

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 1071 OF 2026

Devendra Dwarkadas Swami Through ...Petitioner
Ankush Kulaye

Versus

The State Of Maharashtra And Anr ...Respondents

WITH

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Mr. Akshay Patil, a/w Devika Madekar and R. P. Shirole, for the
Petitioner in both WP.

Mr. D. J. Haldankar, APP for the State in both.

CORAM: N. J. JAMADAR, J.

DATED: 6th MARCH, 2026

PC:-

1. Heard the learned Counsel for the petitioner.
2. An arguable question is raised.
3. Issue notice to the respondents, for final disposal, returnable on 26th March, 2026.
4. The learned APP waives notice for the State – respondent No.1.
5. In addition to notice through Court, the petitioner shall serve respondent No.2 by private service and file an affidavit of service.

6. By way of an ad-interim relief, the execution and operation of the order dated 20th February, 2026 shall remain stayed, till the next date.

[N. J. JAMADAR, J.]