

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).4645/2012

(From the judgement and order dated 26/04/2012 in CRLA No.561/2012 of The HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY)

MAHESH PRAKASH AHUJA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF MAHARASHTRA &amp; ANR.

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for exemption from filing O.T.,bail,permission to file additional documents)

Date: 14/09/2012 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AFTAB ALAM

HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE RANJANA PRAKASH DESAI

For Petitioner(s)

Mr. Raju Ramachandran, Sr. Adv.

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Ms. Anagha S.Desai,Adv.

For Respondent(s)

Proxy counsel for

Ms. Asha Gopalan Nair ,Adv

Mr.Gaurav Agrawal,Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

Heard Mr. Raju Ramachandran, learned senior counsel appearing for the petitioner, the State counsel and Mr. Gaurav Agrawal, counsel appearing for the informant.

The special leave petition is dismissed.

We, however, note that the High Court while dismissing the petitioner's bail application had directed the trial to proceed expeditiously.

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We are, however, informed that no charges have been framed as yet. The charge-sheet in the case was submitted on June 28, 2011 and the case was committed to the Court of Sessions on July 11, 2011. We see no reason why charges are not framed so far despite the High Court order for an expeditious trial. We direct the trial court to frame the charges against the petitioner within a fortnight from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and conclude the trial without any undue delay.

|(Neetu Khajuria)

|(Sneh Bala Mehra)

|Sr.P.A.

|Court Master