

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

BAIL APPLICATION NO. 337 OF 2024

Mahendra Amarnath Yadav @ Sonu

...Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Anr.

...Respondent

- Mr. Tohid Shaikh i/b Ms. Anjali Patil, for Applicant.
- Mr. Sagar R. Agarkar, APP for Respondent No.1.
- Ms. Nausheen Siddiqui h/f Nazneen Khatri, for Respondent No.2.
- Mr. Sumit Krishna Kumar Tiwari h/f Mr. Bhomesh R. Bellam (Appointed through Legal Aid Services Committee).
- Mr. Khandagale, PSI, Vanrai Police Station.

CORAM : MANISH PITALE, J.

DATE : 24th SEPTEMBER, 2024.

P. C. :

1. In this application, the original informant was shown as respondent No.2 and as per order dated 24.07.2024, Mr. Bhomesh R. Bellam, learned counsel was appointed to appear on behalf of the said respondent, through Legal Aid. Mr. Sumit Krishna Kumar Tiwari h/f Mr. Bhomesh R. Bellam, is present in Court.

2. But, Ms. Nausheen Siddiqui h/f Nazneen Khatri, learned counsel has appeared in Court and she says that she has instructions to appear on behalf of the victim and that the victim is present in Court.

3. In that light, it would be appropriate that the application is amended forthwith to show the respondent No.2 as the victim, instead of the

informant.

4. Issue notice to respondent No.2 (Victim). The notice is waived by Ms. Nausheen Siddiqui h/f Nazneen Khatri, learned counsel having instructions to appear on behalf of respondent No.2 (Victim), who herself present in Court.

5. *Vakalatnama* on behalf of respondent No.2 (Victim) be filed within one week from today.

6. In that light, Mr. Bhomesh R. Bellam, learned counsel who was appointed through Legal Aid, is discharged from appearing on behalf of respondent No.2.

7. List the application for further consideration on **23rd October, 2024, to be included in the “Supplementary List.”**

(MANISH PITALE, J.)