

Ajit Pathrikar

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 436 OF 2025**

Fahim Hasan Khalil Ahmed Shaikh ...Applicant
Versus
Union Of India _____...Respondent

Mr. Aryan K. Kotwal *i/b Taraq Sayed, for the Applicant.*
Mr. Rushikesh Munde, *SPP a/w Shatabdi Netke, for*
Respondent No.1.
Ms. Megha S. Bajoria, *APP for the State-Respondent No.2.*

CORAM DR. NEELA GOKHALE, J.
DATED: 20th FEBRUARY 2026

PC:-

- 1.** This is an Application for modification of condition (b) of the order dated 27th October 2025, whereby the Applicant was directed to be released on bail on furnishing a P.R. Bond in the sum of Rs.75,000/- with one or two local sureties in the like amount, in addition to cash bail of Rs.1,00,000/-.
- 2.** Heard learned counsel appearing for the respective parties.

3. For the reasons mentioned in the Application and in view of the submissions advanced by learned counsel, I am inclined to modify the said condition by reducing the amount of the P.R. Bond from Rs.75,000/- to Rs.25,000/- with one or two local sureties in the like amount.

4. In the meantime, the cash bail of the said amount be accepted by the Trial Court for a period of four weeks.

5. The condition for depositing Rs.1,00,000/- in addition to the PR Bond and sureties is deleted.

6. Rest of the order remains as it is.

7. The present Application is partly allowed and disposed of in the above terms.

(Dr. Neela Gokhale, J)