

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

**FIRST APPEAL NO.1996 OF 2009
WITH CA/2021/2022 IN FA/1996/2009**

**GOPAL LAXMINARAYAN AGRAWAL
VERSUS
SOW. REKHA GOPAL AGRAWAL**

...
Advocate for Appellant : Mr. R. B. Temak
Advocate for Respondent : Mr. A. N. Kakade
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CORAM : NITIN B. SURYAWANSHI, J.

DATE : 22ND MARCH, 2022

PER COURT :

1. By this first appeal the appellant husband challenges the judgment and decree passed by the District Judge-1, Jalna, in HMP No.16/2008, thereby rejecting the petition filed by the husband under Section 13(1)(ia) of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955. The first appeal came to be admitted vide order dated 12th August, 2009. The appellant husband and respondent wife have amicably settled their dispute out of the Court and have filed consent terms/compromise deed on record, which is signed by the appellant and respondent, who are identified by their respective advocates. As per the compromise the wife has no objection if the divorce proceedings filed by the appellant husband is allowed. It is agreed by the appellant and respondent that they shall withdraw all the proceedings filed against each other and an amount of

Rs.25 Lakhs is paid to the respondent wife by the appellant husband towards full and final settlement of future maintenance. The appellant has also handed over the *Streedhan* ornaments of the respondent wife. The appellant and respondent are present in the Court and they have confirmed the compromise.

2. In that view of the matter, the first appeal is allowed in terms of compromise deed. Decree be drawn up accordingly.

3. Civil application is also accordingly disposed off.

(NITIN B. SURYAWANSHI, J.)