfaction of the court concerned, subject to verification of sureties, with the conditions that he shall not tamper with evidence or intimidate witnesses and shall appear before the trial court as required.

8. Breach of any condition shall entail cancellation of bail. The observations herein shall not affect the trial on merits.

(Krishan Pahal,J.)

November 5, 2026
Vikas Verma

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