

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

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO. 4090 OF 2024

Mukund Hari Wagh.

... Applicant.

Vs.

The State of Maharashtra & Anr.

... Respondents.

None for Applicant.

Mr. Samay Pawar, Advocate appointed for Applicant.

Mr. P.H. Gaikwad, APP for Respondent/State.

CORAM : ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.

DATE : 24th JUNE, 2025.

P.C. :

1. By the present Application, the Applicant is seeking bail in connection with the Crime No. 363 of 2023 registered with Wadivarhe Police Station, Nashik.

2. Apparently, the Applicant had sought for legal aid. Learned Advocate Mr. Sachidanand D. Tandel was appointed through legal aid panel. Records of this file indicate that though Mr. Tandel appeared on 3rd October, 2024, roznama dated 22nd October, 2024 indicates none for the Applicant. Today again when the matter was called out, none appears for the Applicant.

3. In view of the absence of Mr. Tandel, learned Advocate

appointed from the legal aid panel, I deem it fit and proper to appoint another Advocate from the legal aid panel to represent the Applicant. Mr. Samay Pawar, learned Advocate from Legal Aid Panel is present in the Court. On the request of this Court, he has agreed to represent the Applicant.

4. Formal intimation of the appointment of Advocate Mr. Samay Pawar be given to the Applicant, who is lodged in Nashik Jail/Prison Central. Registry is directed to communicate this order of appointment of learned Advocate to the Applicant at the earliest and at any rate before the next date of hearing.

5. At the request of Mr. Samay Pawar, learned Advocate for the Applicant, list the matter on 8th July, 2025.

(ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.)