

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.534 OF 1997

Mohan Gurunath Sahastrabudhe ... **Appellant**

V/s.

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

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Mr.Vishal Satyaprakash i/b. Mr.S.V.Marwadi, Advocate for the Appellant.

Ms.Anamika Malhotra, APP for the Respondent/State.

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CORAM : A.M.BADAR J.

DATED : 19th APRIL 2018.

P.C. :

1 This is an appeal challenging conviction of the appellant/accused for the offence punishable under Section 323 of the Indian Penal Code recorded by the learned Additional Sessions Judge, Thane in Sessions Case No.745 of 1995 on 05/08/1997.

2 Today, the learned Additional Public Prosecutor furnished communication dated 16/04/2018 sent by the Sub-Registrar, Birth-Deaths Registration Department, Kalyan Dombivali Municipal Corporation to the Senior Police Inspector of Nawpada Police Station, to which Death Certificate of the appellant/accused

Mohan Gurunath Sahastrabudhe is annexed and contended that the applicant/accused Mohan Gurunath Sahastrabudhe died on 07/01/2016. The communication dated 16/04/2018 is marked as Exhibit 'X', whereas the Death Certificate is marked as Exhibit 'Y' for the purpose of identification.

3 In this view of the matter, the appeal stands abated because of death of the sole appellant and is consigned to record.

(A.M.BADAR J.)