ITEM NO.4 COURT NO.12 SECTION II-A

## SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s). 935/2025

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 24-10-2024 in BA No. 1160/2024 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay]

SACHIN DILIP SAMBARE

Petitioner(s)

**VERSUS** 

STATE OF MAHARASHTRA

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 16745/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT) (IA No. 16746/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date: 07-03-2025 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHANSHU DHULIA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K. VINOD CHANDRAN

For Petitioner(s): Mr. Rishi Malhotra, Sr. Adv.

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

The petitioner is an accused for the offences punishable under Sections 376, 376(2),(N), 313, 417, 509 of the Indian Penal Code. His bail application was rejected by the High Court vide impugned order dated 24.10.2024. He has already undergone more than 4½ years in jail.

Considering the period of incarceration of the petitioner and the fact that the charges have not yet been framed, we are of the opinion that a case of bail is made out for the petitioner and therefore, the prayer for bail is allowed.

Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail forthwith on the usual terms and conditions to be decided by the concerned Court.

The present Special Leave Petition shall stand disposed of in the above terms along with pending application(s), if any.

(JAYANT KUMAR ARORA) ASST. REGISTRAR-CUM-PS (RENU BALA GAMBHIR) ASSISTANT REGISTRAR