

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

**CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 372 OF 2024**

The State of Maharashtra ..Appellant  
Versus  
The Child in conflict with law XYZ & Anr. ..Respondents

**WITH  
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 257 OF 2022**

The Child in conflict with law XYZ ..Appellant  
Versus  
The State of Maharashtra & Anr. ..Appellant

**WITH  
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 842 OF 2022  
IN  
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 257 OF 2022**

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Ms. Sharmila S. Kaushik, APP for State/Appellant in Appeal/372/2024 and for Respondent in Appeal 257/2022.

Mr. Irfan Shaikh for Appellant in Appeal/257/2022.

Ms. Devyani Kulkarni for the Respondent No.2 in Appeal/257/2022.

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**CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL &  
SHYAM C. CHANDAK, JJ.**

**DATE : 07 JULY 2025**

**PC :**

1. Considering the larger issue is involved in this case, we request the learned Advocate General to appear in these proceedings.
2. For further consideration, the matters be listed on 06.08.2025.
3. Till then, the ad-interim relief granted earlier shall continue.

**(SHYAM C. CHANDAK, J.)**

**(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)**