



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH : NAGPUR

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (APL) NO. 822/2025
(Ashish Tukaram Bartine Vs. The State of Maharashtra & anr.)

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. M.V. Rai, Advocate for applicant.
Mr. I. Damle, APP for non-applicant No.1/State.

CORAM: ANIL L. PANSARE AND
M. M. NERLIKAR, JJ.

DATED : 20/08/2025.

Heard.

2. The contention of learned counsel for applicant is that it was a consensual relationship and therefore, the offence under Section 376 of the Indian Penal Code is not made out. Considering this fact, issue notice to the non-applicants returnable on 09.09.2025.

3. Learned APP waives service of notice for non-applicant No.1.

(**M. M. NERLIKAR, J.**)

(**ANIL L. PANSARE, J.**)