

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

Order Sheet

Criminal Appeal No. 718 of 2016

Puneshwar Yadav, S/o. Chhabilal Yadav, aged about 32 years, R/o. Village Donardeori, Police Station & Post Kurud, Civil & Revenue District Dhamtari (C.G.)

---- Applicant

Versus

The State Of Chhattisgarh Through Police Station Kurud, Civil & Revenue District Dhamtari (C.G.)

---- Non-applicant

01/06/2016	Shri Kunal Das, counsel for the applicant. Shri Dhiraj Kumar Wankhede, Govt. Advocate for the State. Heard. Admit. Call for the record of court below. Also heard on I.A. No.01/2016, which is an application for suspension of sentence and for grant of bail to the appellant during pendency of the appeal. The accused/applicant has been convicted for the commission of offence under Section 354 of the Indian Penal Code & Section 3(1)(Xi) of the Scheduled Caste & Scheduled Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities) Act (for short	

	'SC/ST Act") and sentenced him to undergo rigorous imprisonment for three years with fine of ₹ 1,000/- u/S 354 IPC, to undergo rigorous imprisonment for three years with fine of Rs.1,000/- u/S 3(1)(XI) of the SC/ST Act, plus default stipulations. Both the sentences were ordered to run concurrently. Taking into consideration the fact that applicant was on bail during trial and that by the impugned order, maximum sentence awarded to the applicant is of three years, the application (I.A. No.1/2016) is allowed. It is directed that the jail sentence imposed upon the applicant shall remain suspended during pendency of the appeal and he shall be released on bail on his furnishing a personal bond in the sum of Rs.20,000/- with one surety in the like sum to the satisfaction of the trial Court for his appearance before the concerned trial Court on 8th August, 2016 and thereafter continue to appear on all such other dates as are given to him in that behalf till the disposal of the appeal. List it for final hearing. In view of above, I.A. Nos. 2 & 3 stand disposed off. Sd/- (Manindra Mohan Shrivastava) Vacation Judge	
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