

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

**9 CRIMINAL APPLN. NO. 23 OF 2026**

Pravin Vithal Jadhav

VERSUS

The State Of Maharashtra & Another

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Mr. Umesh Jamadar, Advocate i/b Mr. Priyal Sarda, Advocate for  
applicant  
Dr. A.A. Takalkar, APP for State

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**CORAM : NITIN B. SURYAWANSHI, J.**

**DATE : 17<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY, 2026**

**ORDER :**

1. Learned advocate for the applicant states that FIR alleging commission of non cognizable offence is registered, investigation is carried out and charge sheet is filed, which is not permissible.
2. Issue notice to respondents, returnable on 17.03.2026.
3. Learned APP waives service of notice for respondent No. 1.
4. In addition, private service is permitted to serve respondent No. 2, as per rules.
5. In the meanwhile, there shall be ad-interim relief in terms of prayer clause 'B'.

**(NITIN B. SURYAWANSHI, J.)**