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

**CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.353 OF 2014
(condonation of delay)**

IN

**CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. OF 2014
(leave to file appeal)**

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CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. OF 2014

Central Bureau of Investigation

..Applicant

-Versus-

Pascal John Almeida & Ors.

..Respondents

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Mr. H. s. Venegaonkar for the Applicant.

Mr. Kunal Kamble for the Respondent Nos.1 and 2.

Mr. Amarendra Mishra for the Respondent No.3.

Mrs. M. R. Tidke, APP, for the Respondent-State.

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CORAM: ABHAY M. THIPSAY, J.

DATE :- 27th APRIL, 2015.

PC.:

1] Though the application for condonation of delay has been vehemently opposed, in the peculiar facts and circumstances and it is thought desirable to condone the delay and hear the application for grant of leave to appeal on merits. This is particularly so because Mr. Venegaonkar submitted that he is ready to argue the application for leave to appeal forthwith, in

the event, of the delay being condoned.

2] Delay condoned.

3] The application for leave to file appeal is taken up for hearing forthwith, by consent.

(ABHAY M. THIPSAY, J.)