

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

BAIL APPLICATION NO. 540 OF 2024

Sachin Mahesh Mahato ... Applicant
Versus
The State of Maharashtra ... Respondent

Mr. Tohid Shaikh i/by Anjali Patil for the Applicant.

Mr. Sagar R. Agarkar, APP for Respondent-State.

**CORAM: MANISH PITALE, J.
DATE : 19th AUGUST 2024**

P.C. :

. By order dated 8th February 2024, this Court had issued notice to respondent No.2 and directed the Investigating Officer to serve the notice.

2. The office note shows that service is awaited. The learned APP does not have clear instructions as to whether the Investigating Officer has served the respondent No.2.

3. List for further consideration on 4th September 2024 (High on Board).

4. The learned APP to ensure that the Investigating Officer serves notice upon respondent No.2, if not already served. If respondent No.2 is already served and she desires to avail legal aid service, the High Court Legal Services Committee shall appoint an advocate from its panel to represent the respondent No.2.

MANISH PITALE, J.