

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 5713 OF 2021

Krushna Ganpati Haazare. ... Petitioner.
V/s.
The State of Maharashtra. ... Respondent.

AND

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 6588 OF 2021

Gulamnabi Allauddin Shaikh. ... Petitioner.
V/s.
The State of Maharashtra. ... Respondent.

Through Jail.

Mrs.S.D.Shinde, APP for the Respondent- State.

CORAM : NITIN JAMDAR AND
N.R. BORKAR, JJ.
DATE : 29 July 2022.

P.C. :

In these petitions, the Petitioners are seeking to be released on emergency (Covid-19) parole. The Petitioners have sought this relief in view of Rule 19(1)(c) of the Maharashtra Prisons (Bombay Furlough and Parole) Rules, 1959 as amended. By Government Resolution dated 4 May 2022, the policy of being released on emergency (Covid-19) parole is discontinued and those who have been released earlier have been directed to return back to the respective prison. In light thereof, the relief sought for by the Petitioners cannot be granted.

2. Writ petitions are rejected.

(N.R. BORKAR, J.)

(NITIN JAMDAR, J.)