

Suraj Harish Thakkar vs The State Of Maharashtra on 17 October, 2022

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Bench: Bharati Dangre

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
ANTICIPATORY BAIL APPLICATION NO.2896 OF 2022
Suraj Harish Thakkar .. Applicant
Versus
The State of Maharashtra .. Respondent

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Mr.S.K.Ali i/b Mr.Khainat Shaikh for the Applicant.
Ms.A.A.Takalkar, A.P.P. for the State/Respondent.
API Dattatray Sanap, attached to Manpada Police Station,
present.

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CORAM: BHARATI DANGRE, J.
DATED : 17th OCTOBER, 2022

P.C:-

1. The applicant is apprehending his arrest in C.R.No.736 of 2022, which invoke Sections 328, 272, 273 of I.P.C. and Sections 26(2)(i), 26(2)(iv), 27(3)(e) and 30(2)(a) of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006.
2. Learned A.P.P. states that though the applicant is not named in the F.I.R., his name has surfaced from the co-accused, who has alleged that he is the supplier of the prohibited substance. The prosecution has apprehended the driver of the vehicle and also the person, who is said to be the owner of the goods. It is this accused, who has disclosed the

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name of the applicant, as the supplier.

Considering the legal

scenario revolving around Section 328 of I.P.C., I deem it

appropriate to protect the applicant by the following ad-

interim order.

: ORDER :

(a) In the event of arrest in connection with C.R.No.736 of 2022 registered with Manpada Police Station, applicant-Suraj Harish Thakkar shall be released on bail on furnishing P.R. Bond to the extent of Rs.25,000/- with one or two sureties in the like amount.

(b) The applicant shall report to the concerned police station on Thursday between 3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. for a period of two weeks and, thereafter, as and when called for.

(c) The applicant shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing the facts to Court or any Police Officer and shall not tamper with evidence.

3. List the application on 23/11/2022.

(SMT. BHARATI DANGRE, J.) M.M.Salgaonkar