



2026:AHC:40219-DB

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD
CRIMINAL MISC. WRIT PETITION No. - 30050 of 2025

Raees Mahmood

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State Of U.P. And 3 Others

.....Respondent(s)

Counsel for Petitioner(s)	:	Aktar Ahmed Siddiqui
Counsel for Respondent(s)	:	G.A.

Court No. - 45

HON'BLE RAJIV GUPTA, J.
HON'BLE ACHAL SACHDEV, J.

1. Supplementary affidavit filed by learned counsel for the petitioner today in the Court is taken on record.
2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, learned A.G.A. for the State and perused the record.
3. The instant writ petition has been filed by the petitioner with the prayer to quash the F.I.R. dated 10.12.2025 giving rise to Case Crime No. 457 of 2025, under Sections 419, 420, 467, 468, 471 I.P.C., Police Station- Mauaima, District- Ganga Nagar (Commissionerate Prayagraj).
4. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is wholly innocent and has been falsely implicated in the instant case due to ulterior motive. It is next submitted that from the allegations made in the impugned first information report, no offence whatsoever is disclosed against the petitioner and, as such, the impugned F.I.R. is liable to be quashed.
5. Per contra, learned A.G.A. has vehemently opposed the said prayer and submitted that from the allegations made in the impugned first information report, prima facie offence is clearly disclosed against the petitioner, therefore, the impugned first information report can not be quashed.
6. Learned A.G.A. further placed reliance on the law laid down by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the case of ***State of Telangana Vs. Habib Abdullah Jellani reported in (2017) 2 SCC 779, Neeharika***

Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd. vs. State of Maharashtra and Others reported in (2021) SCC Online SC 315 and in a recent decision of the ***Hon'ble Apex Court in Criminal Appeal No. 843 of 2024, Directorate Enforcement Vs. Niraj Tyagi and others.***

7. Having considered the rival submissions made by learned counsel for the parties and the relevant law cited by learned A.G.A. and taking into consideration the allegations made in the impugned first information report, we are of the opinion that prima facie, offence is clearly disclosed against the petitioner and there is no reason to interfere with the writ petition as such, the impugned first information report cannot be quashed.

8. The prayer for quashing the impugned first information report is, therefore, refused.

9. In view thereof, the instant writ petition lacks merit and is accordingly **dismissed**.

February 23, 2026
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(Achal Sachdev,J.) (Rajiv Gupta,J.)