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The High Court Of Madhya Pradesh

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(KAYYUM Vs THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH)

Jabalpur, Dated : 29-03-2019

Shri K.S. Rajput, learned counsel for the appellant.

Shri Mahendra Choubey, learned G.A. for the respondent No.1/State.

Case diary perused and arguments heard.

This first criminal appeal has been filed under Section 14 (A) of SC/ST

(Prevention of Atrocities) Act 1989 against the order dated 21/02/2019

passed by Special Judge, SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, Khandwa in

Bail Application No. 29/2019, whereby learned Special Judge rejected the bail

application filed by appellant under Section 439 of Cr.P.C. to get bail in

Crime No.29/2019 registered at Police Station Khalwa, district Khandwa for

the offence punishable under Sections 366, 376 of IPC and Section 3(2)(v)

of the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act.

As per prosecution case on 26/01/2019 the applicant abducted the

prosecutrix and took her to Indore on the pretext of marriage, where he

kept her in his relative house and committed rape with her. The Police

registered Crime No.29/2019 for the offence punishable under Sections 366,

376 of IPC and Section 3(2)(v) of the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act

and investigated the matter. During investigation on 30/01/2019, Police

arrested the appellant. On that appellant filed application under Section 439 of

Cr.P.C. for releasing him on bail, which was rejected by the learned Special

Judge, SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, Khandwa, vide order dated

21/02/2019 in Bail Application No.29/2019. Being aggrieved from that order

appellant has preferred this appeal.

Learned counsel for the appellant submitted that the appellant is

innocent and has falsely been implicated in this matter. The prosecutrix was

major and went with the applicant on her own will. The appellant is in

custody since 30/01/2019 and conclusion of trial will take time, so appellant

be released on bail.

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Learned counsel for the State opposed the prayer and submitted that

the applicant abducted the prosecutrix and committed rape with her on the

pretext of marriage, so he should not be released on bail.

Looking to the facts and circumstances of the case and keeping in

view that the prosecutrix was major on the date of incident, so as to the

fact that the appellant is in custody since 30/01/2019 and conclusion of trial

will take considerable time, without commenting on merit the appeal is

allowed. It is directed that the appellant be released on bail upon his

furnishing personal bond in the sum of Rs.50,000/ (Rupees Fifty Thousand

only) with one solvent surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of Trial

Court.

This order will remain operative subject to compliance of the following

conditions by the appellant:-

1. The appellant will comply with all the terms and conditions of the bond

executed by him;

2. The appellant will cooperate in the trial;

3. The appellant will not indulge himself in extending inducement, threat or

promise to any person acquainted with the fact of the case so as to dissuade

him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to the Police Officer, as the

case may be;

4. The appellant shall not commit an offence similar to the offence of which

he is accused;

5. The appellant will not seek unnecessary adjournments during the trial; and

6. The appellant will not leave India without previous permission of the

trial Court.

Accordingly, appeal is disposed of.

C.C. as per rules.

(RAJEEV KUMAR DUBEY) JUDGE

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