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

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO.106 OF 2017

Rajesh@Raja Bhalchandra Gavari,
Aged about 46 years,
Occupation - Corporator,
Residing at : Thavda building,
Room No.1, Civil Hospital,
Thane (W).
(At present undergoing sentence
imposed upon him at Nashik Road
Central Prison as Convict No.C/10510) ...Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Maharashtra
2. The Divisional Commissioner
Nashik Division, Nashik ...Respondents

Ms.P.R.Thakur, for the Petitioner.

Mr. H. J. Dedia, A.P.P for the Respondent-State

**CORAM : SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI &
REVATI MOHITE DERE, JJ.**

DATE : 19th JANUARY, 2017

ORAL JUDGMENT (Per Smt. V. K. Tahilramani, J.) :

1. Heard both sides.

2. The petitioner preferred an application for parole on the ground of illness of his mother. The grievance of the petitioner is that though the application was preferred on 9th June, 2016, till today the said application has not been decided.

3. In view of the fact that the application for parole is pending since a long time, we direct the Competent Authority to decide the application of the petitioner within a period of four weeks from the date of communication of this order.

4. Rule is made absolute in the above terms.

(REVATI MOHITE DERE, J.)

(V.K.TAHILRAMANI, J.)