

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 1901 OF 2021

Rashmi Uday Shukla

...Petitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Ors.

...Respondents

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Mr. Mahesh Jethmalani, Senior Advocate a/w. Ms. Gunjan Mangla, Mr. Ravi Sharma, Mr. Utsav Trivedi i/by. Mr. Sameer P. Nangre for Petitioner.

Mr. Anil C. Singh, ASG a/w. Mr. Sandesh Patil, Mr. Aditya Thakkar and Mr. D.P. Singh for Respondent No. 3- CBI.

Mr. Darius Khambata, Senior Advocate, a/w. Mr. J.P. Yagnik, APP for State.

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**CORAM : S. S. SHINDE &
N. J. JAMADAR, JJ.**

DATE : 21st AUGUST, 2021.

P.C.:

1. This petition was listed time to time since 6th May, 2021. All the parties were represented through their respective counsels from the first date of listing.

2. Mr. Jethmalani, the learned Senior Advocate for the Petitioner advanced his arguments on a couple of dates and he has concluded his arguments, today.

3. We called upon Mr. Khambata, the learned Senior Advocate for the Respondent-State to advance his arguments. Upon hearing Mr. Khambata

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we noticed that the State has yet not filed affidavit in reply and dealt with factual assertions in the petition. We, therefore, deem it appropriate to defer the hearing of this petition by two weeks.

4. Mr. Khambata, the learned Senior Advocate for Respondent-State assures this Court that the affidavit in reply will be filed on or before 4th September, 2021 and advance copy of such reply will be served upon advocate on record for the respective parties.

5. Rejoinder, if any, to be filed on or before 9th September, 2021.

6. List on 13th September, 2021, at 2.30 p.m., through video conferencing.

7. Parties are put to the notice that the matter will be heard finally, subject to time constraint and convenience of this Court.

8. Mr. Khambata, the learned Senior Advocate for Respondent-State, on instructions, submits that the statement made on behalf of Respondent-State on 6th May, 2021, shall continue to operate till 14th September, 2021.

(N. J. JAMADAR, J.)

(S. S. SHINDE, J.)

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