



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 465 OF 2026

KSHITIJ RAMESH NIKAM

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND ANOTHER

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Advocate for Petitioner : Mr. Deshpande Shantanu A.

APP for Respondents/State : Mr. D. J. Patil

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CORAM : MEHROZ K. PATHAN, J.

DATE : 17th APRIL 2026

PER COURT :

1. After hearing for sometime, when this Court was not inclined to grant any relief to the Petitioner in the petition which challenges the order dated 18.03.2026 rejecting the application of Petitioner, the learned Counsel for the Petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the petition.

2. Permission is granted. The Criminal Writ Petition stands disposed of as withdrawn.

3. However insofar as the second prayer made in the Writ Petition is concerned, the proceedings have been pending since 27.09.2024. The application for interim maintenance filed by the Complainant shall be decided within a period of two months from the date of receipt of this order.

**MEHROZ K. PATHAN
JUDGE**