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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH : NAGPUR

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (APL) NO.16 OF 2024

Syed Shoeb s/o Syed Rahim Qureshi @ Shoeb Qureshi Afsar Qureshi and
others

Vs.

State of Maharashtra, through Police Station Officer, Old City Akola and
another

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. Z. Z. Haq, Counsel for the applicants.
Ms. Sneha Dhote, APP for non-applicant No.1/State.
Mr. Syed Salman Ali, Counsel for the non-applicant No.2.

**CORAM : URMILA JOSHI-PHALKE AND
NANDESH S. DESHPANDE, JJ.
DATED : 17/09/2025**

1. The application is for quashing of the proceedings.
2. Learned Counsel Mr. Syed Salman Ali appeared for the non-applicant No.2. His Vakalatnama is taken on record along with submissions.
3. Heard learned Counsel for the applicants to some extent as the provisions under the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act are involved, we have shown our disinclination, as far as the applicant No.1 is concerned, he sought some time to address the Court by going through the observation of the Hon'ble Apex Court in **Re: Right To Privacy of Adolescents, [Suo motu Writ Petition (C) No.3 of 2023 with Criminal Appeal No.1451 of 2024, decided on 23rd May 2025]**.

4. Stand over to **26.09.2025**.

5. The applicant No.1 and non-applicant No.2 are present. They have accepted the fact that they have settled the dispute and now victim is residing along with the applicant No.1.

(NANDESH S. DESHPANDE, J) (URMILA JOSHI-PHALKE, J)