

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

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 949 OF 2012

The State of Maharashtra ...Appellant
Versus
Nimba Gaba Devare ...Respondent

Mrs. J. S. Lohakare – APP for the appellant
Ankit Sawant i/b Vijay Desai – Advocate for the respondent.

CORAM : DAMA SESHADRI NAIDU, J.

DATE : 11th JULY 2019.

P.C. :

The State filed this appeal against the judgment of acquittal, dated 04.01.2008. The respondent-accused was charged with offences under Section 7 and 13 (2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

Now the learned APP, on instructions, informs the Court that the respondent died pending the appeal. She has placed on record the death certificate issued by the Municipal Corporation of the Ulhasnagar, accompanied by the letter, dt.25.06.2019, of the Police Commissioner, ACB, Worli, Mumbai. The respondent died on 2nd August 2016.

Therefore, the appeal does not survive. Accordingly, Criminal Appeal No. 949 of 2012 stands closed.

[DAMA SESHADRI NAIDU, J.]