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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL (ST.) NO.26589 OF 2025

Swapnil Murlidhar Pichad ...Appellant  
*Versus*  
The State of Maharashtra and ors. ...Respondents

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**Mr. S. Kale** i/by Mr. Nilesh Navale, for the Appellant.  
**Mr. A.S. Gawai, APP**, for the State.

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**CORAM: R. M. JOSHI, J.**

**DATED: 9<sup>th</sup> JANUARY, 2026.**

**PC:-**

1. Heard Mr. Kale, learned counsel for the Appellant.
2. Issue notice to the Respondents returnable on 29<sup>th</sup> January, 2026. Learned APP waives notice on behalf of the State. Notice of Respondents Nos.2 to 4 is made returnable on 29<sup>th</sup> January, 2026.

**(R. M. JOSHI, J.)**

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