



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

936 CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 277 OF 2026

Imran Alias Raju Shaikh Shabbir

VERSUS

The State Of Maharashtra And Another

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Advocate for Applicant : Mr. Shaikh Mazhar A. Jahagirdar

APP for Respondents: Mrs R.R. Tandale

Advocate for Respondent 2 : Mr. Kakde V.S.

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CORAM : S. G. CHAPALGAONKAR, J.

Dated : March 27, 2026

PER COURT :-

1. The applicant and respondent no.2 have arrived at a compromise. Respondent no.2 has given no objection to quash the FIR and further proceedings in crime no.175 of 2025 registered at police station, Chalisgaon.

2. Mr. Jahagirdar, learned advocate appearing for the applicant relies upon observations of Hon'ble Supreme Court in case of **Jayrajsingh Digvijaysinh Rana Vs. State of Gujarat and another reported in (2012) 12 Supreme Court Cases 401** and contends that, although, in case of multiple accused FIR can be quashed against one of the accused on the basis of settlement and there is no bar for partial quashing of the FIR. He would further rely upon observations of the Punjab and Haryana High

Court in case of **Raspreet Kaur and others Vs. State of Punjab and another** reported in 2023 SCC Online P & H 904.

3. Per contra, Learned APP would submit that the question whether FIR can be partially quashed and set aside is now placed for re-consideration before Larger Bench of the Hon'ble Supreme Court and she wishes to place on record relevant regarding judgment and orders in this regard.

4. Stand over to 2.4.2026 in urgent category.

(S. G. CHAPALGAONKAR, J.)

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