

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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1488 OF 2020
IN
BAIL APPLICATION (ST)NO. 1733 OF 2020**

Zahira Mohammed Tarique Irfran Mansoori Applicant

Versus

N.C.B. and Anr.

....Respondents.

Ms. Alisha Parekh i/b Advait Tamhankar, for the Applicant.

Mr. Shreeram Shirsat, for Respondent No.1.

Mr. Amit A. Palkar, APP for State/Respondent.

CORAM :SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.

DATE :7th JANUARY, 2021

P.C. :

1. This is an application preferred by the applicant for extension of the period to furnish sureties.

2. Heard Ms. Alisha Parekh, the learned Counsel for the Applicant, Mr. Shreeram Shirsat, the learned Counsel for Respondent No.1 and Mr. Amit A. Palkar, learned APP for the State.

3. The applicant was granted bail in connection with Special Case No. 220 of 2020 in N.D.P.S. Special R.A. No. 1005 of 2019 in the case pending before Special Court for NDPS at Greater Mumbai, vide order dated 7th October 2020.

4. By the said order, the applicant was directed to be released on bail on her furnishing P.R. Bond in the sum of Rs. 50,000/- with one or two sureties in the like amount. Considering the prevailing circumstances at that time, the applicant was permitted to furnish cash bail in the same amount for the period of eight weeks from that date.

5. The learned Counsel for the applicant submitted that because of the prevailing circumstances, she was unable to provide the sureties, as directed, within stipulated period. However, at present she has submitted documents in respect of one solvent surety pursuant to the directions issued by the earlier order. She submitted that only the formalities are needed to be completed.

6. The learned Counsel for the respondent submitted that the applicant should have diligently furnished surety as directed by previous orders.

7. I have considered these submissions. Since only the formalities are necessary to be completed and since the applicant has already furnished solvent sureties, I am inclined to allow this application. Hence the following order.

ORDER

(i) Time to furnish surety is extended by a period of four weeks from today. Rest of the conditions in the order dated 7th October 2020 are maintained as they are.

(ii) Application is disposed of.

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)