

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

ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION NO.2283 OF 2021

Naaz Chaudhary

... Applicant

Vs

The State of Maharashtra

... Respondent

Mr.B.P.Pandey & Ms.Ridhiwa Malgaonkar i/b Mr.V.B.Pandey for
the applicant

Ms.M.H.Mhatre, A.P.P. for the State

**CORAM : SURENDRA P. TAVADE, J.
(Vacation Court)**

DATE : NOVEMBER 01, 2021

P.C. :

1. This Application is for anticipatory bail. Applicant has already filed application for pre-arrest bail before Sessions Court, Alibag. The said application is not listed for hearing as the police have not filed any reply. Therefore, no order was passed therein.

2. Heard.

3. The learned counsel for the applicant submits that inspite of opportunities given to the respondent, no say was filed and the matter was adjourned without I.O. Therefore, the applicant was required to file the present application. Copy of F.I.R. is not on record. Except the contention of the applicant, nothing is on record to establish the allegation against him.

4. The main grievance of the applicant appears to be that his bail application was not heard expeditiously by the Trial Court. Therefore, I pass the following order:

- a. Trial Court is directed to expedite the Bail Application No.126 of 2021 within a period of one week.
- b. In view of this, Bail Application is disposed of.

(SURENDRA P. TAVADE, J)