

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

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 1586 OF 2025

Abu Salem Abdul Qayoom AnsariPetitioner
Versus
The State of Maharashtra and Anr.Respondents

Ms. Farhana Shah - Advocate for the Petitioner.

Smt. M. M. Deshmukh - APP for the Respondent-State.

Mr. Shreeram Shirsat a/w Shekhar V. Mane a/w Karishma Rajesh –
Advocate for Respondent No. 4.

**CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL &
S.M. MODAK, JJ.**

DATE : 03rd APRIL 2025

PC. :

1. This matter was listed on yesterday's board. The board was prepared in the last week. Yesterday i.e. on 02nd April 2025, we had directed the matter to be listed on 16.04.2025 at 2.30 p.m.. However, it was subsequently noticed that originally this matter pertains to the bench of the Hon'ble Justice Revati Mohite Dere and the Hon'ble Justice Dr. Neela Gokhale. Vide the order dated 14.02.2025 that bench had passed the order that the matter not to be placed before a bench of which Justice Dr. Neela Gokhale is a member. Our bench was the alternate bench for that bench, and

therefore, matter was listed before us. However, now there is a change in the roster and there is a partial modification with effect from 01st April 2025. Vide that modification our bench is now the alternate bench for the bench presided over by Justice Ravindra V. Ghuge. The alternate bench for the bench presided over by Justice Revati Mohite Dere is now the bench headed by Justice G. S. Kulkarni. Therefore, the matter may not lie before this bench.

2. Office to verify this position and place the matter before the appropriate bench.

3. Parties are at liberty to mention this matter before the appropriate bench for urgent listing.

(S.M. MODAK, J.)

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)