

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO.3749 OF 2021

Chandan @ Chandya Ramchandra Lokhande ... Petitioner

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra ... Respondent

None for Petitioner.

Mrs. M.H. Mhatre, APP for Respondent-State.

**CORAM : A.S. GADKARI AND
PRAKASH D. NAIK, JJ.**

DATE : 17th JANUARY, 2023.

PC. :

1. By present Petition, Petitioner has prayed for relief of parole leave on the ground of COVID-19 pandemic.

It is a matter of fact and well within the realm of all that, the COVID-19 pandemic has ceased its severity.

2. Learned APP on instructions submitted that, by a Circular dated 10th February, 2022 issued by the Competent Authority, the benefit of COVID-19 pandemic parole leave has been stopped.

3. In view thereof, present Petition has become infructuous and is accordingly disposed off.

(PRAKASH D. NAIK, J.)

(A.S. GADKARI, J.)