

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

Bail Application No. 1758 of 2025

Chetan Subhash Bhonde

... Applicant

versus

The State of Maharashtra and Anr.

... Respondents

Mr Kuldeep U Nikam, for the Applicant.

Mr S S Pednekar, APP, for Respondent / State.

Ms Jahnvi Karnik, Appointed Advocate for Respondent No.2.

Coram: R.N. Laddha, J.

Date: 16 September 2025

P.C.:

. The learned APP apprises the Court that notice has been served upon respondent No.2 and she seeks legal aid assistance.

2. Ms Janhavi Karnik, who is present in the Court, is appointed as Advocate to espouse the cause of respondent No.2. Legal fees to be paid by the High Court Legal Service Committee. The applicant to furnish a copy of the application and other relevant papers, including the impugned judgment to the Advocate so appointed.

3. By consent, stand over to 6 October 2025.

(R.N. Laddha, J.)