

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.867 OF 2017
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.521 OF 2017

Shrikrushna Mahadev SawantApplicant
V/s.
State of Maharashtra
through
Visharambaug Police StationRespondent

Mr. Sanjay S. Mehta, Advocate for Applicant.
Mr. H.J.Dedia, APP for Respondent-State.

CORAM : SANDEEP K. SHINDE, J.

DATE : July 3, 2017.

P.C. :

This appeal is directed against the conviction and sentence recorded in Special Sessions Case No.351 of 2016. The applicant has been convicted under Section 12 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 and under Section 354(A) of IPC and he has been sentenced to suffer rigorous imprisonment for a period of three months on each count.

2 Heard the learned counsel for the applicant.
Perused the notes of evidence.

3 That upon considering the facts and quantum of sentence, imposed on the applicant by the trial Court, I am inclined to grant him bail and as such sentence awarded to applicant in Special Sessions Case No.351 of 2016 is hereby suspended. Pending appeal, applicant is to be released on bail on his furnishing fresh P.R.Bond in sum of Rs.20,000/- with one or more sureties in like amount. He is also directed report Vishrambag police station, Pune on 1st Monday of each calendar month till the disposal of appeal.

4 The application stands disposed of.

(SANDEEP K. SHINDE, J)

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Admit.

2 Call records and proceedings from the trial
Court.

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