

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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO.2835 OF 2022
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.477 OF 2007**

Dilip Rajaram Patil
versus
State of Maharashtra

.... Applicant
.... Respondent

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- Mr. Manohar Madavkar, Advocate for Applicant.
- Mr. Yogesh Y. Dabke, APP for the State/Respondent.

**CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.
DATE : 06th SEPTEMBER, 2022**

P.C. :

1. This is an application for fixing Criminal Appeal No.477 of 2007 for early hearing. Learned counsel for the Applicant submitted that the incident in question allegedly had taken place in the year 2001. He was convicted in the year 2007. During pendency of trial he was suspended and after his conviction he was dismissed. Therefore he is suffering financial difficulties. He has passed his age of retirement. Therefore in the interest of justice, it is necessary that the Appeal is heard early. He has good case on merits.

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2. Considering these submissions, Criminal Appeal No.477 of 2007 is directed to be added on the weekly final hearing board commencing from 26/09/2022.

3. Application is disposed of.

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)