

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION NO.312 OF 2022**

Pandurang Dhandu Shelar .. Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra .. Respondent

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Mr.Anil K. Lulla with Ms.Sarita Zarapkar i/b Ms.Sanjana R. Prajapati for the Applicant.

Ms.A.A.Takalkar, A.P.P. for the State/Respondent.

PSI Deepvijay Bhawar attached to Shanti Nagar Police Station, Bhivandi, Dist. Thane, present.

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CORAM: BHARATI DANGRE, J.

DATED : 15th JUNE, 2022

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1. The applicant, an octogenarian, was admitted to interim protection under the orders of this Court on 28/03/2022, by recording a prima facie case in his favour. He was directed to report to the police station and co-operate with the Investigating Officer.

The learned A.P.P. does not dispute that the applicant has abided by the said condition imposed on him while releasing him on interim bail in anticipation of his arrest and on

instructions from the Investigating Officer, she makes a statement that the custodial interrogation of the applicant is not warranted in the wake of the accusations faced by him and, since, he has rendered his co-operation in investigation.

2. By accepting the said statement, the order dated 28/03/2022 is made absolute, subject to the stipulation that the applicant shall continue to render his co-operation in the investigation.

(SMT. BHARATI DANGRE, J.)