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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
CRIMINAL INTERIM APPLICATION NO.563 OF 2021
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.950 OF 2017

Mr. Suraj Sunil Tasambad

....Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra

....Respondents

Mr. H.J. Dedhia, APP for the Respondent-State.

**CORAM : PRASANNA B. VARALE &
SURENDRA P. TAVADE, JJ.**

DATE : 18th MARCH, 2021.

P.C. :

1. The present application is forwarded through Central Prison, Nashik by the applicant-Suraj Sunil Tasambad, Convict No.C/11316. Perusal of the application shows that the applicant is praying for bail pending appeal. The record shows that the applicant by engaging the counsel of his choice filed an appeal before this Court challenging the judgment and order passed by the learned District Judge-6, Nashik dated 20.07.2017 in Spl.Case (Atro) No.281/2015. The appeal is admitted on 20.11.2017. It seems that the convict without approaching to the counsel, forwarding the applications to this Court through prison. We have reason to say this because there was also another application bearing Application No.1357/2018 forwarded through the prison and that application was disposed of vide order dated 11.01.2019. Considering these facts, we deem it appropriate to direct the learned APP to inform the Superintendent of Central Prison, Nashik that the convict-Suraj Tasambad had already engaged a counsel, who is representing him in Criminal Appeal No.950 of 2017 and as such if the convict is desirous of submitting any application in this Court, he may take appropriate steps to

inform the counsel engaged by him, so that the counsel in turn may take appropriate steps. The application is disposed of.

2. All the concerned to act on an authenticated copy of this order.

(SURENDRA P. TAVADE, J.)

(PRASANNA B. VARALE, J.)