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

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.965 OF 2023

DEVIDAS @ DEVA GHANSHYAM PAVHANE ..APPELLANT
VS.

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND ANR. ..RESPONDENTS

Adv. Harsharaj Jagtap a/w Adv. Shubham Kadam i/b. Adv.
Vishal L. Kolekar for the appellant.

Ms. S. D. Shinde, APP for the State.

Adv. Megha Bajoria for respondent No.2.

CORAM : M. S. KARNIK, J.

DATE : FEBRUARY 1, 2024

P.C. :

1. Since the charges have been framed learned counsel for the appellant, on instructions, seeks leave to withdraw the present Criminal Appeal with liberty to apply afresh after six months, if the trial does not progress substantially.

2. Leave granted.

3. The Criminal Appeal is allowed to be withdrawn with liberty as prayed for and disposed of accordingly.

4. I appreciate the valuable assistance rendered by Advocate Megha Bajoria, who appeared on behalf of respondent No.2 in this proceeding. Her engagement may

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be regularized by the Maharashtra State Legal Services Authority.

(M. S. KARNIK, J.)