

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl) No(s).904/2006

(From the judgement and order dated 22/12/2005 in CRLA No. 46/2000 & CRLA No. 789/2001 of The

HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY)

AJAY PANDIT @ JAGDISH DAYABHAI PATEL&ANR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF MAHARASHTRA

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for exemption from filing c/c of the impugned Judgment, ex-parte stay and office report)

Date: 06/03/2006 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK BHAN

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE LOKESHWAR SINGH PANTA

For Petitioner(s)

Mr. Sushil Karanjkar, Adv.

Mr. K.N. Rai, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

Issue notice on sentence only.

The trial Court had awarded life imprisonment in two separate cases

for the

murder of two different persons. The petitioner challenged the order in the High

Court

by filing two separate appeals. State did not file any appeal for enhancement of the

sentence. The High Court, while dismissing the appeal, has enhanced the sentence to

death penalty. Though, against the order of conviction we do not find any substance on

merits in this petition but we issue notice on sentence.

Till then execution is stayed.

(RAVI P. VERMA)

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Court Master

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