

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 1156 OF 2019

IN

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 1376 OF 2012

Rajeev Kumar S/o N. K. Prasad ...Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Anr. ...Respondents

Rajeev kumar – appellant in person present

H. S. Venegaonkar – Advocate for the CBI

Mrs. J. S. Lohakare – APP for the respondent - State

CORAM : DAMA SESHADRI NAIDU, J.

DATE : 5th AUGUST 2019.

P.C. :

Heard the applicant, who appears in person, and Shri H. S. Venegaonkar, the learned counsel for the respondent No. 2/CBI.

2. The applicant is seeking permission to travel abroad only for a short duration. In the past, the trial Court, pending trial, allowed the applicant to travel abroad. The applicant, as is evident, did not abuse the liberty granted to him. Now, too, it does not appear to me that the applicant will abscond if permitted to go abroad.

3. In these circumstances, I am inclined to allow the

application subject to certain conditions.

4. So the Court permits the applicant to visit the Netherlands, Switzerland, Italy, France, Hungary, Germany from 17.10.2019 to 2.11.2019 (both days inclusive) on the following conditions :

- (a) The applicant shall execute a personal bond for Rs. 25,000/- as security for his appearance before this Court.
- (b) The applicant shall give at least 48 hours' previous notice, in writing, to the Investigation Officer regarding his travel details, such as Flight No., Ticket No., Visa, and so forth.
- (c) The applicant shall also give to the Investigating Officer, in writing, his address/addresses and contact telephone numbers abroad, to be available for communication.
- (d) The applicant shall return to India by 3.11.2019 and report this fact to this Court by remaining present on the next date of hearing after his return."

Accordingly, this Criminal Application stands disposed of.

[DAMA SESHADRI NAIDU, J.]