

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 530 OF 2020
(Arising out of SLP(Crl.)No. 3842 of 2020)
(Diary No. 4434 of 2020)

VIRENDRA SINGH

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH

Respondent(s)

O R D E R

Delay condoned.

Leave granted.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Taking overall view of the matter and considering the fact that the criminal appeal pending before the High Court may not be taken up for hearing in the immediate near future, whereas the appellant has already undergone more than eight years in jail so far and the fact that his conduct in jail has been satisfactory, we direct that, during the pendency of criminal appeal before the High Court, the appellant (Virendra Singh) be released on bail to the satisfaction of the Trial Court in connection with Sessions Trial No. 137 of 2012 and on such terms and

conditions as may be imposed by the Trial Court.

As a result, we set aside the impugned order passed by the High Court. The appeal is allowed in the above terms.

Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

.....J
(A.M. KHANWILKAR)

.....J
(DINESH MAHESHWARI)

.....J
(SANJIV KHANNA)

New Delhi
August 20, 2020

