

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

Order Sheet

Criminal Appeal No. 1532 of 2016

Jagannath Sahu, S/o Tulsi Ram Sahu, aged 49 years, R/o Village Aamner, Police Station-
Abhanpur, District Raipur (C.G.)

... Appellant

Versus

State of Chhattisgarh, through Police Station Abhanpur, District Raipur (C.G.)

... Respondent

13/12/2016	Mr. Suresh Tandan, Advocate, for the Appellant. Mr. V.K. Netam, Panel Lawyer, for the State. Heard on admission. Admit. Call for the records of the case. Also heard on I.A. No.1, which is an application for suspension of sentence and grant of bail to the Appellant. The Appellant stands convicted and sentenced to undergo R.I. for 1 year and to pay fine of Rs.200/- with default stipulation under Section 451 of IPC and also to undergo R.I. for 1 year and to pay fine of Rs.200/- with default stipulation under Section 354 of IPC, as ordered on 26.11.2016 by the Special Judge (Atrocities Act), Raipur, in Special Sessions Trial No. 48 of 2014. Taking into consideration the short period of sentence imposed upon the Appellant and also taking note of the fact that the present appeal is of the year 2016 and there is no likelihood of its early final hearing, this Court is of the opinion that a strong case is made out for grant of bail to the Appellant. Accordingly, I.A. No.1 is allowed.	

It is directed that in case the Appellant deposits the entire fine amount and thereafter furnishes a personal bond for a sum of **Rs.25,000/- with one surety** of like amount to the satisfaction of the concerned Trial Court then the execution of the substantive jail sentences awarded to him shall remain suspended during pendency of the present criminal appeal and he shall be released on bail for his appearance before the Registry of this Court on **30.1.2017**. The Appellant shall thereafter continue to appear before the Registry of this Court on all such subsequent dates as are given to him by the Registry in this regard, till disposal of the criminal appeal.

List for final hearing in due course.

Sd/-
(P. Sam Koshy)
JUDGE

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