



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

963 CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 1407 OF 2023

Karunabai Nivrutti Salve And Others
VERSUS
The State Of Maharashtra And Another

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Mr. Prakash S. Paranjape, Advocate for Applicant
Mr. P. K. Lakhotiya, APP for Respondents/State
Ms. Ashwini Lomte, Advocate for Respondent No.2.(appointed)

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CORAM : R. G. AVACHAT AND
ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, JJ.

DATED : NOVEMBER 20, 2025

P.C.:

1. Heard. Respondent No.2/informant filed affidavit giving her consent to allow the present application. The affidavit has been duly sworn in before a notary public. A copy of decree of dissolution of marriage with the consent of parties has also been placed on record. One of the terms therein suggest Respondent No.2/Respondent agreed to give consent for quashing of the criminal proceedings initiated at her behest.

2. The offenses alleged to have been committed by the applicants are punishable under Section 498-A, 354-A and allied Sections. Considering the nature of offences and the fact that the marital relationship between the applicant No.1 and Respondent No.2 informant have been dissolved with a decree of divorce, wherein Respondent No.2 had agreed to withdraw all the Criminal Cases instituted at her behest, we allow the application in terms of prayer clause (B).

3. Applicant No.1 to pay sum of Rs.8,000/- towards fee of the learned Advocate appointed to represent the cause of Respondent No.2 herein.

4. With this direction, Criminal Application stands disposed of.

[ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, J.]

[R. G. AVACHAT, J.]