

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

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.27 OF 2022

Nitin s/o Laxman Sawant & ors.

... **APPLICANTS**

VERSUS

The State of Maharashtra & anr.

... **RESPONDENTS**

.....
Mr. S.R. Bagal, Advocate for applicants
Mr. R.B. Bagul, A.P.P. for respondent No.1
Mr. R.V. Gore, Advocate for respondent No.2.
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**CORAM : R.G. AVACHAT AND
SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, JJ.**

DATE : 15th JUNE, 2023

ORDER :

This application has been moved for quashment of F.I.R., registered at the instance of respondent No.2. The applicants herein are R.T.O. officials. The informant was a truck driver. The informant has come around to settle the matter. He has filed on record an affidavit and has given consent to allow this application. In these circumstances, if the applicants are required to face the prosecution, it would be an exercise in futility.

2. In view of the above, the application is allowed in terms

of prayer clause (A). The F.I.R. No.0321/2021, registered with Ramanand Police Station, Jalgaon is quashed, subject to payment of costs of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand) to be deposited by the applicants within one week in favour of NAAM Foundation, 1132-3, 2nd Floor, Vishnu Darshan, Above Rahul Medical, Fergusson College Road, Behind Lalit Mahal Hotel, Shivajinagar, Pune – 411 016 in Account No.35226127148, State Bank of India, University Road Branch, Pune.

3. List the matter for compliance of the order on 22nd June 2023.

(SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, J.)

(R.G. AVACHAT, J.)

fmp/-