

Rakesh Kakasaheb Suryawanshi vs The State Of Maharashtra on 12 August, 2021

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION NO.1808 OF 2021

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| Rakesh Kakasaheb Suryawanshi | .. Applicant |
| Versus | |
| The State of Maharashtra | .. Respondent |

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Mr. Rakesh S. Patil for the applicant.
Mrs. Rutuja Ambekar, APP for the State.

CORAM: BHARATI DANGRE, J.

DATED : 12th AUGUST, 2021 P.C:-

1 The offence invoked in the C.R in which the applicant is arraigned as Accused no.2 is under Section 188, 272, 273, and 328 of the IPC read with Section 59 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006. The vehicle being driven by accused no.1 was intercepted and it was found to contain Vimal Pan Masala packed in a gunny bag and the total packets are 1456, along with some prohibited substance in form of RND Pan Masala as well as scented tobacco is also found in the gunny bag.

The driver of the vehicle disclose that the substance is being transported at the instance of the present applicant.

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The applicant, on the other hand, rely on a document

executed on 31st March 2021, by which the vehicle has been put in possession of the present applicant for a period of three months.

3 Learned APP do not have any instructions about the said aspect of the matter and therefore, she seek time. Learned APP also to ascertain whether the applicant is involved in similar nature of offence in the past.

4 Stand over to 18th August 2021.

5 In the mean time, applicant shall not be arrested.

SMT. BHARATI DANGRE, J Tilak