

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

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO. 2929 OF 2025

Gardish Moolaram Choudhary

...Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra

...Respondent

Mr. Rajkumar Chaphekar a/w Ms. Shamika Dabke, learned Advocates for the Applicant.

Ms. Madhavi H. Mhatre, learned A.P.P for the State/Respondent.

PSI Mr. Madhukar D. Shirke attached to Kharghar Police Station, Navi Mumbai is present in the Court.

CORAM : ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.

DATE : 28th JULY 2025.

P.C. :

1. Heard Mr. Rajkumar Chaphekar, learned Advocate for the Applicant. He submits that though the victim was heard before the learned Trial Court in Criminal Bail Application No. 221 of 2025, by inadvertence she remained to be joined as party in the present Bail Application. He craves leave to join/add the victim as party-Respondent No. 2 in the present Bail Application.

2. Ms. Madhavi Mhatre, learned A.P.P for the State/Respondent submits that the victim was notified of the Bail Application by the learned Trial Court, she appeared and objected the Bail Application, as such it would be appropriate to notify the victim in the present Bail Application. She therefore does not object to the proposed amendment. Leave granted to join victim as party-

Respondent No. 2 in the present Bail Application. Amendment to be carried out forthwith.

3. Upon amendment being carried out, issue notice to the proposed Respondent No. 2, returnable on 20th August 2025.

4. List the matter on 20th August 2025.

[ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.]

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