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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

WRIT PETITION NO.3833 OF 2015

Maharashtra State Electricity
Distribution Company Ltd.,
Mumbai & anr.

..PETITIONERS

VERSUS

Pramod s/o Shivaji Jadhav
& anr.

..RESPONDENTS

Mr A.S. Shelke, Advocate for petitioners;
Mr A.P. Basarkar, Asstt. Govt. Pleader for respondent no.2

CORAM : N.W. SAMBRE, J.

DATE : 18th November, 2015

ORAL ORDER :

In an appeal preferred by the present petitioners, which was barred by limitation, Ad hoc District Judge-2, Dhule, ordered condonation of delay, upon payment of costs of Rs.1000/-, within a period of fifteen days, which was not adhered to by the petitioners, as a consequence, the petitioners moved an application for grant of extension of time to deposit the costs, which also came to be rejected on 18th March, 2015.

2. In my opinion, once the request *qua* extension of time for deposit of costs is rejected, the consequence will follow that the application for condonation of delay is dismissed, so also the appeal. In view thereof, the present petition stands dismissed.

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3. The petitioners are at liberty to take appropriate steps against order impugned, as are available in law.

(N.W. SAMBRE, J.)

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