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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
BAIL APPLICATION NO.2775 OF 2021

Pratik Kalyanji Keniya .. Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra .. Respondent

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Mr.Rajiv Patil, Senior Advocate with Ms.Jenny Somaiya for the Applicant.

Mr.S.V.Gavand, A.P.P. for the State/Respondent.

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CORAM: BHARATI DANGRE, J.
DATED : 20th JULY, 2022

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1. On perusal of the material compiled in the charge-sheet, when I expressed my disinclination to entertain the present application, the learned senior counsel Mr.Patil seeks permission to withdraw the same. He would, however, submit that the applicant is incarcerated since 26/12/2018 and even till date, the charge is not framed. He would submit that speedy trial is a right of every accused and this very right is being defeated, as the charge is not yet framed though almost

four years have elapsed from his arrest. He seeks liberty to renew his request for being released on bail, if the charge is not framed within one year from today. I am inclined to grant such liberty.

2. The application stands disposed off as withdrawn, with liberty as prayed for.

(SMT. BHARATI DANGRE, J.)