



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAL (PVT) NO.62 OF 2025

Ashok Pandurang Sonawane

...Applicant

V/s.

Rohidas Ramdas Pawar and Anr.

...Respondents

Mr. S.R. Page with Ms. Archana Joglekar for the Applicant.

Mr. Girish Agarwal through VC for Respondent No.1

Mr. Vinit Kulkarni, APP for Respondent No.2-State.

CORAM: SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.

DATED: 26 NOVEMBER 2025.

P.C.:

1) The learned counsel appearing for the Applicant/Appellant, on instructions, seeks leave of the Court to withdraw the Application and the Appeal with liberty to file Appeal under the Proviso to Section 372 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1973/Section 413 of Bhartiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 before the Sessions Court in view of judgment of the Apex Court in *Celestium Financial Versus. A. Gnanasekaran Etc.*¹.

2) Reserving the liberty as prayed for, the Application and Appeal are permitted to be withdrawn and disposed of.

¹ 2025 SCC OnLine SC 1320

- 3) If Appeal is filed before the Sessions Court within a period of eight weeks, the Appellant/Applicant shall be entitled to the benefit of Section 14 of the Limitation Act, 1963.
- 4) Registry shall return the original certified copy of the impugned order to the Applicant.

[SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.]