

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO.5335 OF 2024

Santaram Babaji Naik

...Petitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra

...Respondent

SATISH
RAMCHANDRA
SANGAR

Digitally signed by
SATISH RAMCHANDRA
SANGAR

Date: 2025.03.15
10:24:25 +0530

Mr.Pramod Pandey – Advocate for Petitioner.

Mr.J.P.Yagnik – APP a/w Mr.Shahaji Shinde ('B' Panel Counsel)
for Respondent – State.

CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL &
S.M.MODAK, JJ.

DATE : 12th MARCH 2025

PC. :

1. Learned counsel prays for an unconditional withdrawal of this Petition. His only request is, that the trial be conducted expeditiously. The Petition is filed for quashing of the F.I.R. However, learned counsel for the Petitioner informed the Court, that the trial has progressed and two witnesses are already examined. In such situation, it is obviously not possible to quash the F.I.R.

2. His other request for directing the trial Court to conclude the trial expeditiously needs consideration because
Satish Sangar

according to the learned counsel for the Petitioner, he is suffering from a terminal disease. The request is quite reasonable. The trial Court is, therefore, directed to conclude the trial as early as possible and in any case not later than six months from today.

3. Since two witnesses are already examined, it is a part heard trial and therefore, it is the duty of the trial Court to conclude the trial expeditiously.

(S.M.MODAK, J.)

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)