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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**CRR No. 589 of 2016**

1. Sunil Singh S/o Rameshwar Singh Aged About 22 Years R/o Village Pasal P.S. Bhaiyathan District - Surajpur Chhattisgarh
2. Ramchandra Khairwar S/o Late Dev Sharan Khairwar, Aged About 35 Years, R/o Village Bhanwarkhoh, P.S. - Oodgi District - Surajpur Chhattisgarh

---- Applicant**Versus**

- State of Chhattisgarh, Through In Charge of Police Station - Surajpur, District - Surajpur Chhattisgarh

---- Respondent

01/07/2016	Ms. Soniya Kuldeep, counsel for the applicants. Ms. M. Asha, Panel Lawyer for the State. Heard on admission. Admit. Counsel for the applicants submits that record has already been summoned in Criminal Revision No. 543/2016. Also heard on I.A. No.1, which is an application for suspension of sentence and grant of bail to the applicants. The applicants has been convicted for the offence punishable under Section 51(1-A) of the Wild Life Protection Act and sentenced to RI for 3 years and to pay fine of Rs. 10000/- each with default stipulations vide order dated 06/06/2016 passed by the Second Additional Sessions Judge, Surajpur (C.G.) in Criminal Appeal No. 14/15.	



Counsel for the applicants submits that the present applicants are in jail since 23/01/2014 and as such they have already remained in jail about 2½ years and the sentence awarded is that of 3 years. She further submits that in the instance case co-accused namely Rajesh Kumar Tiwari had already been enlarged on bail in Criminal Revision No. 543/2016.

Considering the fact that the applicants are in jail since 23/01/2014 and other co-accused had already been granted bail, this Court is of the opinion that it is a fit case where the applicants can be enlarged on bail.

Accordingly, I.A. No. 1 is allowed.

It is directed that the substantive jail sentence imposed upon the applicants shall remain suspended during pendency of the present criminal revision and they shall be released on bail on their furnishing a personal bond in the sum of Rs.25,000/- with one surety in the like sum to the satisfaction of the concerned trial Court for their appearance before the Registry of this Court on **19/09/2016** and thereafter before the concerned trial Court on a date to be fixed by the Registry and thereafter on all such subsequent dates as would be given by that Court till final disposal of this appeal.

List it for final hearing in due course.

Sd/-
(**P. Sam Koshy**)
Judge