

Court No. - 50

Case :- CRIMINAL APPEAL No. - 297 of 1984

Appellant :- Virendra And Ors.

Respondent :- State of U.P.

Counsel for Appellant :- Yogendra Pratap, Awadhesh Kumar Malviya, Gajendra Pratap, Rajesh Pandey

Counsel for Respondent :- A.G.A.

Hon'ble Arvind Kumar Mishra-I,J.

Hon'ble Naveen Srivastava,J.

Heard learned counsel for the appellant, learned A.G.A. for the State and perused the material available on record.

Bailable warrant was previously issued by this Court against the surviving accused-appellants no. 1, 2, 3 and 5, namely, Virendra, Sugreeva, Bhaya Ram and Ram Murat. Pursuant thereto, they appear before the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ghazipur and obtained bail. In that regard, an affidavit of compliance has also been filed by the aforesaid accused-appellants.

It so happened that the date for personal appearance of the aforesaid accused-appellants was fixed for 19th January, 2021 and in those days, due to prevalence of COVID-19, the entry of the outsiders, except the learned counsels, were not permitted inside the High Court premises.

Now, the submission of learned counsel for the appellants is that the aforesaid accused-appellants have already been released on bail, the personal appearance of aforesaid accused-appellants may be exempted by this Court.

Considering the prevailing facts and circumstances of this case, personal appearance is hereby exempted and the appellants shall remain be present through their counsel Sri A.K. Malviya, unless their presence is directed by this Court.

Put up this case on 21.10.2021, as unlisted, for final hearing.

Order Date :- 21.9.2021

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