

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

CRI-INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1760 OF 2025

IN

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO. 2052 OF 2025

Sujal Sudam Kale

...Applicant

VERSUS

The State of Maharashtra and Anr.

...Respondents

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Mr. Rohan Hogle a/w Mr. Mangesh Kokne a/w Mr. S. Bankhele,
Advocate for the Applicant.

Mr. Vinod Chate, A.P.P. for the Respondent – State.

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CORAM : N. R. BORKAR, J.

DATE : 08.05.2025.

P.C.:

1. This is an application for temporary bail.
2. The applicant came to be arrested in Crime No. 32 of 2025 registered at Panvel City Police Station, Navi Mumbai for the offences punishable under Sections 64(1), 64(2) (m), 70(2) & 351(2) of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 and under Sections 4 and 8 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012.
3. The learned counsel for the applicant submits that the applicant is a student of third year BCA and his final exams are from 15.05.2025 to 22.05.2025. It is submitted that to enable the applicant to appear for the said exam, the applicant be released on temporary bail for the said period. The learned counsel for the applicant in support of

the said ground has placed on record the relevant documents.

5. The learned APP for the Respondent/State submits that the applicant is involved in serious crime. It is submitted that considering the nature of crime the applicant may not be released on temporary bail.

6. The allegations against the applicant are that he promised the victim to marry and on that pretext committed sexual intercourse with her. There are no other criminal antecedents against the present applicant. Considering the facts and circumstances, I am inclined to release the applicant on temporary bail till 23.05.2025.

ORDER

A] The applicant shall be released on temporary bail on deposit of cash security of Rs.25,000/- till 23.05.2025.

B] The applicant shall not contact the victim.

C] The applicant shall surrender on 24.05.2025, before the concerned jail authorities.

D] It is made clear that no extension will be granted.

7. The Interim Application disposed of.

8. List the regular bail application on 24.06.2025.

(N. R. BORKAR, J.)