

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 516 OF 2026

Mohammad Umar @ Pascal Michel Postel And Anr. ... Petitioners
V/S.

The State Of Maharashtra And Anr. ... Respondents

Mr. Aabad Ponda, Senior Advocate a/w Om Gupte, for the
Petitioners.

Mr. Mubin Solkar a/w Tahir Hussain, Anas Shaikh, Mehrosh
Solkar, Tahera Qureshi, Zahid Burud, Hemal Shah and Yakub
Shaikh, for the Respondent No. 2.

Mr. Sukanta Karmakar, learned APP for the Respondent – State.

CORAM : ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.

DATE : 23rd March, 2026.

P.C. :

1. Mr. Aabad Ponda, learned Senior Advocate for the Petitioner submits that by Order dated 26.02.2026, at his request leave to amend the Petition to challenge the chargesheet was granted. He submits that the Petitioner No. 2 is dropped from the chargesheet. He therefore on instructions from the Petitioners craves leave to withdraw the present Petition with liberty to the Petitioner No. 1 to file composite Petition challenging the impugned FIR, chargesheet and the Order taking cognizance.

2. Request made by Mr. Aabad Ponda, is not objected to by Mr. Mubin Solkar, learned Advocate for the Respondent No. 2 and Mr. Sukanta Karmakar, learned APP for the Respondent – State.

3. In view of the no objection, leave granted to withdraw the present Petition with liberty to the Petitioner No. 1 to file appropriate proceedings as may be available in terms of law.

4. This Petition is disposed of as withdrawn.

5. All contentions of the parties are left open.

(ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.)

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