

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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO.1886 OF 2024
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.1887 OF 2024
IN
CRIMINAL APPLICATION (APL) NO.918 OF 2014**

Dr. Devendra Pandurang Jadhav & Ors. ...Applicants

Vs.

The State of Maharashtra & Anr. ...Respondents

Adv. C. S. Gongane i/by Adv. Rajendra Anbhule, for the Applicants.

Ms. Supriya Kak, APP for the Respondent No.1-State.

Mr. Salman Khatib, PSI, Roha Police Station, Raigad present.

**CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL &
SHYAM C. CHANDAK, JJ.**

DATED : 24th SEPTEMBER, 2025

P.C. :-

1) Both these Applications are filed in a disposed of Criminal Application (APL) No.918 of 2014. Criminal Application was dismissed for non prosecution *vide* the Order dated 13th March, 2023. There is delay of 1 year and 42 days in filing this Application for restoration.

2) Learned Counsel for the Applicants seeks permission to withdraw both these Applications. As the Applicants want to avail the remedy of filing discharge Application before the Trial Court. Since the learned Counsel is not pressing this Restoration Application and the

corresponding condonation of delay Application, both these Applications are allowed to be withdrawn.

3) The main Application was dismissed for non prosecution and therefore, a Division Bench of this Court had not decided the matter on merits. In this view of the matter, the Applicants are at liberty to prefer an Application for discharge before the Trial Court. If such an Application is preferred, it shall be decided on its own merits in accordance with law.

4) With this observation and liberty, both these Applications are allowed to be withdrawn and are disposed of.

(SHYAM C. CHANDAK, J.)

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)