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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

BAIL APPLICATION NO.2501 OF 2021

SAGAR @ SANGPAL GULABRAO JAMNIK ..APPLICANT
VS.
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND ANR. ..RESPONDENTS

Ms. Mayuri D. Hatle for the applicant.

Mr. Akshay Pai for respondent No.2.

Mr. N. B. Patil, APP for the State.

CORAM : M. S. KARNIK, J.

DATE : JANUARY 5, 2023.

P.C. :

1. Heard learned counsel for the applicant.
2. Learned counsel for the applicant seeks leave to withdraw the application. A request is made to expedite the trial as the applicant is in custody since 22/09/2020. The FIR is lodged on 28/07/2020. Considering that the applicant is in custody for more than 2 years and 3 months, the trial Court is requested to expedite the trial and conclude the same preferably within a period of six months from today. In any case, considering that the applicant is incarcerated

for this long a period, the trial Court is requested to record the evidence of the child within a period of one month from the date when this order is produced on record.

3. Liberty to apply for bail in case the trial does not substantially proceed during the period of six months from today.

4. Subject to what is observed hereinabove, the application is allowed to be withdrawn and disposed of.

5. I appreciate the assistance rendered by Mr. Pai, learned advocate, who was requested to appear on behalf of the victim.

(M. S. KARNIK, J.)