

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 735 OF 2015
WITH
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 736 OF 2015

Ajay Vitthal Desai ...Appellant

vs.

Ravindra Madhukar Dhekane and Anr. ...Respondents

Mr.Rohan P. Surve:-	Advocate for Appellant in both Criminal Appeals.
Mr.V.N.Sagare:-	APP for Respondent No.2–State.

CORAM : S. M. MODAK, J.

DATE : 9th MAY 2024

P. C. :-

1. Learned Advocate Shri.Surve is having instructions to settle the matters if the Respondent No.1 agrees to pay the amount along with the interest.
2. The Appeals are already admitted. Thereafter, there is no appearance on behalf of Respondent No.1. Whether the Respondent No.1 is ready to agree to the terms or not, can be ascertained only when an appearance is secured.

3. Let the matters be referred to Mediation. If no solution is found, rights of the parties to argue the Appeals are intact. The Respondent No.1 is residing at Pune, so better to refer this matter to Mediation Committee at Mumbai.

4. Hence, following order:-

ORDER

- (i) Let these two Appeals be referred to the Dy.Registrar Mediation High Court at **Mumbai** for mediation.
 - (ii) Let the Appellant to appear before the Mediation Committee at Mumbai on **6th June 2024**.
 - (iii) Let the Mediator to issue notice to the parties and conduct meetings and then, submit a report within statutory period.
5. Matters be listed for “**Compliance**” on **9th July 2024**.

[S. M. MODAK, J.]