

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
IN ITS CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION  
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 4660 OF 2023**

**IN**

**CRIMINAL APPEAL (ST) NO. 21605 OF 2023**

Aravind Mahadeo Wadar

... Appellant/Applicant

**Vs.**

The State of Maharashtra & Anr.

... Respondents

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Adv. Priya Dalvi i/by Adv. Rahul Kasbekar for the Appellant/Applicant.  
Mrs. M. R. Tidke, APP for State.  
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**CORAM : KISHORE C. SANT, J.**

**DATE : 26<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY, 2024**

**P.C.:-**

1. In spite of service none appears for the Respondent No. 2. This Application is filed seeking condonation of delay of 2 years and 3 months caused in filing the appeal.
2. It is stated that in the Application at the time of Judgment and since the trial he is in jail. There is no one to look after the family members were not aware of the remedy of filing of appeal for these reasons delay is caused.
3. Considering the reasons assigned and the fact that the Applicant is in jail, delay deserves to be condoned. The Interim Application no. 4660 of 2023 is therefore allowed and disposed of. Delay stands condoned.

**(KISHORE C. SANT, J.)**