

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

**CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.406 OF 2024
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.1623 OF 2024
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.406 OF 2024**

Ganesh Govindrao Zende ...Appellant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra and Anr. ...Respondents

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Mr. Dilip Shinde *for the Appellant.*

Mr. Ashok Metkari, *APP for Respondent No.1-State.*

Mr. Sunil K. Chavan, PSI, Sarkarwada Police Station, Nashik city, present.

CORAM : SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.

DATED : 11 JUNE 2024.

PC:

1. It appears that Respondent No.2 is contacted by the concerned Investigating Officer and she is informed of pendency of the present appeal. The concerned Investigating Officer shall record statement of Respondent No.2 as to whether she is desirous of engaging Advocate of her own choice or whether she would avail services of Advocate through Legal Aid. The Investigating Officer shall forthwith record statement of Respondent No.2 and present the same on the next date of hearing.

2. List the appeal for further consideration on **8 July 2024**. Interim protection granted earlier to continue till the next date of hearing.

[SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.]