

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

**CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.1281 OF 2024**

Meraj Kamaruddin Khan

....Appellant

V/S

The State of Maharashtra & Anr.

....Respondents

Ms. Manvi Sharma i/b Mr. Saurabh Butala *for the Appellant.*  
Ms. Anuja S. Gotad, APP *for Respondent No.1 / State.*

Mr. Sushant K. Dudde, PSI, Uran Police Station present in Court.

**CORAM: SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.  
DATE : 09 DECEMBER 2024.**

**P.C.:**

- 1 Heard the learned counsel appearing for the Appellant.
- 2 Issue notice to Respondent No.2, returnable on **6 January 2025.**
- 3 The concerned Investigating Officer shall record statement of Respondent No.2 as to whether she wishes to engage private advocate or to avail services of Legal Aid Advocate. The statement should be produced before the next date of hearing.

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