



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

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 391 OF 2024

Shaikh Rahim Mohammad Hanif
and others

.. Applicants

Versus

The State of Maharashtra and another .. Respondents

Shri Patel Shiakh Ashpak Taher, Advocate for the Applicants.

Shri K. N. Lokhande, A.P.P. for the Respondent No. 1.

Shri V. V. Deshmukh, Advocate for the Respondent No. 2.

**CORAM : MANGESH S. PATIL AND
SHAILESH P. BRAHME, JJ.**

DATE : 31 JANUARY 2024.

FINAL ORDER :

. Heard. Issue notice for final disposal to the respondents.
The learned A. P. P. waives service for the respondent No. 1. The
learned advocate waives service for the respondent No. 2.

2. The learned advocate for the respondent No. 2 in her
presence tenders across the bar affidavit sworn by her before the
Section Officer of this Court.

3. The parties are unanimous that there has been an
amicable settlement. They have severed the matrimonial ties
between the applicant No. 1 and the respondent No. 2. Since it is
a crime registered at her instance for the offences punishable

U/Sec. 498-A, 323, 504 and 506 r/w Sec. 34 of the Indian Penal Code arising out of matrimonial discord in view of her express consent, we see no impediment in quashing the crime, charge sheet and the criminal case. No public policy is involved. The criminal application is allowed.

[SHAILESH P. BRAHME, J.] [MANGESH S. PATIL, J.]

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