

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

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 3386 OF 2015

Shrirang Radhakishan Bondre and ors.

...Applicants

VERSUS

The State of Maharashtra & anr.

...Respondents

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Shri Joydeep Chatterjee, advocate for applicants

Smt. A.V.Gondhalekar, A.P.P. for respondent no.1/State

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CORAM : A.V.NIRGUDE

AND

INDIRA K.JAIN, JJ.

DATED : 18th February, 2016

ORDER :

1] The application sought quashing and setting aside of criminal proceedings arising from Crime No. 96 of 2015, registered at Kadim Jalna police station, Jalna.

2] On perusal of the F.I.R., it is clear to us that complaint under Section 498-A, etc. of the Indian Penal Code was made against husband, parents-in-law and other relatives of the husband. This petition is filed by relatives of the husband who did not reside with the complainant. They are cousins of father-in-law of the complainant, while the allegations against them are quite vague. We also see that the allegations made against them are made out of spite and to wreak vengeance.

3] The matrimonial dispute between complainant and her husband has resulted into filing of this complaint, but since the role attributed to the applicants is not quite significant & an omnibus statement is made that all of them harassed over demand of dowry, etc. We are of the view that the complaint should continue only against husband and his parents.

4] Criminal Application is allowed in terms of prayer clause 'B'.

[INDIRA K.JAIN, J.]

[A.V.NIRGUDE, J.]

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