

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl) No(s).3915/2008

(From the judgement and order dated 17/03/2008 in CRLA No. 270/2008 of The
HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY)

SURESH J CHAWDA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF MAHARASHTRA & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for exemption from filing c/c of the impugned Judgment,exemption
from filing O.T.,stay of arrest)

Date: 16/05/2008 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE Dr. JUSTICE ARIJIT PASAYAT
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P. SATHASIVAMFor Petitioner(s) Mr. Shree Prakash Sinha,Adv.
Mr. Vijay Kumar,Adv.
Mr. Shekhar Kumar,Adv.

For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
ORDER

Heard.

We are not inclined to accept the prayer for protection in
terms of Section 438 Cr.P.C. The special leave petition is,
accordingly, dismissed. However, if the petitioner surrenders
before the concerned court and moves for bail, the court would do
well to dispose of the

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application on the day it is presented. Needless to say that before
the application for bail is moved, the prosecuting agency shall be
given intimation as to the date on which the bail application is
proposed to be moved. Our rejecting prayer to extend the benefit in
terms of Section 438 Cr.P.C. shall not be construed as if we have

expressed any opinion on the merits of the case.

(Vijay Aggarwal)
Court Master

(Neena Verma)
AR-cum-PS