

IN THE COURT OF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, FIRST CLASS,
KURUNDWAD.

Sum. Cr. Case No.66/2026.

Exhibit /B

1. Date of Offence. : 03/11/2025.
2. Date of Complaint : 03/11/2025.
3. Name, Age and residence of Complainant. : State of Maharashtra through Police Officer – Kurundwad Police St., Kolhapur.
4. Name, Age and residence of accused. : Firoj Gulab Awati
Age 53 Years, Occ.: --,
R/o. Shivshankar Vasahat,
College Road, Kurundwad,
Tal. Shirol, Dist. Kolhapur.

5) Particulars of offences:

That, on 06/12/2025 at about 07:30 p.m. near Safwan Enterprises situated on Maharana Pratap Chowk, Near S. P Highschool, Kurundwad, Tal. Shirol, Dist. Kolhapur you above-named accused were found, selling unauthorisedly prepared 'Mawa' containing tobacco without giving specified warning about nicotine and tar contents on it and that you thereby you committed an offence punishable under Section 20(2) of The Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce, Production, Supply and Distribution) Act, 2003 and within my cognizance.

6. Plea of Accused & examination, if any :

Que.1 : Have you received the copies of complaint papers ?

Ans. : Yes.

Que.2 : Have you understood the particulars of offence now explained and read over to you in vernacular ?

Ans. : Yes.

Que.3 : Do you plead guilty ?

Ans. : No. I do not plead guilty.

Before me,

Signature of accused -----Sd/-----

Sd/-

Place: Kurundwad.

(V. R. Mane)

Date : 24/03/2026.

Judicial Magistrate, F.C., Kurundwad.

ORDER

Today, accused is present. When the particulars of offences under Section 20(2) of The Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce, Production, Supply and Distribution) Act, 2003 are read over to accused, he voluntarily pleaded guilty to offences. He also filed an application/Purshis stating that he is voluntarily pleading guilty to the said offences and prayed to impose minimum punishment. Considering the nature of offences and taking in view the voluntariness of accused, his plea of guilt is accepted and leniency can be shown so far as substantive sentence of imprisonment is concerned. In the result, I pass following order:-

ORDER

- (i) Accused Firoj Gulab Awati is convicted for the offences under Section 20(2) of The Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce, Production, Supply and Distribution) Act, 2003 *vide* Section 275 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita.
- (ii) Accused is hereby sentenced to pay fine of Rs.1000/- in words Rupees One Thousand only for the offence punishable under Section 20(2) of The Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce, Production, Supply and Distribution) Act, 2003, in default of payment of fine amount, accused shall suffer S.I. for 05 (five) days.
- (iii) As the seized muddemal i.e. 'Mawa' is stated to be disposed of at the spot, hence no order as to muddemal.
- (iv) Copy of this Order be given to the accused free of cost.

Place: Kurundwad.
Date : 24/03/2026.

(V. R. Mane)
Judicial Magistrate, F.C., Kurundwad.