

(2011) 07 JH CK 0119**Jharkhand High Court****Case No:** Criminal Application (DB) No. 342 of 2001

Niranjan Marandi

APPELLANT

Vs

State of Jharkhand

RESPONDENT

Date of Decision: July 19, 2011**Acts Referred:**

- Penal Code, 1860 (IPC) - Section 302

Hon'ble Judges: R.K. Merathia, J; P.P. Bhatt, J**Bench:** Division Bench**Final Decision:** Dismissed**Judgement**

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1. Nobody appears on behalf of the Appellant.

2. Mr.S.K. Deo, learned panel counsel submitted that he has been appointed in this case by the High Court Legal Services Committee to assist this Court on behalf of the Appellant.

Heard Mr. Deo, learned counsel for the Appellant and Mr. Lal for the State on the merit of the case.

3. This appeal is directed against the judgment of conviction and sentence passed on 25/09/2000 and 29/09/2000 respectively by Sri B.K. Pandit Additional Sessions Judge, Sahibganj in Sessions Trial No. 161 of 1996, whereby the sole Appellant has been found guilty for committing the offence u/s 302 of the Indian Penal Code and, there by, he has been sentenced to undergo R.I. for life. It appears from the report of I.G. Prisons, Jharkhand dated 29/06/2011, that the convict Appellant Niranjan Marandi, S/o Durga Marandi, has already been released on 08/05/2010 as per the recommendation of the State Sentence Review Board vide Home Department Notification No. 2561 dated 05/05/2010.

4. Mr. Deo, learned counsel for the Appellant submitted that on going through the records, he does not intend to press this appeal on merit.
5. Mr.M.B. Lal, learned APP.appearing for the State has got no objection.
6. In the circumstances, this appeal is dismissed as not pressed.