IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 5384 OF 2005

Sunil Vishnupath Dhondugade ...Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra ...Respondent

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Mrs. S.D. Khot, Advocate for Applicant

Mr. B.H. Mehta, A.P.P. for State.

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CORAM: SMT. V.K. TAHILRAMANI, J.

DATED: 31ST AUGUST, 2005

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- 1. Heard both sides.
- 2. The applicant is seeking temporary bail on the ground that he wants to perform Shraaddha ceremony of his father. The said ceremony is on 03.09.2005 at Satara. The learned A.P.P. states that the applicant has been convicted and sentenced to 10 years R.I. Looking to the evidence on record, it is not a fit case to release the applicant even on temporary bail. However, looking to the facts and circumstances of this case, I am inclined to pass the following order:
 - i) The applicant to be taken under escort

to attend the Shraaddha ceremony of his father which is to take place on 03.09.2005 at Satara;

- ii) The escorting party to take the applicant from Kalamba jail and reach with the applicant at Satara latest by 3.00 a.m. on 03.09.2005;
- iii) On 04.09.2005 the escorting party shall leave Satara latest by afternoon and thereafter bring the applicant back to Kalamba jail;
- iv) The escorting party shall be in plain
 clothes.
- 3. Application is disposed of in terms of the above order.
