



ORDER BELOW EXH.1
(Passaed On.: 09 March, 2026)

1. Hon'ble High Court, Bombay vide letter No.: B/(Gen)-1001/2026/229 dated 18.02.2026 given directions to conduct special drive to dispose of fit cases under section 256 and 258 of Cr.PC and under section 281 and 279 of BNSS. Accordingly, Hon'ble Principal District and Sessions Judge, Ahmednagar vide letter No:DLSA/795/2026 dated 18.02.2026 issued directions to hold special drive to dispose off the cases.
2. This proceeding is under section 12(a) of Maharashtra Prevention Gambling Act and is summary in nature. The accused is absent since long. The prosecution has failed to secure presence of accused by issuing summons / warrants. Therefore, there is no propriety in keeping the case pending. Hence, this is a fit case to use power conferred by section 258 of Cr.PC. Hence, I proceed to pass following order:

ORDER

1. The proceeding are hereby stopped u/s. 258 of Cr.PC.
2. The accused is hereby discharged from the offence p/u/s. Section 12(a) of Maharashtra Prevention Gambling Act.
3. The cash amount of Rs.150/- be credited to the Government after appeal period is over. The material used for playing kalyan matka being worthless be destroyed after appeal period is over.
4. The bail-bonds of the accused is canceled if any.
5. Cash security if any be refunded to accused after appeal period is over.

Date: 09.03.2026
Pathardi

(Shirishkumar D. Waghmare)
J. M.F.C (Court No.2), Pathardi.

I affirm that the contents of this P.D.F file order/judgment are same word for word as per original judgment.

Name of steno : Rohini Amate,

Name of court : Shirishkumar D. Waghmare,

Jt. C.J.J.D.& J.M.F.C., Pathardi,

Date : 09.03.2026

Judgment/order signed by Presiding Officer on : 09.03.2026

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