

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.2491 OF 2009

MAHADEVA @ KOTA

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF KARNATAKA

Respondent(s)

O R D E R

Heard learned counsel for the parties at length.

After going through the impugned judgment of the High Court as well as Trial Court and the documents and evidence on record, we find that the view taken by the Trial Court and affirmed by the High Court regarding the finding of guilt against the appellant is a plausible view.

Considering the circumstances established by the prosecution during the trial, we do not wish to deviate from the view as taken by the two courts below. Hence, the Criminal Appeal is dismissed.

We appreciate the sincere effort of the learned Amicus Curiae Shri A. Venayagam Balan to espouse the cause of the appellant. We also appreciate the able assistance given by learned counsel for the State Shri Joseph Aristotle S..

Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

.....J
(A.M. KHANWILKAR)

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(DINESH MAHESHWARI)

New Delhi
July 24, 2019

ITEM NO.101

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SECTION II-C

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(PART-HEARD BY HON'BLE A.M. KHANWILKAR AND HON'BLE DINESH
MAHESHWARI ,JJ.)

Date : 24-07-2019 This appeal was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.M. KHANWILKAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH MAHESHWARI

For Appellant(s)

Mr. A. Venayagam Balan, AOR

For Respondent(s)

Mr. Joseph Aristotle S., AOR
Mrs. Priya Aristotle, Adv.
Mr. Rijuk Sarkar, Adv.UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

The Criminal Appeal is dismissed in terms of the signed order.

Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(DEEPAK SINGH)
COURT MASTER (SH)(VIDYA NEGI)
COURT MASTER (NSH)

[Signed order is placed on the file]