

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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO.1769 OF 2025
IN
CRIMINAL APPEAL STAMP NO.9908 OF 2025**

Purno Kartik Bishwas .. Applicant
vs.
The State of Maharashtra .. Respondent

Ms. Heena Mistry for the Applicant.

Mr. Vinit A. Kulkarni APP for the Respondent-State.

**CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL &
SHYAM C. CHANDAK, JJ.**

DATE : 12th JUNE, 2025

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1. This is an Application for condonation of delay of 228 days in filing the Appeal against the Judgment and Order dated 02/07/2024 passed by the Sessions Judge, Pune in Sessions Case No.899 of 2017.
2. The learned Counsel for the Applicant submitted that the Applicant was in poor financial condition and therefore, could not engage a private Advocate. The Appeal is therefore filed through the assistance of legal aid Counsel. Some time was lost in collecting the papers and preparing the Appeal memo. Therefore, there is delay of 228 days in filing the Appeal.
3. Learned APP has no objection for condoning the delay.

4. Considering these submissions and in the interest of justice, the delay of 228 days in filing the Appeal is condoned.
5. The Appeal be processed further.
6. Interim Application is disposed of.

(SHYAM C. CHANDAK, J.)

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)