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

BAIL APPLICATION NO.1940 OF 2023

Shri. Popat Dhondiram Jagtap ...Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Anr. ...Respondents

Mr. Anand S. Patil, for the Applicant.

Ms. Anamika Malhotra, APP, for the Respondent-State.

Ms. Tanvi Tapkire, for the Respondent No.2.

Mr. Shivaji Jadhav, PSI, Shivaji Nagar Police Station,
Kolhapur, present.

**CORAM : MADHAV J. JAMDAR, J.
DATED : JANUARY 17, 2024**

P.C.:

- 1.** Mr. Patil, learned Counsel appearing for the Applicant after arguing the Bail Application for some time, seeks withdrawal of the same. He only requests that as the Applicant is incarcerated since 26th September 2020, the trial be expedited.
- 2.** Learned APP, on instructions, states that the charge is already framed.
- 3.** Accordingly, the learned Trial Court is requested to expedite the trial given that the Applicant is incarcerated for more than 3 years and 4 months.

4. The Applicant is granted liberty to file a fresh Bail Application after a reasonable period, if there is no progress in the trial.

5. The Bail Application is disposed of accordingly.

[MADHAV J. JAMDAR, J.]