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

WRIT PETITION NO. 1116 OF 2016

Sandip Haridas Mankar .Petitioner
Aged about 47 years, presently
undergoing a sentence of life
imprisonment at Kolhapur
Central Prison as convict Prisoner
No. C - 4183.

Vs.

1. The Inspector General (Prisons), .Respondents
Old Central Building, 2nd floor,
Pune - 01.
2. The Superintendent,
Kolhapur Central Prison,
Kalamba.

Mr. Pramod G. Kathane, Appointed Advocate, for the Petitioner
Ms M. H. Mhatre, APP, for the Respondent - State

**CORAM : SUNIL B. SHUKRE AND
ABHAY S. WAGHWASE, JJ.**

DATE : 08 MARCH 2023

ORAL JUDGMENT (PER : SUNIL B. SHUKRE, J.)

. Heard.

2. Rule.

3. Rule is made returnable forthwith. With the consent

of the parties, the Petition is taken up for final disposal.

4. The communication dated 08.03.2023 is taken on record and marked as 'A' for identification. It shows that the Petitioner has been found to be eligible for being sent and kept in open prison. This decision serves purpose of the Petition.

5. The Petition is, therefore, disposed of. Rule is made absolute in the aforesaid terms.

(ABHAY S. WAGHWASE, J.)

(SUNIL B. SHUKRE, J.)