

MHNS050012332026



**Cri.M.A. No. 53/2026**  
**Lina Anantrao Ranshur Vs State**

**ORDER PASSED BELOW EXH. 01**

Perused the application and say of learned APP and Investigating Officer.

**02.** This is an application to release the vehicle i.e. Mahindra Company JEETO PLUS 16 BSVI bearing registration No. **MH 15 JC 0324**, Chassis No. **MA1KP2UGEN3D55598**, Engine No. **UGN3D90915** seized in crime No. 48/2026. It is submitted by the applicant that she is the owner of the seized vehicle. The applicant runs her family's livelihood by giving the said vehicle on rental basis. If it is kept in Police Station the value of the property will be deteriorated. Hence, she prayed to release the said vehicle.

**03.** Learned A.P.P. has filed her say and submitted that, the said muddemal is seized under the offence punishable under section 5, 5-A, 5-B, 9 of the Maharashtra Animal Protection Act, 1995. According to the provisions of the Animal Protection Act, vehicles used in such offences are liable to be confiscated. It is necessary to present the said vehicle in court during trial. If the seized vehicle is handover to the applicant, there is

possibility of destroying evidence, changing the nature of vehicle and again doing same kind of offence. Hence, she prayed to reject the application. Investigating Officer have no objection to release the said vehicle under appropriate terms and conditions. Hence, he prayed to pass necessary order.

**04.** Heard both sides. Perused the documents viz. Copy of F.I.R., Panchanama, Insurance policy of the said vehicle, Verified copy of R.C. Book of the said vehicle, Adhar Card of the applicant at Exh. 3. On perusal of these documents, it appears that the applicant Lina Anantrao Ranshur is the registered owner of the said vehicle. The applicant is ready to abide all terms and conditions. The applicant seems to be entitled to receive the said vehicle. No purpose would be served in keeping the seized vehicle at police station.

**05.** Considering the nature of the seized vehicle, its protection, guarding and safe custody is not reasonably practicable in the open premises of the police station. The seized property may lose its worth and value if kept in the open premises of the police station. So far as the apprehension of the Ld. APP is concerned, the same can be taken care of by imposing appropriate conditions. In the result, the following order is passed.

**ORDER**

1. The application is allowed. The vehicle namely Mahindra Company JEETO PLUS 16 BSVI bearing registration No. **MH 15 JC 0324**, Chassis No. **MA1KP2UGEN3D55598**, Engine No. **UGN3D90915** seized in crime No. 48/2026 registered with Nashik-Road police station be handed over to the applicant **Lina Anantrao Ranshur** on executing an indemnity bond of Rs.2,00,000/- (Two Lakh) only.
2. The applicant to undertake that, she shall not create third party interest in the property. She shall not make any alteration and change in the seized property. She shall produce the said vehicle before the court as and when required.
3. Applicant is directed to take photographs of the vehicle from each side at the cost of the applicant and I.O. is directed to prepare a panchanama before handing over the possession of the vehicle to the applicant. I.O is further directed to file said photographs and panchanama along with final report.

**Date:- 18.03.2026**

Sd/-  
( **N. K. Meshram** )  
**Judicial Magistrate, First Class**  
**(Court No. 2) Nashik-Road**