

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

BAIL APPLICATION NO. 1262 OF 2024

Mehbullah Mataullah Khan .Applicant

Vs.

The State of Maharashtra .Respondent

Mr. Saeed Mughal a/w. Mr. Azhar Shaikh, Advocate, for the Applicant
Ms. S. M. Yadav, APP, for the Respondent – State
Ms. Jayashri R. Anawane, API, Bhiwandi City Police Station, District –
Thane present

CORAM : MILIND N. JADHAV, J.

DATE : 04.03.2025

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1. The Applicant is in long incarceration from 01.03.2021. The present Application has been listed from 21.03.2024 onwards for the last one year. The prosecution shall inform the status of the trial to the Court specifically. The indictment of the Applicant is on the basis of the circumstantial evidence along with the co-accused i. e. Accused No. 1. The Applicant was arrested subsequently after three months after the occurrence of the incident on 01.01.2021.

2. Learned Counsel for the Applicant informs that Charge has already been framed long back in September, 2022.

3. Ms. Yadav, learned APP will take precise instructions. On the

basis on the instructions I am inclined to take up his Application and due to his long incarceration. The case of the prosecution is being primarily on the basis of circumstantial evidence.

4. Stand over to **11.03.2025** at **2.30 p. m..**

(MILIND N. JADHAV, J.)