



Order Below Exh.33
(In Sessions Case No.158/2022)

1. Present application is filed by accused Ebin Baby Samuel for grant of permission to renew his passport. Applicant is accused in C.R. No.267/2016 registered at Khopoli Police Station, Dist. Raigad for offences punishable under section 353, 332, 336, 338, 160, 147, 148, 149, 186, 188, 504 and 506 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and u/s. 135 r/w 37(1)(3) of Maharashtra Police Act, 1949.
2. In application, Applicant has pleaded that he needs renewal of passport for his business purpose and to travel around the world. Say of Ld. A.P.P. was called upon. Say is filed overleaf the said application. Prosecution has strongly objected the application on the ground that to which country Applicant will visit and for what period is not mentioned in the application.
3. Heard Ld. Adv. for the Applicant/accused and Ld. Addl. P. P of the State of Maharashtra.
4. Applicant is residing at Khopoli. By this application, Applicant is seeking permission to renew his passport. Applicant has filed photocopy of his passport which shows that its date of expiry is 06/11/2023. If facts are considered then there is no ground for rejecting his prayer. The citizen of India has right to move anywhere he wishes and Article 19



and 21 of Constitution of India permits traveling as fundamental right subject to certain restrictions. Considering the nature of case and offence, it would be proper to grant permission to Applicant to renew his passport. Hence, I pass following order.

:: ORDER ::

1. Application is allowed.
2. This Court has no objection for renewal of passport of accused Ebin Baby Samuel as per rules.
3. Accused shall not travel abroad without prior permission of this Court.

Panvel,
Dated :- 16/09/2023

Sd/-
(S. C. Shinde)
Addl. Sessions Judge
Panvel, Dist.-Raigad