

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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO.3386 OF 2022
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL (ST) NO.16539 OF 2022**

Dharam alias Taditapdya Pitambar

Shinde @ Kale

.... Applicant

versus

State of Maharashtra

.... Respondent

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- Mr. Vikas Kolekar, Advocate for Applicant.
- Smt. M. R. Tidke, APP for the State/Respondent.

CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.

DATE : 19th OCTOBER, 2022

P.C. :

1. This is an application for condonation of delay of one year and 285 days in filing the Appeal. It is mentioned in the application and learned counsel for Applicant also submits that after the Applicant's conviction vide impugned Judgment and Order dated 13/10/2020 he had given a copy of Judgment and Order to the Applicant's mother. But she was an illiterate lady and she was not in a good financial state. Therefore she could not approach an advocate to take steps in filing the Appeal.

2. Considering this reason and in the interest of justice, the delay of one year and 285 in filing the Appeal is condoned.
3. The Appeal be processed further.

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)