

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

**BAIL APPLICATION NO. 1964 OF 2024**

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| Payal Mantu Raj          | ... | Applicant  |
| Versus                   |     |            |
| The State of Maharashtra | ... | Respondent |

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Mr. P. R. Dave i/by Mr. Ebaad Shaikh for the Applicant.  
Mr. Sagar R. Agarkar, APP for Respondent-State.

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**CORAM: MANISH PITALE, J.  
DATE : 18<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2024**

**P.C. :**

. Since offences under the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 are also registered in the present case, the learned counsel for the applicant seeks leave to amend and add the victims as party/respondent Nos.2 and 3. Leave to amend is granted. The amendment shall be carried out within two days from today.

2. Issue notice to newly added respondent Nos.2 and 3, returnable on 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2024 (**High on Board**).

3. The notices shall be served through the Investigating Officer, for which purpose the applicant shall provide an additional set of papers to the Investigating Officer within one week from today.

**MANISH PITALE, J.**