IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY BENCH AT AURANGABAD

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 2768 OF 2013 IN CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 225 OF 2013

Santosh Hanumandas Khandelwal

...Applicant

versus

The State of Maharashtra

...Respondent

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Mr. A. L. Tikle, advocate for the applicant

Mr. S. K. Tambe, APP for respondent-State

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CORAM: R. M. BORDE J.

(VACATION COURT)

DATED: 31st MAY, 2013

PER COURT :-

1. The applicant was prosecuted for commission of offences punishable under Sections 307, 324, 341 and 506 of I.P.C. At the conclusion of trial, the applicant has been held guilty for the offences punishable under Sections 324 and 341 of I.P.C. and has been sentenced to suffer R.I. for two years and to pay fine of Rs.3000/- i/d to suffer R. I. for two months for commission of offence punishable under section 324. He is sentenced to suffer R.I. for one month and to pay fine of Rs.500/- in default to suffer R.I. for ten days for the offence punishable under Section 341 of I.P.C.

- 2. Since the appeal is not likely to be taken up for final hearing in near future, the applicant deserves to be released on bail by suspending the substantive sentence of imprisonment imposed against him. The application is therefore, allowed.
- 3. Pending the final hearing and disposal of criminal appeal, the substantiative sentence of imprisonment imposed against the applicant shall stand suspended and the applicant is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.25,000/- with one surety for the like amount. Bail before trial court.

(R. M. BORDE, J.)

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