

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY,
NAGPUR BENCH, AT NAGPUR.**

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (BA) NO. 529 OF 2020

(Kailas Rama Dawar ..vs.. The State of Maharashtra, P.S.O., P.S. Hiwarkhed, Taluka Telhara and
District Akola)

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Shri S. V. Sirpurkar, Advocate for the applicant
Shri B. M. Lonare, Addl.PP for the non-applicant.

CORAM : ROHIT B. DEO, J.

DATED : 30-09-2020

Hearing was conducted through video conferencing and the learned Counsel agreed that the audio and visual quality was proper.

2. The previous application of the applicant was rejected by this Court (Corum : Manish Pitale, J.) by order dated 29-7-2019. However, a direction was issued that the trial Court shall conclude the trial and render the judgment within six months. The submission is that the period of six months expired on 30-1-2020. It is not clear from the record whether any extension was sought. Be that as it may, the limited and reasonable prayer which is now made is that the trial Court be directed to conclude the trial as early as possible since only two witnesses have to be examined. The learned Additional Public Prosecutor Shri Lonare states that in the affidavit, a statement is already made that the recording of

witnesses shall be complete within a month or two of the commencement of regular functioning of the Court.

3. In this view of the matter, the application is disposed of with the direction that the trial Court shall endeavor to conclude the trial and deliver the judgment as expeditiously as possible and in any event, within one month of the normal functioning of the Court.

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