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THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT
(HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)

Case No. : I.A.(Civil)/3693/2023

NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY LTD.
HAVING ITS REGISTERED OFFICE AT 3, MIDDLETON STREET,KOLKATA
AND ONE OF THE REGIONAL OFFICES KNOWN AS GUWAHATI REGIONAL
OFFICE AT GS ROAD, BHANGAGARH. GUWAHATI 05

VERSUS

DIPANKAR DAS AND 2 ORS.
S/O SRI SUBUDH DAS,
RESIDENT OF VILLAGE DOLAPANI, PS ULUWONI, PS 782425, DIST
NAGAON, ASSAM

2:SRI SUBAL DAS
S/O SRI PARIMAL DAS
RESIDENT OF VILLAGE SOLLONG DOLAPANI

PS ULUWONI
782425
DIST NAGAON
ASSAM

3:MD. SIDDIQUE ALI
S/O LATE E. ALI
RESIDENT OF VILLAGE HATIBONDHA
PS ULUWONI
782425
DIST. NAGAON
ASSAM

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR. K K BHATTA, MRS L SHARMA

Advocate for the Respondent : MS A BORAH(R-1,), MS. J GHOSH(R-2,3),MS. U NANDA(R-

2,3),MR. S C BISWAS(R-1)

**BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE BUDI HABUNG**

ORDER

Date : 12-08-2024

Heard Mr. K.K. Bhatta, learned counsel for the applicant and Ms. A. Bora, learned counsel for respondent No. 1 and Ms. J. Ghosh, learned counsel for respondent Nos. 2 and 3.

This is an application under Section 5 of the Limitation Act praying for condonation of delay of 20 days in preferring the connected appeal against the judgment and award dated 31.05.2023 passed in MAC Case No. 7 of 2017 by the learned Member, Motor Accident Claims Tribunal, Nagaon in MAC Case No. 7 of 2017.

The delay in not preferring the connected appeal on time has been explained in para 3 of the condonation petition.

Upon perusal of the said explanation, this Court is satisfied that the applicant has been able to show sufficient cause for not preferring the connected appeal within a stipulated time. Moreover, the learned counsel for respondent has no objection if the delay of 20 days in preferring the connected appeal is condoned.

Accordingly, delay of 20 days in preferring the connected appeal is hereby condoned.

Office shall register the connected appeal and place for admission on a

date to be fixed by Registry.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant