

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
BAIL APPLICATION NO. 2145 OF 2024**

Mohammed Aun Javed Haider Sayed ... Applicant
vs.
The NCB Mumbai and another ... Respondents

Mr. Mandar Goswami for the applicant.

Mr. Balraj B. Kulkarni, APP for the respondent No.2-State.

**CORAM : MANISH PITALE, J.
DATE : 12th JUNE, 2024**

P.C. :

. Heard learned counsel for the applicant. It is submitted that the papers pertaining to this application have been served on respondent No.1- Narcotics Control Bureau, Mumbai. Yet, there is no representation on behalf of the said respondent.

2. The learned APP has appeared for respondent No.2-State.

3. It is brought to the notice of this Court that a bail application filed by a co-accused was withdrawn before this Court on 01.11.2023, when this Court directed the trial court to dispose of the case within a period of six months from the date of the order.

4. It is submitted that not a single witness has been examined till date. In the order dated 04.05.2024 passed by the Court of Additional Sessions Judge, Thane rejecting the bail application of the applicant, it has been

observed that the said Court has sent a request letter dated 24.04.2024 to this Court, seeking extension for a period of one year for disposing of the case.

5. Since there is no appearance on behalf of respondent No.1, hearing of this application is adjourned to 24.06.2024.

6. In the meanwhile, the registry is directed to submit an office report as to whether this Court has considered the letter for extension, moved by the trial court.

(MANISH PITALE, J)

Priya Kambli