

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

Anticipatory Bail Application No.863 of 2025

Poonam Bhimrao Bhosale @ Jadhav ... Applicant

versus

The State of Maharashtra and Anr ... Respondents

Mr Harshad Bhadbhade, a/w. Ms Nikita Mandaniyan, Ms Shagufa Patel and Mr Dileep Satale, i/b. SHB Legal, for the applicant.

Mr Pankaj Deokar, APP, for respondent No.1/ State.

Coram: R.N. Laddha, J.

Date: 9 June 2025.

P.C.:

. The learned APP, upon instructions, informs the Court that the Investigating Officer has served notice in the present matter to respondent No.2. However, none present for respondent No.2.

2. The learned Counsel for the applicant submits that the FIR does not contain any allegation that the applicant either induced the complainant to make payments to the finance company or personally received any amount from the complainant. The applicant was merely an employee of the

company and had no role in the financial dealings between the complainant and the accused company. As reflected in the record, the complainant's initial investment was made at the instance of Shobha Jainavar, not the applicant.

3. The learned APP seeks an accommodation to take further instructions. In the meantime, no coercive action shall be taken against the applicant until the next date.

4. Stand over to **9 July 2025**. Leave to annex the additional documents.

(R.N. Laddha, J.)