

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

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO.748 OF 2021

Dhananjay Braj Narayanlal Srivastava Applicant

versus

State of Maharashtra Respondent

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- Mr.Taraq Sayed i/b. Advait Tamhankar, Advocate for Applicant.
- Ms.Ruju R. Thakker, Advocate for Respondent/DRI.
- Smt. A. A. Takalkar, APP for the State/Respondent.

CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.
DATE : 10th FEBRUARY, 2022
(through video conferencing)

P.C. :

1. After arguing for some time, when I expressed my disinclination to grant relief in this application, learned counsel for the Applicant prays for unconditional withdrawal of this application.

2. However, he submitted that since the Applicant is in custody since 05/08/2017, the trial Court be directed to complete the trial within a time bound manner.

3. I have considered this request. The application is allowed to be withdrawn unconditionally. However, since the Applicant is in custody since 05/08/2017, it is necessary that the trial is commenced at the earliest and is concluded within a reasonable time.

4. Hence, the following order :

ORDER

- (i) The application is allowed to be withdrawn unconditionally on merits.
- (ii) The trial Court is requested to commence the trial immediately and conclude it as far as within a period of one year from today.
- (iii) With these observations, the application is disposed of.

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)