

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY,
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.5374 OF 2015

Ashok s/o Laxman Khandare,
Age 43 years, Occu. Agri.,
R/o Talani, Taluka Sengaoon,
District Hingoli

..Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra,
through Narsi (Na) Police Station,
District Hingoli and anr.

..Respondents

Mr G.C. Navandar and Mr A.M. Gholap, Advocates for applicant
Mr A.P. Basarkar, A.P.P. for respondents

CORAM : N.W. SAMBRE, J.

DATE : 13th October 2015

PER COURT

1. The applicant is seeking pre-arrest bail in Crime No.36/2015, registered at Narsi (Na) Police Station, District Hingoli, for offence punishable under Section 376 (2) (f) (n) of the Indian Penal Code, pursuant to a complaint dated 8th September 2015.

2. The complainant Mangalabai is widow of brother of the accused. Taking undue advantage of her status, who was residing adjacent to the applicant, the applicant appears to have committed the crime in question. Perusal of the first information report and the other material prima facie depict the involvement of the applicant in commission of crime in question. The complainant has lodged the complaint after she has brought to notice of the applicant as regards her pregnancy and the assurance given by applicant for marriage.

3. In view of above, in my opinion, no case for grant of pre-arrest bail is made out. The application fails, stands rejected.

(N.W. SAMBRE, J.)

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