

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.607 of 2017

IN

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.194 OF 2016

Kailas Sakharam Koli ... **Applicant**

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra ... **Respondent**

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None for the Applicant.

Ms.P.N.Dabholkar, APP for the Respondent/State.

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CORAM : A.M.BADAR J.

DATED : 24th August 2017.

P.C. :

1 This is an Application moved by the learned Advocate for the Appellant for expeditious hearing of the Criminal Appeal.

2 It is seen that the Applicant/Appellant/Accused is in jail custody since 10/10/2012. As such, he is behind bar for a period of about five years. Therefore, as per the Judgment of the Honourable Apex Court in the matter of *Hussain & Anr. v. Union of India* reported in **2017 (5) SCC 702** , prayer for expeditious hearing of the Appeal deserves consideration. As such, the Order :

(i) The Application is allowed.

- (ii) The Criminal Appeal be fixed for final hearing in the week commencing from 18th September 2017.

(A.M.BADAR J.)