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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO.13853 OF 2025

Harish Tribhuvandas Patel ...Petitioner

Versus

The Union of India and another ...Respondents

Mr Sagar Shahani, i/b. Tejal Patil for the Petitioner.

Mr Ram Ochani, i/b. Sangeeta Yadav for Respondents.

CORAM: M.S. Sonak &
Advait M. Sethna, JJ.

DATED: 02 DECEMBER 2025

PC:-

1. Heard learned counsel for the parties.
2. After arguing the matter for some time, and given our orders in **Surendra Agarwal Vs. Union of India**¹, and connected matters, the learned counsel for the Petitioner, based on instructions from the Petitioner, seeks leave to withdraw this Petition with liberty to challenge the impugned orders (Exhibits 'A1' and 'A2') before the appropriate Forum by raising all contentions, including, those raised in this Petition.
3. We grant leave with liberty as prayed for. If the Appeal is filed within four weeks from the date of uploading of this order, the Appellate Authority must decide the Appeal on its

¹ WP/2207/2024 and connected matters decided on 24 November 2025

own merits and in accordance with law without adverting to the issue of limitation.

4. All contentions of all parties are expressly left open to be decided by the Appellate Authority in the first instance.

5. The Petition is disposed of as withdrawn with liberty in the above terms.

(Advait M. Sethna, J)

(M.S. Sonak, J)