

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH, NAGPUR

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (ABA) NO.203 OF 2021

(Nafisabegum Rafiq Sheikh Vs. State of Maharashtra thr. PSO PS Gadchiroli, Tah. &
Dist. Gadchiroli)

*Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's Orders.*

Court's or Judge's orders.

Mr. S.S. Dhengale, counsel for applicant.
Mr. N.S. Rao, APP for non-applicant.

CORAM: ROHIT B. DEO, J.

DATE: 08.04.2021.

*Hearing was conducted through video
conferencing and the learned counsel agreed that the audio
and visual quality was proper.*

Heard.

2. The applicant is apprehending arrest in Crime
33/2021 registered with Police Station Gadchiroli, District
Gadchiroli for offences punishable under Sections 307, 323,
143, 147, 148, 149 and 504 of the Indian Penal Code and
Section 4/25 of the Arms Act.

3. Perusal of the report reveals, that there is no
specific overt role attributed to the applicant – woman.

4. According to the informant, the incident
occurred when he was informed that some people have

taken forcible possession of his house. The applicant accompanied by one Shrinivas went to the spot and confronted the group of persons who were present at the house. The next allegation is that during the course of the confrontation the applicant was assaulted by co-accused Imran Pathan and one bearded person.

5. In view of the limited role attributed to the applicant – woman, the interim pre-arrest protection granted vide order dated 25.3.2021 is made absolute with the only modification that till the filing of the chargesheet, the applicant shall attend the concerned Police Station as and when required by the Investigating Officer.

JUDGE

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