

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO.1462 OF 2019

Vanraj Chandrakant Lokhande

Applicant

versus

The State of Maharashtra

Respondent

Mr.Aniket Nikam i/by Vivek N. Arote for applicant.

Smt.Geeta P. Mulekar, APP, for State.

Mr.Parshuram Kamble, API, Otur Police Station, Pune, present.

CORAM : PRAKASH D. NAIK, J.

DATE : 5th December 2019

PC :

1. Learned APP, on instructions, submits that trial has already commenced and the prosecution has examined two witnesses who are the victims in this case. It is submitted that the prosecution intends to examine about sixteen more witnesses. It is pointed out that the applicant is in custody from 26th March 2015.

2. Considering the fact that the trial has already commenced, it is expected that trial would be over within a period of three months. In the event trial is not concluded within three months, the applicant will be at liberty to file fresh application for bail. It is made clear that this Court has not considered merits of the case. Criminal Bail Application No.1462 of 2019 is disposed of with above observations.

(PRAKASH D. NAIK, J.)

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