

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 2553 OF 2024

IN

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 694 OF 2019

Nikhil Kamlakar Wadhavkar

... Applicant

Versus

Union of India and Ors.

... Respondents

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Mr. Sushan Mhatre i/b. Kripashankar Pandey, Advocate for the Applicant.

Mr. D.P.Singh, Advocate for Respondent No.3.

Mr. Shrikant Yadav, APP for Respondent No.4.

CORAM : SHIVKUMAR DIGE, J.

DATED : 12th NOVEMBER, 2024.

P.C. :

1. Heard learned counsel for the applicant, learned counsel for respondent No.3 and learned counsel for respondent No.4.
2. Learned counsel for respondent No.3-passport authority submits that application for renewal of passport was filed in the year 2022. Let the applicant be filed fresh application and on the said application the passport authority will pass appropriate order on merits.
3. Considering the submission of learned counsel for respondent No.3, learned counsel for applicant on instructions seeks leave to withdraw this appeal with liberty to file fresh application for renewal of passport before the passport authority i.e. respondent No.3 with liberty to file

application for issuance of passport as per the provisions of Passport Act.

4. Considering the submission of learned counsel for the applicant, permission is granted. Application is allowed to be withdrawn with the aforesaid liberty.

5. Interim Application is disposed of.

(SHIVKUMAR DIGE, J.)

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