

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 728 OF 2024

Paresh Bapu Thakare

... Appellant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Anr.

... Respondents

Mr. Raju Suryawanshi for the Appellant.

Mr. Ashok R. Metkari APP for the Respondent No. 1-State.

CORAM : SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.

DATE : 29 JULY 2024.

P.C. :

1) It appears that on 23 July 2024 Advocate Jotiram Yadav had appeared on behalf of Respondent No.2.

2) Mr. Suryawanshi, the learned counsel appearing for the Appellant would submit that a copy of the Appeal has been served upon Advocate Yadav.

3) However, none appears on behalf of Respondent No.2 therefore, hearing of the Appeal cannot progress.

4) In the meantime, the concerned Investigating Officer shall record statement of Respondent No.2 as to whether he wants to continue with appointment of Advocate Yadav or would like to avail services of Legal Aid Panel Advocate. The statement shall be produced before the Court on the next date of hearing.

5) List the Appeal on 5 August 2024.

[SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.]