

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO. 858 OF 2026**

Thomas Manuel Dsouza And Ors.

...Petitioners

V/s.

State Of Maharashtra And Anr.

... Respondents

Mr. Vishwajeet Nimbalkar i/b Shailesh Khavat, for the Petitioners.
Mr. Tanveer Khan, APP for the State.

CORAM : ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.

DATE : 20th FEBRUARY, 2026.

P.C. :

1. This Petition is circulated in view of the grounds mentioned in the Praecipe dated 20th February, 2026. Same is taken on record and marked “X” for identification.

2. Mr. Vishwajeet Nimbalkar, learned Advocate for the Petitioners states that there is a technical error in this Petition, which requires major amendment and production of further documents. He on instructions from the Petitioners submits that instead of carrying out the amendment in the present Petition, he may be permitted to withdraw this Petition with liberty to file a fresh Petition.

3. Mr. Tanveer Khan, learned APP for the Respondent – State, does not object to the said request made by Mr. Vishwajeet Nimbalkar.

4. In view of the above, leave granted to withdraw the present Writ Petition with liberty to file appropriate proceedings as may be available in terms of law.

5. Writ Petition No. 858 of 2026 is disposed of as withdrawn.

(ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.)

ARJUN
KRISHNA
RODGE

Digitally signed by
ARJUN KRISHNA
RODGE
Date: 2026.02.25
09:13:02 +0530