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

**CRIMINAL APPLICATION No. 1915 OF 2018
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL (ST) No. 1403 OF 2018**

Mohammad Aarif Asik Ali Raain ...Applicant
Vs.
The State of Maharashtra ...Respondent

Ms. Afshan G. for Applicant
Mr. S. S. Pednekar – APP for the State

CORAM : SMT.SADHANA S. JADHAV, J.

DATE : DECEMBER 4, 2018

P.C.:

1. This is an application seeking condonation of delay in filing the appeal against conviction wherein the accused is convicted for an offence punishable under section 354A of the Indian Penal Code and section 8 of the Protection of Child from Sexual Offence Act, 2012. The delay is of 5 days.
2. For the reasons assigned in the application, the delay of 5 days stands condoned.
3. Criminal Application is allowed in terms of prayer clause (a) and stands disposed of accordingly.

[SMT.SADHANA S. JADHAV, J.]