

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

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 707 OF 2024

M/s. Avlon Developers Pvt Ltd Through
Mr. Jetan Gupta Petitioner

Versus

The State Of Maharashtra And Ors. Respondents

Mr. Sohail Ahmed i/b Mr. Rajendra Rathod, for the Petitioner.

Mrs. P. P. Shinde, A.P.P. for the Respondent – State.

Ms. Anita Kadam, P.I., Social Services Branch, Mumbai, is present.

Mr. Ashok Sutar, P.S.I., D. B. Marg Police Station, is present.

***CORAM : REVATI MOHITE DERE &
MANJUSHA DESHPANDE, JJ.***

DATE : 29th APRIL 2024

P.C. :

1. By this petition, the petitioner seeks a direction to the respondent No. 4 – Senior Police Inspector, D. B. Marg Police Station, Mumbai, to appoint a Special Police Officer, as per Section 13 of the Immortal Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956 (“PITA Act”), for the area,

where the immoral activities are being conducted. Further direction is sought to carry out investigation on the basis of the information furnished by the petitioner, in respect of the First Information Report No. 56 of 2023.

2. Mrs. Shinde, learned A.P.P. on instructions states that Ms. Anita Kadam, P.I., Social Services Branch, Mumbai, has been appointed as a Special Police Officer, under Section 13 of the PITA Act, for the area in question. She further assures that the police will take appropriate steps in accordance with law, as mandated under the PITA Act.

3. In view of the aforesaid statements made by the learned A.P.P., nothing survives for further consideration in the petition. Accordingly, the petition stands disposed of.

MANJUSHA DESHPANDE, J.

REVATI MOHITE DERE, J.