Narayan Laxman Jhadokar And 4 Others vs The State Of Mha. Thr. Pso Ps Hiwarkheda ... on 7 February, 2023

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

NAGPUR BENCH, NAGPUR.

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (APL) NO.96 OF 2023

[Narayan Laxman Jhadokar and Ors. ..V/s.. The State of Maharashtra.]

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

Court's or Judge's order

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Shri M. N. Ali, Advocate for the Applicants.

CORAM : VINAY JOSHI AND VALMIKI SA MENEZES, JJ.

DATE: 7th FEBRUARY, 2023.

Heard.

- 2. This is an application seeking to quash First Information Report (FIR) in Crime No.329 of 2022, registered with Hiwarkhed Police Station, District Akola, for the offences punishable under Sections 188, 272, 273 and 328 read with Section 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (IPC) and Sections 26(2)(i), 26(2)(iv), 27(3)(d), 27(3)(e), 30(2)(a) of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006.
- 3. It is submitted that the issue regarding applicability of Section 328 of the IPC to the cases pertaining to seizure of Gutkha/Pan Masala is pending for adjudication before the Hon'ble Supreme Court.
- 4. Issue notice to Non-Applicant, returnable after four weeks. Shri Doifode, learned Additional Public Prosecutor, waives notice for Non-Applicant/State.
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- 5. In the meantime, if charge-sheet has been filed, Applicants are at liberty to amend the application.

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(VALMIKI SA MENEZES, J.) (VINAY JOSHI, J.) TAMBE Digitally Signed By:ASHISH ASHOKRAO TAMBE Personal Assistant to Hon'ble JUDGE Signing Date:08.02.2023 14:47