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**S.C.C./639/2021**

**State through Uran Police Station Vs. Manikant Kumar Tevar**

**ORDER BELOW EXH-1**

1. This is a proceeding filed by the prosecution against the accused for the offences punishable under Section 285 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 122 and 124 of the Maharashtra Police Act.
2. Perusal of the record reveals that the matter has been pending for more than five years. Though summons were issued on several occasions, the prosecution has failed to serve the summons and secure the presence of the accused. No effective steps have been taken by the prosecution to proceed with the matter.
3. The Hon'ble High Court, vide Letter No-B(Gen)-1001/2026/223 dated 18.02.2026, has directed courts to conduct a Special Drive from 09.03.2026 to 13.03.2026 specifically to dispose of long-pending cases under Sections 256 and 258 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.
4. In view of the aforesaid administrative directions of the

Hon'ble High Court and considering the fact that the prosecution has miserably failed to serve the accused for over five years, keeping this proceeding pending any longer would be a futile exercise and a mere burden on the docket of this Court. It is a fit case to invoke the powers under Section 258 of the Cr.P.C. to stop the proceedings. Hence, the following order is passed:

**ORDER**

1. This proceedings against the accused **Manikant Kumar Tevar** is hereby stopped under Section 258 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.
2. The accused stands discharged.
3. The case is disposed of accordingly under the Special Drive.

Date : 10.03.2026

S. P. Wankhade  
Judicial Magistrate First Class,  
Court No-2, Uran.