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

**CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO. 2130 OF 2021**

ABDUL HAKIM BIPAT SHAIKH

....APPLICANT

V/s.

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA

.....RESPONDENT

Mr. Abdeali Kothawala i/b Anjali Patil for the applicant

Mr. Ajay Patil APP for the State

**CORAM : NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.**

**DATE: DECEMBER 15, 2021.**

**P.C.:**

1] Applicant is seeking bail in C.R. No. 383/2019 registered with Ville Parle Police Station for offence punishable under Sections 354, 354(A), 509, 323, 504, 506 of the Indian Penal Code.

2] Prosecution case against the applicant is, applicant tried to sexually assault the victim girl who happened to be his daughter.

3] The maximum punishment provided is 5 years. Applicant has

suffered incarceration for more than two years. There are no criminal antecedents. As such, case for bail is made out.

(i) Applicant be released on bail in C.R. No. 383/2019 registered with Ville Parle Police Station for offence punishable under Sections 354, 354(A), 509, 323, 504, 506 of the Indian Penal Code upon furnishing P.R. bond in the sum of Rs. 15,000/- with one or more sureties in the like amount.

(ii) Applicant shall neither influence the prosecution witnesses in any manner nor tamper with the evidence.

(iii) Applicant shall remain outside the jurisdiction of concerned police station till the conclusion of trial.

(iv) Applicant shall not, directly or indirectly establish contact with the victim.

4] Application stands disposed of.

**[NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.]**