

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

**CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.3204 OF 2022
IN APEAL/694/2022**

**RAJESH DIGAMBARRAO PATHAK
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND ANOTHER**

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Mrs. Y. A. Namde, Advocate h/f Mr. D. R. Deshmukh, Advocate for
Applicant
Mrs. R. P. Gour, APP for Respondent – State
Mr. S. A. Deshmukh, Advocate for Respondent No.2 (Appointed)
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CORAM : NITIN B. SURYAWANSHI, J.

DATE : 11th JANUARY, 2023

PER COURT :

1. Heard learned advocate for applicant, learned advocate appointed for respondent No.2 and learned Additional Public Prosecutor for State.
2. Admittedly, maximum punishment imposed on the applicant is three years rigorous imprisonment. Applicant is granted interim bail by order dated 07/10/2022. Applicant was on bail during trial and he has not misused facility of bail. Applicant has deposited fine amount. Considering the pendency of old matters, appeal is not likely to be heard in near future. Application is, therefore, allowed by confirming interim bail granted to the applicant by order dated 07/10/2022.

3. Fees of the learned advocate appointed for respondent No.2 is quantified at Rs.2,500/-. High Court Legal Services, Sub-Committee, Aurangabad, to pay the said amount within a period of four weeks from today.

(NITIN B. SURYAWANSHI, J.)