

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 2885 OF 2025

Mr.Sumeet Lalitkumar Bhatia ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra & Ors. ... Respondents

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Mr.Ravindra Keshavrao Adsure with Mr.Sidheshwar Namdev Biradar for
the Petitioner.
Mrs.Rutuja Ambekar, APP for all the Respondents.
Mr.Viraj Kandpile for the Applicant/ Proposed Intervenor.

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**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE &
GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, JJ.**

DATE : 24th July, 2025

P.C.:-

1. Leave is granted to correct the date at page No. 18 in prayer clause 39 (a). Correction be carried out forthwith.

2. **Issue notice** to the Respondents, returnable on 25th August, 2025. The learned APP waives service of notice on behalf of all the Respondents.

3. Let the learned APP, if desired, file an affidavit-in-reply, at least, one week prior to the returnable date.

4. Office to register the Interim Application dated 23rd July, 2025, seeking intervention, and be listed along with this Petition, on the next date.

(GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)