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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 4429 OF 2025

Shikhar Steel and Anr.

...Petitioners

vs.

The State of Maharashtra and Anr.

...Respondents

Mr. Dharmesh Joshi a/w Ms. Akshita Vakharia and Mr. Zaid Sultan	Advocate for Petitioner.
Smt. S.E. Phad	APP for State.

**CORAM : S. M. MODAK, J.
DATE : 20th AUGUST 2025**

P. C. :-

- 1.** Heard Learned Advocate for the Petitioner/Accused. The Petitioner sought permission to cross-examine the complainant under Section 145 (2) of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881. It was rejected.
- 2.** The submission is that the Learned Magistrate has misinterpreted the ratio laid down in the judgments referred in the order. Learned Magistrate has kept this matter on 22nd August 2025 as stated by the parties.

3. Issue notice to Respondent No.2, returnable on 10th September 2025. Additionally, private service is allowed and service affidavit be filed before the next date.

[S. M. MODAK, J.]