



THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH, NAGPUR.

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (APPA) NO.735 OF 2024

[Sachin Gautam Patil ..Vs.. State of Maharashtra and
Anr.]

*Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
Judge's order
and Registrar's orders.*

Court's or

Ms P. Mane, Adv. h/f Mr S. D. Chande, Advocate for Applicant.
Ms S. V. Kolhe, APP for Non-Applicant/State.

CORAM : SMT. M. S. JAWALKAR AND
M. W. CHANDWANI, JJ.

DATE : 29th NOVEMBER, 2024.

1. Heard.
2. By the present application, the applicant is seeking condonation of delay caused in preferring the appeal.
3. The contention is that the applicant/appellant has been convicted and sentenced to suffer imprisonment for the remainder of the appellant's natural life. The appellant is in jail since the date of his arrest. The family of the appellant is layman, and therefore, the appellant could not file the appeal within the limitation period.
4. Since the appeal is a statutory right, the substantial justice cannot be denied for technical reason. Considering the fact that the appellant is in jail since the date of his arrest, the delay caused in filing the appeal is hereby condoned.
5. The criminal appeal be registered and numbered accordingly.
6. The criminal application stands disposed of.

CRIMINAL APPEAL (ST) NO.6259 OF 2024.

7. Heard.

8. Issue notice to the respondents, returnable within three weeks.

9. Ms Kolhe, learned Additional Public Prosecutor, waives notice for respondent/State.

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.1155 OF 2024.

10. Heard.

11. Learned APP seeks time to file reply. Stand over to three weeks.

(M. W. CHANDWANI, J.) (SMT. M. S. JAWALKAR, J.)