

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

***CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 1454 OF 2019
(For Condonation of Delay) (Through Jail)***

WITH

***CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 1456 OF 2019
(For Legal Aid) (Through Jail)***

IN

***CRIMINAL APPEAL (STAMP) NO. 1165 OF 2019
(Through Jail)***

Manoj Ramlal Roy

...Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra

...Respondent

Ms. Keral Mehta, Appointed Advocate for the Applicant

Mr. S. V. Gavand, A.P.P for the Respondent–State

CORAM : REVATI MOHITE DERE, J.

THURSDAY, 1st APRIL 2021

P.C. :

1 By this application i.e. Criminal Application No. 1454/2019 sent through jail, the applicant seeks condonation of delay of 177 days in filing the aforesaid appeal.

2 For the reasons set out in the letter/application through jail, delay is condoned. The aforesaid application is accordingly disposed of.

3 By Criminal Application No. 1456/2019, sent through jail, the applicant has prayed for legal aid and appointment of an Advocate from High Court Legal Services Committee.

4 Criminal Application No. 1456/2019 stands disposed of in view of the order dated 22nd March 2021, appointing Ms. Keral Mehta as an *amicus curiae* to espouse the cause of the applicant.

REVATI MOHITE DERE, J.