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

BAIL APPLICATION NO. 4058 OF 2024

Sushil Arjun Tripathi

Applicant /
.. Accused

Versus

State of Maharashtra and Anr.

.. Respondents

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- Mr. Chitranjan Kumar, Advocate i/by M/s. CLF & Co. for Applicant.
 - Ms. Megha S. Bajoria, APP for Respondent No.1 – State.
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CORAM : MILIND N. JADHAV, J.

DATE : JANUARY 06, 2025.

P.C.:

1. Mentioned by Mr. Kumar, learned Advocate for Applicant stating that this is Bail Application where Applicant has been arrested in the provisions of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 (POCSO) case read with the other provisions the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (IPC). He would therefore persuade the Court to issue notice to private Respondent No.2.

2. Mr. Karmakar, learned APP appears and take notice on behalf of Respondent No.1 – State of Maharashtra.

3. Issue notice to Respondent No.2.

4. In addition to Court notice, Applicant is permitted to serve a copy of the Bail Application and this order on Respondent Respondent

No.2 and inform her about the next date of hearing by any permissible mode of service and file appropriate Affidavit of service with tangible proof thereof on or before the next date.

5. After receiving notice, Respondent No.2 is directed to file her Affidavit-in-Reply on or before the next date, if so desired.

6. If Private Respondent No.2 is required aid and assistance of the Advocate, the same shall be provided by this Court through the Investigating Officer. Concerned Investigating Officer shall also convey this order to the Private Respondent through a lady police Officer and file appropriate report to that effect.

7. Stand over to **20th January 2025.**

[MILIND N. JADHAV, J.]

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