

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.523 OF 2018

IN

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.369 OF 2018

Smt.Vijaya Purushottam Dighe ... **Applicant**
V/s.

The State of Maharashtra & Anr. ... **Respondents**

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Mr.Dinesh Adsule, Advocate for the Applicant.

Mr.A.R.Kapadnis, APP for the Respondent No.1/State.

Mr.H.S.Venegaonkar, Advocate for the Respondent No.2/CBI.

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CORAM : A.M.BADAR J.

DATED : 7th JUNE 2018.

P.C. :

1 This is an application for suspension of sentence and releasing the applicant/accused no.4 on bail during pendency of the appeal filed by him. The applicant/accused no.4 is convicted for the offence punishable under Sections 420 and 120B of the Indian Penal Code along with the co-accused. On each count, he is sentenced to suffer rigorous imprisonment for 2 years.

2 Heard the learned Advocate appearing for the applicant/accused no.4 as well as Shri Venegaonkar, the learned

Advocate appearing for respondent no.2 and the learned APP for respondent no.1/State.

3 The co-accused viz., accused nos.1,2,3 and 5 are already released on bail by this Court. After his conviction, the same is already suspended by the learned trial Court. In this view of the matter, I see no reason to deny bail to the present applicant/accused no.4. Therefore, the order :

ORDER

- i) The application is allowed.
- ii) Substantive sentences of imprisonment imposed on the applicant/accused no.4 is suspended and the applicant/accused no.4 is directed to be released on bail on his executing P.R.Bond in the sum of Rs.25,000/-, and on furnishing surety in like amount.
- iii) As a condition of this order, the applicant/accused shall attend the trial Court on first Monday of every month and if any Monday happens to be a holiday, then on Tuesday of that month, until further orders.
- iv) The application is disposed of.

(A.M.BADAR J.)