No. CMM/OC/ 44 /2023 Chief Metropolitan Magistrate's Office, Esplanade, Mumbai. Date: 01.12 /2023

## **OFFICE CIRCULAR**

It is observed in all the Addl. Chief Metropolitan Magistrate's as well as Metropolitan Magistrate's Courts that many Magistrates insist on surety bond while releasing accused on bail. They release the accused on bail on cash security for temporary period and mandate the accused to furnish surety.

Similarly, many courts direct the accused to pay deposit of cash while allowing him/her to go out of India for a particular period but when the accused returns from abroad, he is entitled to get back his cash deposit from the Court.

Hence, it is requested to all the Addl. Chief Metropolitan Magistrates as well as Metropolitan Magistrates not to withheld cash deposit amount without any reason till the disposal of the case.

(M.R.A. Shaikh)
Chief Metropolitan Magistrate,
Esplanade, Mumbai.

- 1) All ACMM and Metropolitan Magistrate's Court.
- 2) The Registrar, Esplanade, Mumbai.
- 3) The Deputy Registrar, Esplanade, Mumbai.
- 4) The Assistant Registrars of Esplanade, Dadar, Bandra, Borivali.
- 5) The Office Superintendent.
- 6) The Sr. Judicial Clerk, 2<sup>nd</sup> Court, Mazgaon, Mumbai.
- 7) Head Clerk-Establishment Section
- 8) Confidential Section & 9) Circular file.