

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 583 OF 2015
(Gautam Chandrakant Khairnar Vs. The State of
Maharashtra)

Mr. B.R. Waramaa, Advocate for the applicant
Mr. S.G. Sangle, A.P.P. for the respondent-State

CORAM : M.T. JOSHI, J.
DATE : 18/02/2015

ORAL ORDER :

1. Heard both sides.
2. The present applicant, who is arrested by Parola Police Station, District Jalgaon in Crime No. 120/2014, registered for the offences punishable under section 376 (2) (F) (I) (N), 354, 509, 506, 114 of the I.P. Code and under section 4, 5(L) (N), 6, 8, 9 (n), 10, 12, 17, 18 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, is praying for his release on bail.
3. The present applicant's earlier application for the same relief, bearing Criminal Application No. 5948/2014, was disposed of as withdrawn, by this Court

vide order dated 27.11.2014, with liberty to file similar application in case the trial is not concluded within a period of two months.

4. The submissions from both sides now would show that the prosecution evidence is completed. The learned counsel for the applicant submits that now the defence evidence is to be led and if upon hearing, this Court is not inclined to grant bail, at least temporary bail for a period of two weeks may be granted.

5. However, considering the merit of the case, this Court was not inclined to grant bail to the applicant and hence, the applicant's earlier application was allowed to be withdrawn. Now, the trial is at the fag end. In the circumstances, the applicant does not deserve to be released on bail. Hence, the present application is rejected.

[M.T. JOSHI]
JUDGE