

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
BAIL APPLICATION NO. 1456 OF 2024**

Shagun Raghu Koharao	...	Applicant
vs.		
The State of Maharashtra and another	...	Respondents

Mr. Ashish Shukla a/w. Mr. Prachish Shukla for applicant.

Mr. Sagar R. Agarkar, APP for respondent No.1-State.

**CORAM : MANISH PITALE, J.
DATE : 26th AUGUST, 2024**

P.C. :

. By order dated 08.04.2024, while issuing notice, this Court directed the investigating officer to serve a copy of the application on respondent No.2 and to file report of service.

2. The learned APP, on instructions, submits that the victim-respondent No.2 could not be traced and in that light, this Court may consider appointing an advocate from the panel of High Court Legal Services Committee, so that the application can be taken up for consideration.

3. In view of the above, the High Court Legal Services Committee is directed to appoint an advocate from its panel immediately, for representing respondent No.2.

4. The applicant shall serve a copy of the aforesaid application on the High Court Legal Services Committee within one week from today.

5. Since the applicant has remained behind bars for about 5½ years, list the application for further consideration on 11.09.2024 at the end of the supplementary list.

(MANISH PITALE, J)