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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIRCUIT BENCH AT KOLHAPUR
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO. 4725 OF 2025

Nasir Ahmad Ismail Shaikh ...Petitioner
Versus
The State Of Maharashtra,
Through Sawantwadi Police Station ...Respondent

WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.3673 OF 2025
IN
WRIT PETITION NO. 4725 OF 2025

Nasir Ahmad Ismail Shaikh ...Applicant
Versus
The State Of Maharashtra,
Through Sawantwadi Police Station ...Respondent

Mr. Gautam S. Powar a/w Vinay B. Kadam for the Petitioner/Applicant.
Mr. A. S. Shalgaonkar, APP for the Respondent State.

CORAM : M. M. SATHAYE, J.
DATE : 23rd FEBRUARY 2026.

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1. Urgent paper production is sought by learned counsel for the Petitioner because regular Bench is not available and the matter is not listed and ad-interim protection is only till today.

2. Attention of the Court is invited to the Orders dated 13.11.2025 passed in Criminal Writ Petition No. 4581 of 2025. It is submitted by learned counsel for the Petitioner that the externment order dated 25.09.2025 was stayed for a period of 40 days which came to an end on 23.12.2025. He points out that on 23.12.2025 this Court adjourned the matter to 14.01.2026 and interim relief, if any, was continued till the next



date. On 14.01.2026, the matter did not appear on board and on 15.01.2026, there was holiday due to the election of the local bodies. He points out that on 16.01.2026 a matter was again moved and adjourned to 30.01.2026 and interim protection was continued till then. By order dated 30.01.2026 it was adjourned for today and interim protection was continued till today.

3. Learned APP opposes the extension of interim protection contending that if the orders are seen, then there is no interim protection on the date on which it was continued by this Court in the present Writ Petition.

4. Without opining anything about whether the interim relief existed on 23.12.2025, stand over to 5.03.2026 for further consideration. Ad-interim relief, if any, to continue till the next date.

[M. M. SATHAYE, J.]