

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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO.3369 OF 2022
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.245 OF 2003**

Vilas Sambhaji Chavan

.... Applicant

versus

State of Maharashtra

.... Respondent

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- Mr. Ashish Vernekar i/b. Satyavarat Joshi, Advocate for Applicant.
- Smt. M. R. Tidke, APP for the State/Respondent.

**CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.
DATE : 11th OCTOBER, 2022**

P.C. :

1. This is an application for expeditious hearing of the Appeal. Learned counsel for the applicant submitted that, the applicant is 68 years of age. The alleged incident of conducting raid, trapping him while accepting bribe was on 05.06.1996. The appeal is pending since 2003. The Applicant is senior citizen. This Court (Coram: Prakash D. Naik, J.) vide order dated 22.03.2022, had already directed that the Appeal be listed

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on final hearing board in the week commencing from 28.03.2022. However, it is not shown on the board.

2. Considering the past order and the submissions made by the learned counsel for the applicant, the Criminal Appeal No.245 of 2003 be added to the weekly final hearing board commencing from 21.11.2022.

3. The application is disposed of.

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)