

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

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.1265 OF 2025

Viraj Ravikant Patil

.. Applicant

Vs.

State of Maharashtra & Anr.

.. Respondents

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Mr. Veerdhawal Deshmukh i/b. Mr. Ritesh Thobde,
Advocates for the Applicant

Mrs. M. M. Deshmukh, In-charge Public Prosecutor
with Mrs. Mahalaxmi Gapapathy, Additional Public
Prosecutor for Respondent No.1-State for
Respondent No.1-State.

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**CORAM : SHREE CHANDRASHEKHAR, CJ &
GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, J.**

DATE : 18th NOVEMBER 2025

P.C. :

The applicant is seeking quashing of First Information Report No.42 of 2024 lodged on 26th January 2024 with Airport Police Station, Pune. Mrs. M. M. Deshmukh, In-charge Public Prosecutor states that the cognizance has been taken and the charges have been framed and now the case has been committed to the Court of Sessions.

2. Since cognizance of the offence has been taken by the Court concerned, this criminal application shall not lie in view of the Rule 2 (II) (h) under Chapter-I of the Bombay High Court Appellate Side Rules, 1960. Therefore, reserving a liberty with the applicant to challenge the order taking cognizance, Criminal Application No.1265 of 2025 is dismissed as withdrawn.

[GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, J.]

[CHIEF JUSTICE]