

Sum.Cri.Case No.70/2022
State..Vs..Gautam Patekar & ors.

Order below Exh. No. 01

This matter is pending since long time for the appearance of accused. Prosecution has failed to take effective steps to secure presence of accused despite issuance of summons against him. Hence, this is a fit case to stop the proceeding U/sec. 258 of the Cr.P.C., 1973 and hence I pass following order :-

ORDER

1. Further proceeding of this matter is hereby stopped as per section 258 of Cr.P.C., 1973.
2. Accused **Gautam Madhukar Patekar** and **Govind Arjun Dabhade** are hereby released from an offence punishable under section **12 A** of the Maharashtra Prevention of Gambling Act.
3. Seized muddemal entire **cash** amount be credited to state after appeal period is over and remaining muddemal being worthless be destroyed after appeal period is over.

Igatpuri.
Date:- 10-03-2026

Sd/-
(R. U. Ingle)
Judicial Magistrate First Class,
(Court No.2), Igatpuri.