

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

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO. 3745 OF 2021

Vikas Verma	...Applicant
vs.	
The State of Maharashtra & Anr.	...Respondents

Mr.V.K. Gupta for Applicant.
Mr.A.R. Kapadnis, APP for State.

CORAM : C.V. BHADANG, J.

DATED : 31 MARCH 2022

P.C. :

Heard learned Counsel for the parties.

2. The learned Sessions Judge has refused to grant bail to the Applicant by order dated 1 October 2021. After this, the investigation was concluded and the chargesheet is filed somewhere in December 2021.

3. Learned Counsel for the Applicant has also pointed out that in Crime No.800/2020 registered at L.T. Marg Police Station against the Applicant on similar allegations, the Sessions Court has granted bail to the Applicant by order dated 20 October 2021 in Criminal Bail Application No.2488/2021. In such circumstances, learned Counsel, on instructions, states that the Applicant would file an application seeking bail before the learned Sessions Judge afresh.

4. In that view of the matter, the bail application is disposed of

with liberty to the Applicant to approach the learned Sessions Judge afresh for bail. If such an application is filed, the learned Sessions Judge shall decide the same on its own merits and in accordance with law.

5. It is made clear that this court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the prayer for bail.

(C.V. BHADANG, J.)