



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

921 CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 218 OF 2026

**CHAYA RAMRAO MASKE AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND ANOTHER**

.....

Advocate for Appellant : Mr. Vivekanand Manoharrao Maney
APP for Respondents/State : Mr. D.B. Bhange
Advocate for the Resp. No.2 : Mr. Shirish Kamble

.....

**CORAM : Y.G. KHOBRAGADE, J.
DATE : 09.04.2026**

PC.:-

1. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the appellants. By the present appeal under Section 14-A of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989, the appellants/accused take exception to the order dated 09.03.2026 passed in Criminal B.A. No.76/2026 by the learned Additional Sessions Judge-1, Hingoli thereby declined to release the appellants/accused on anticipatory bail in connection with Crime No.040/2026 registered with Kalamnuri Police Station, Dist. Hingoli for the offence punishable under Section 74, 76, 79, 189(2), 190, 191(2)(3), 118(1), 115(2), 351(2), 352, 126(2), 296, 191(3) of the BNS Act and under Section 3(1)(w), 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s) and 3(2)(va) of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.

2. Issue notice to the respondents made returnable on 17.04.2026. The learned APP waives notice for respondent no.1. Mr. Shirish Kamble the learned counsel waives notice for respondent no.2/victim.