

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

BENCH AT AURANGABAD

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 2870 OF 2022
IN APEAL/752/2004 WITH APEAL/752/2004

BHAGWAN VISHWANATH BANKAR
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA

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Advocate for Applicant : Mr. Shriram V. Deshmukh h/f Mr. Deshmukh Devang
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APP for Respondent/State : Mr. Y. G. Gujrati

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CORAM : KISHORE C. SANT, J.

DATE : 6th JANUARY 2023.

Per Court :

1. This application is filed for fixing early date of hearing of Criminal Appeal No.752/2004. It is submitted that the applicant is acquitted by the learned Special Judge from the offences under the Prevention of Corruption Act. However, because of the pendency of the appeal, the retiral benefits and other service benefits are not being paid to the applicant and therefore there is urgency.

2. Considering that the appeal is of 2004, this Court finds that it would be proper to fix the matter for final hearing. Hence, the application is allowed.
3. Place the Criminal Appeal No.752/2004 for final hearing on 24.01.2023.
4. With this, the Criminal Application is disposed off.

[KISHORE C. SANT, J.]

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