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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 851 OF 2025

Dattatraya Nagnath Shinde

..Applicant

Vs.

The State Of Maharashtra & Anr.

..Respondents

Mr. Priyal Sarda a/w. Mr. Seema Dighe, Mr. Rajesh Ranglani & Mr. Shubham Sane for Applicant.

Mr. Ashish I. Satpute, APP for Respondent No.1-State.

CORAM : A. S. GADKARI AND
RAJESH S. PATIL, JJ.

DATE : 8th AUGUST, 2025.

PC.:-

- 1) The Superintendent of Police, Solapur, is directed to file his detailed reply to the Application.
- 2) We direct the Superintendent of Police, to explain as to why though a cognizable offence was disclosed by the Respondent No.2, the concerned Police Officer lodged Non-cognizable Report on 21st May 2024, thereby shrugging off lawful responsibility in registration of a crime. If the lodgment of the Non-cognizable Report was a right step adopted by the concerned Officer, then why after a lapse of 40 days, crime on the same set of facts is registered.

- 2.1) The said reply be filed within a period of three weeks from today.
- 3) In the meantime, issue notice to the Respondent No.2, returnable on 4th September 2025.
- 4) Hamdast permitted.

(RAJESH S. PATIL, J.)

(A.S. GADKARI, J.)