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

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO. 4477 OF 2021

Arjun Keru Abhang

.. Applicant

Vs.

The State of Maharashtra

.. Respondent

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Mr. Jitendra Pathade for the applicant

Mr. A.A. Palkar, APP for the respondent – State

Mr. Shantanu Phanse a/w Ilsa Shaikh for the respondent no.2
(appointed Advocate)

Mr. Wasim Shaikh, API, Turbhe Police Station present

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CORAM : PRITHVIRAJ K. CHAVAN, J.

DATED : 7th FEBRUARY, 2024.

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1. Learned Counsel for the applicant on instructions submits that the trial is on the verge of completion.

2. Learned APP submits that the DNA report *qua* the victim is positive, in the sense, the accused appears to be the biological father of the aborted fetus. In that view of the matter, there is no point in keeping the application for bail pending.

3. The application is disposed of with a direction to the trial Court to expedite the hearing of the case and to conclude the same by the end of this month.

4. The application stands disposed of in the above terms.

(PRITHVIRAJ K. CHAVAN, J.)