

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.2532 OF 2023

Lalasaheb s/o. Bapurao Kadam ..Applicant
Vs.
The State of Maharashtra and anr. ..Respondents

Mr.P.P.More, Advocate for applicant
Mr.P.N.Kutti, APP for respondent no.1

**AND
CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.639 OF 2023**

1. Balasaheb Dnyoba Surwase,
2. Sopan Kishanrao Panchal ..Applicants
Vs.
The State of Maharashtra and anr. ..Respondents

Ms.Priyanka R. Deshpande, Advocate for applicants
Mr.P.N.Kutti, APP for respondent no.1
Ms.Akshara Madke, Advocate for respondent no.2

**CORAM : R.G.AVACHAT AND
SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, JJ.
DATE : AUGUST 25, 2023**

ORDER :-

Heard.

2. The similarly placed co-accused have already been granted relief by this Court. Close reading of the FIR and the police papers indicate that the case of the applicants before us is similar/at par with

those who have been granted relief. The applicants are, thus, entitled for the same relief.

3. In the result, Criminal Application No.2532 of 2023 is allowed in terms of prayer clause (B) and Criminal Application No.639 of 2023 is allowed in terms of prayer clauses (B) and (C), on condition of the applicants depositing total costs of Rs.15,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Thousand) with this Court within a week's time.

4. Upon deposit of the amount by the applicants, it be paid to learned counsel appointed to represent respondent no.2, as her fee.

5. List after one week for compliance of this order.

[SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, J.]

[R.G. AVACHAT, J.]

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