

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

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 6846 OF 2016

Laxman Madhavrao Wagtkar

...APPLICANT

versus

The State of Maharashtra & anr.

...RESPONDENTS

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Mr. S. C. Bhosle , Advocate for Applicant
Mr. P. S. Patil, APP for Respondent State
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**CORAM : S.S. SHINDE AND
K.K. SONAWANE, JJ.**

DATED : 16th DECEMBER, 2016.

Order :-

1. Heard. Perused the allegations in the first information report.
2. The contention of the learned counsel appearing for the applicant is that, the applicant has only signed the notarised document as witness, and he is not a person against whom alleged offences are disclosed, therefore, FIR deserves to be quashed.
3. *Prima facie*, it appears from the allegations in the FIR that huge amount was taken from the various persons including informant by giving assurance in writing that the said amount would be returned to them after receiving the grants from the Government. It is further alleged that though there is written assurance, however, said amount is not returned and informant and other persons from whom amount is

taken have been cheated.

4. In that view of the matter, at the stage of investigation, we are not inclined to entertain the application for quashing the FIR. Accordingly, the Criminal application stands dismissed.

Sd/-

[K. K. SONAWANE, J.]

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[S.S. SHINDE, J.]

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