



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH AT NAGPUR

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (APPA) NO. 992 OF 2024

IN

CRIMINAL APPEAL ST. NO. 6361 OF 2024

Amit @ Bapu s/o. Vinodrao Darvekar

Vs.

State of Maharashtra, through P.S.O., P.S., Ramnagar, Dist. Wardha

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
 appearances, Court's orders of directions
 and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Ms. Sonali Khobragade, Advocate for the Applicant/Appellant.

Mr. A.M. Joshi, APP for the Respondent/State.

CORAM : G. A. SANAP, J.

DATED : 14th OCTOBER, 2024.

1. Issue notice to the respondent.
2. Learned APP waives service of notice on behalf of the respondent.
3. Heard learned advocate for the appellant and learned APP for the respondent.
4. This is an application for condonation of 360 days delay in filing the appeal against the impugned judgment and order dated 31.05.2023, passed by the learned Extra Joint Additional Sessions Judge (Special Court), Wardha. The appellant/accused has been sentenced to suffer rigorous imprisonment for ten years and to pay a fine of Rs.5,000/- for the offence punishable under Section 6 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012.

5. In view of the facts stated in the application, the application is allowed. The delay of 360 days caused in filing the appeal is condoned.

6. The appeal be registered.

7. The application stands disposed of accordingly.

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8. Heard.

9. **ADMIT.**

10. Issue notice to the respondent.

11. Learned APP waives service of notice on behalf of the respondent.

12. Call for the record and proceedings.

CRIMINAL APPLICATION (APPA) ST. NO. 8444 OF 2024

13. Heard.

14. Issue notice to the respondent.

15. Learned APP waives service of notice on behalf of the respondent.

16. Four weeks' time is granted for filing reply.

17. Stand over after four weeks.

(G. A. SANAP, J.)