

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.650 OF 2016
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.352 OF 2016

Hanmanth Shripati Kadam Appellant

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra Respondent

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Mr.Prashant P. Jadhav, APP, for Respondent-State.

CORAM : SHIVKUMAR DIGE, J.

DATE : 8th APRIL 2025

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. Heard learned counsel for the Applicant and learned
APP for the Respondent-State.

2. The learned counsel for the Applicant submits that,
the Applicant has convicted for the offence punishable under
Section 7 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 ('PC Act' for
short) to suffer two years rigorous imprisonment and pay fine of
Rs.1,000/- in default to suffer further RI for one month. The
Applicant is convicted for the offences punishable under Section

13(1)(d) read with Section 13(2) of PC Act to suffer three years rigorous imprisonment and pay fine of Rs.2,000/- in default and to suffer further RI for two months.

3. The learned Trial Court has suspended the sentence for the Appeal period. During the Appeal period Applicant is on interim bail and requested for continuation of the said order.

4. The learned APP submits that appropriate order be passed.

5. Considering the submission of both learned counsel as well as sentence imposed on the Applicant is short term sentence. During trial Applicant was on bail. He has not misused the liberty. Considering these facts, the sentence is suspended till final disposal of the Appeal and I pass following order.

ORDER

(i) The substantive sentence of imprisonment awarded to the applicant is hereby suspended pending disposal of the appeal, subject to the applicant furnishing a PR bond in the sum of

Rs.15,000/- with one or two sureties in the like amount.

(ii) The bail bonds to be furnished before the learned Special Judge/Sessions Judge.

(iii) The Criminal Application is disposed of.

(SHIVKUMAR DIGE, J.)