

HARSHADA H. SAWANT
(P.A.)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

BAIL APPLICATION NO.4153 OF 2024

Ramjan Alam Shaikh

.. Applicant

Versus

State of Maharashtra and Anr.

.. Respondents

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- Mr. Adhik Kadam a/w. Mr. Imran Shaikh, Advocates for Applicant.
- Mr. Balraj B. Kulkarni, APP for Respondent No.1 – State of Maharashtra.
- PSI – Santosh Shinde, Narpoli Police Station, Bhiwandi, Thane.

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CORAM : MILIND N. JADHAV, J.

DATE : FEBRUARY 06, 2025

P.C.:

1. Heard Mr. Kadam, learned Advocate for Applicant and Mr. Kulkarni, learned APP for Respondent No.1 – State of Maharashtra.

2. This is an Application under Section 439 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (for short ‘**Cr.P.C.**’) seeking Bail in connection with C.R. No.541 of 2023 registered with Narpoli Police Station under Sections 363, 376(2)(n) of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (for short ‘**IPC**’) and Sections 4, 6(2), 8 and 12 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 (for short ‘**POCSO Act**’).

3. Consent of Respondent No.2 has been placed on record.

4. Considering the indictment and arrest of Applicant under Sections of IPC and POCSO Act and in view of provisions of Section 439 of Cr.P.C., Ms. Ilsa Shaikh (Mobile No.7678021339) is appointed

to represent and espouse the case of Applicant.

5. The High Court Legal Services Committee of this Court is directed to give appointment letter and papers of the matter to appointed Advocate forthwith in accordance with law to represent and espouse the cause of Respondent through the legal aid.

6. Advocate for Applicant shall serve a copy of Application on appointed Advocate immediately. Appropriate instructions can be given by Respondent No.2 to the appointed Advocate so that same can be placed before this Court on the next adjourned date.

7. Stand over to **13th February, 2025**. To be placed under the caption '**First on Board**'.

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[MILIND N. JADHAV, J.]

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