

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

Anticipatory Bail Application No.1525 of 2025

Rahul Arjun Gangurde ... Applicant

versus

The State of Maharashtra and Anr ... Respondents

Mr Taukeer Siddique, a/w. Mr Abhishek S Mishra, for the applicant.

Mr SV Walve, APP, for respondent No.1/ State.

Mr Sarfaraj J Shaikh, appointed for respondent No.2.

Police Sub Inspector, Rukmini Monaji Mane, Vanrai Police Station, is present.

Coram: R.N. Laddha, J.

Date: 16 July 2025.

P.C.:

. Respondent No.2 is present in person and seeks legal aid assistance.

2. Mr Sarfaraj J Shaikh, 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 is directed to provide a copy of the anticipatory bail application, and other relevant papers, including the impugned order, to the Advocate so appointed.

3. By consent of the learned Counsel for the parties, stand over to **1 August 2025**.

(R.N. Laddha, J.)