

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

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO.5989 OF 2025

Francis Anthony Fernandes .. Petitioner

Vs.

The State of Maharashtra,
Through Mahim Police Station and Anr. .. Respondents

Mr. Sohail Ahmed with Mr. Ansari M. Siraj, i/by Mr. Rajendra Rathod, Advocates for the Petitioner.

Mr. J.P. Yagnik, Additional Public Prosecutor for Respondent No.1.

**CORAM : SHREE CHANDRASHEKHAR, CJ. &
GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, J.**

DATE : 20TH NOVEMBER 2025.

P.C. :

Post this matter on 1st December 2025. To be heard with Criminal Application No.1178 of 2025.

[GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, J.]

[CHIEF JUSTICE]