IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY NAGPUR BENCH: NAGPUR

L.D.V.C. CRIMINAL APPLICATION (ABA) NO. 628 OF 2020

Pramila w/o Ramesh Salwe and another ..vs..
State of Maharashtra, thr. P.S.O.

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram, appearances, Court's orders of directions and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Shri A.J. Thakkar, Advocate for applicants. Shri A.M. Joshi, A.P.P. for State

CORAM: VINAY JOSHI, J. DATED: 31/07/2020

Hearing was conducted through Video Conferencing and the learned Counsel agreed that the audio and visual quality was proper.

- 2. The applicants are apprehending to be arrested in Crime No. 225 of 2020 registered at Amdapur Police Station, District Buldhana for the offence punishable under Sections 323, 326, 307, 504, 506, 34 of the Indian Penal Code.
- 3. At the instance of F.I.R. dated 25.05.2020, the crime was registered against the several persons. It is alleged that there was quarrel between neighborer in which some of the co-accused beated victims by means of sticks and iron rod. The F.I.R. no where discloses the name of the applicants nor obviously their role in the episode. While resisting the bail, the learned A.P.P. submitted that supplementary statement of informant was recorded on 29.06.2020 in which it is stated that both the applicants have dealt a blow by stick to the victim. Two co-accused

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who have actually assaulted by means of weapons were arrested and released on bail. F.I.R. is lodged by eyewitness, however, there is no role nor name of the applicants is mentioned.

4. Considering the facts that supplementary statement was belatedly recorded. I find it appropriate to grant pre-arrest protection to the applications. Therefore, the Criminal Applications stands allowed and Ad-interim protection granted by this Court vide order dated 07.07.2020 is hereby made absolute on the same terms and conditions.

The Criminal Application stands disposed of accordingly.

5. This order be communicated to the Counsel appearing for the parties, either on the email address or on WhastApp or by such other mode, as is permissible in law.

JUDGE

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