

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.1645 OF 2018

IN

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.640 OF 2015

Ambadas Devram Chavan

...Applicant

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra

...Respondent

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Mr. Anil Shitole, Advocate for the Applicant.

Mr. P.H. Gaikwad, APP for the Respondent/State.

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CORAM : A.M.BADAR, J.

DATED : 5th OCTOBER 2018.

P.C. :

1. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the applicant in this application for early hearing of the appeal, in which the appellant is on bail.

2. Though it is argued that the applicant has good case on merit and he is the sole earning member of the family, the early hearing as prayed cannot be granted in the wake of the judgment

in the case of *Hussain & Anr. Vs. Union of India*¹ This Court as of now is taking up the appeals for final hearing, in which the appellants have actually undergone sentence of about seven or eight years. Therefore, the prayer for grant of early hearing is rejected.

3. The application is disposed off accordingly.

(A.M.BADAR J.)

¹ 2017(5) SCC 702