

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION NO.671 OF 2021

Devesh Kumar Gupta .. Applicant

Vs.

The State of Maharashtra .. Respondent

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Mr. Subodh Desai i/b Mr. Aditya Sawant for the Applicant.

Ms. Rutuja Ambekar, A.P.P. for the State.

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CORAM : SMT. BHARATI DANGRE, J.

DATED : 25TH AUGUST, 2021.

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1. The Applicant is already admitted to interim protection by order dated 10/03/2021 in the wake of offences under Sections 354A and 354B of the IPC being invoked.

2. The statement of learned A.P.P. is recorded in para 7 of the said order to the effect that there is a likelihood of invoking Sections 354 of the IPC against the Applicant. However, today, learned A.P.P. makes a statement, on instructions from the

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Investigating Officer, that the prosecution is not proposing to invoke the said section. In such circumstances, the order dated 10/03/2021 deserves to be confirmed.

3. In view of the compliance of the stipulation contained in the order dated 10/03/2021 at the instance of the Applicant, the order dated 10/03/2021 is confirmed subject to condition that the Applicant shall continue to render his co-operation in the investigation.

4. The Anticipatory Bail Application is disposed of in the aforestated terms.

[SMT. BHARATI DANGRE, J.]