IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

C.A 134/2014

H.C. Gampaha Case No: 332/2006

R.J.M. Prabath Jayaweera No:88/4, Galenda, Radawadunna.

Appellant

Vs.

Hon. Attorney General. Attorney General's Department, Colombo 12

Respondent

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C.A 134/2014.

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H.C. Gampaha Case No: 332/2006.

Before

H.N.J. Perera, J &

K.K.Wickremasinghe, J.

Counsel

Sunil Premadasa for the Accused-Appellant.

Anoopa de Silva S.SC for the State.

Accused-Appellant is present in Court produced

by the Prison Authorities.

Argued &

Decided on

20.10.2015.

H.N.J. Perera, J.

Counsel for the Accused-Appellant moves to withdraw this

appeal and invites this court to act under Section 359 of the Criminal

Procedure Code. He moves that the sentence be backdated to take

effect from 22nd August 2014. He further submits that the accused

appellant has no previous conviction and he is married and having

one child and he is about 29 years of age. Learned Senior State Counsel

has no objection to this application. Considering the submissions of the

counsel we allow the application of withdrawal and dismissed the appeal

whilst backdating the sentence to take effect from 22.08.2104.

Subject to the variation of the date of implementation of the sentence, the appeal is dismissed.

Appeal dismissed.

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

K.K.Wickremasinghe, J

I agree.

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL.

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