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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO.3558 OF 2023
IN
CONFIRMATION CASE NO.2 OF 2015**

Ehtesham Qutubuddin Siddique ..Applicant
Versus
The State of Maharashtra ..Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.3559 OF 2023
IN
CONFIRMATION CASE NO.2 OF 2015**

Naveed Hussain Khan Rasheed Hussain Khan ..Applicant
Versus
The State of Maharashtra ..Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.3560 OF 2023
IN
CONFIRMATION CASE NO.2 OF 2015**

Mohd. Faisal Ataur Rahman Shaikh ..Applicant
Versus
The State of Maharashtra ..Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.3547 OF 2023
IN
CONFIRMATION CASE NO.2 OF 2015**

Asif Khan Bashir Khan @ Juned @ Abdulla ..Applicant
Versus
The State of Maharashtra ..Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.3561 OF 2023
IN
CONFIRMATION CASE NO.2 OF 2015**

Asif Khan Bashir Khan	..Applicant
Versus	
The State of Maharashtra	..Respondent

Dr. Yug Mohit Chaudhry i/by Gaurav Bhawnani for the Applicant in IA/3558/2023 in CONF/2/2015.

Mr. Abdul Hafeez Kotawala for the Applicant in IA/3560/2023 in CONF/2/2015.

Mr. Ansar Tamboli for the Applicant in IA/3559/2023 in CONF/2/2015.

Dr. Yug Mohit Chaudhry a/w Shifa Khan i/by Aditya Mehta for the Applicant in IA/3547/2023 & IA/3561/2023 in CONF/2/2015.

Mr. Raja Thakare, Special Public Prosecutor (Senior Advocate) with A.M. Chimalkar, Siddharth Jagusthe, Aakash Kavade for the State.

Ms. M.M. Deshmukh, APP for the Respondent/State.

**CORAM : NITIN W. SAMBRE &
N. R. BORKAR, JJ.**

DATE : 6th OCTOBER, 2023

PC.

1] Senior Advocate Mr. Raja Thakre, learned Special Public Prosecutor submits that he is willing to open the arguments on confirmation proceedings on 12th October, 2023.

2] As such, we deem it appropriate to direct the Registry to place

the matter i.e. Confirmation Case No.2 of 2015 on board on 12th October 2023 at 2.30 P.M with connected Criminal Appeals.

3] Office to clarify that no other matter shall be taken up by this Court in the second half of 12th October, 2023 and 13th October, 2023.

4] As regards the submission of learned Counsel Mr. Chaudhry that presence of accused is necessary at the time of hearing of confirmation and appeal proceedings having regard to voluminous record, we have called upon learned APP Mrs. Deshmukh to respond to the same. Mrs. Deshmukh submitted that after taking instructions, appropriate submissions shall be made on 10th October, 2023.

5] As such list the Confirmation Case No.2 of 2015 with connected Criminal Appeals on 10th October, 2023 only for considering the said issue at 2.30 P.M.

6] So far as Interim Application No.3547 of 2023 in Confirmation Case No.2 of 2015 and Interim Application Nos.2742 of 2022, 683 of 2022 and 3520 of 2023 in Criminal Appeal No.71 of 2019 are concerned, same also be placed on board for consideration on 10th October, 2023 at 2.30 P.M.

7] As a sequel of above order, Interim Application Nos. 3558 of 2023, 3559 of 2023, 3560 of 2023, and 3561 of 2023 are not pressed and disposed of accordingly.

8] Request of learned APP Mrs. Deshmukh for making available spare copy of the paper-book be addressed and attended by Registrar Judicial (II) expeditiously.

[N. R. BORKAR, J.]

[NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.]