

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

Order Sheet

Criminal Appeal No. 48 of 2017

- Rakesh Kumar Tondon S/o Girdhar Tondon Aged About 24 Years R/o Praswani, Police Station- Pallari, District- Baloda Bazar- Bhatapara, Chhattisgarh.

Versus

- State Of Chhattisgarh Through S.H.O.- Pallari, District Baloda Bazar- Bhatapara, Chhattisgarh.

12.01.2017	Mr. Hemant Gupta, Counsel for the Appellant. Mr. Vinod Tekam, Panel Lawyer for the State. Heard. Admit. Call for record. Also, heard on I.A. No. 1 of 2017, application for suspension of sentence and grant of bail. The Appellant has been convicted for the offence punishable under Sections 354 and 451 IPC to undergo RI for 2 years, 6 months and to pay fine of Rs. 1000/-, 500/- respectively with default stipulations vide order dated 27.12.2016 passed by the Additional Sessions Judge (F.T.C.), Baloda Bazar- Bhatapara in Special Sessions Trial No. 31/2016. Taking into consideration the short sentence of two years imposed upon the Appellant and the fact that he has been granted temporary bail by the Court below, this Court is of the opinion that the present is a fit case to suspend the jail sentence and grant him bail.	

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

It is directed that the jail sentence imposed upon the Appellant shall remain suspended during the pendency of this appeal and he shall be released on bail on furnishing a personal bond in the sum of Rs. 25000/- with one surety in like sum to the satisfaction of the concerned trial Court. The appellant is directed to appear before the trial Court on each and every date given to him by the said Court till disposal of this appeal.

List this case for final hearing in due course.

Sd/-

**P. Sam Koshy
Judge**