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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY**CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION****ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION NO. 88 OF 2019**

Ajay Vijay Manohar

.....Applicant

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra

.....Respondent

Mr. Rakesh R. Singh advocate for the applicant

Mr. N. B. Patil APP for the State

CORAM : NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.**DATE : JANUARY 11, 2019.****P.C.**

Heard the learned counsel for the applicant and the learned
APP.

2 Applicant is seeking pre-arrest bail in Crime No. 112 of 2018
registered with Igatpuri Police Station for offence punishable under
Sections 143, 147, 148, 149, 307 of the Indian Penal Code.

3 The submission of the learned counsel for the applicant is in

absence of motive, intention and direct evidence connecting the applicant with an active role in the commission of crime in question, applicant cannot be arrested. According to the learned counsel uncomfortable caste equations are relied upon for registration of offence.

4 The learned APP based on investigation papers opposed the claim.

5 The victim in the present case has suffered grievous injury as is reflected in the medical papers. There are statements of the victim connecting the present applicant alongwith other co-accused to the crime in question.

6 As there is *prima facie* material available against the applicant, no case for grant of pre-arrest bail is made out. Application stands rejected.

[NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.]