

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION [APPLN] NO.530 OF 2014

Sahil Steel Corporation	..Applicant
<i>Versus</i>	
Saquib Steel Traders and another	..Respondents

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Mr. Prashant D. Patil, for the Applicant.
Mr. A.R. Patil, APP, for the State.
Mr. Tushar N. Sonawane, for Respondent No.1.
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CORAM : A. R. JOSHI, J.

DATE : 20th JULY, 2015

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1. Heard rival submissions on this application for condonation of delay of 51 days in preferring the appeal challenging the order of acquittal of the respondent in the matter of offence punishable under Section 138 of Negotiable Instruments Act. It is objected on behalf of the respondent No.1 stating that the delay may not be condoned as there was no legal cause for the applicant to come before the Court belatedly.

2. The reasons for delay are mentioned in para-7 of the application as to financial constraints and apparently wrong

advise of availability of 90 days in preferring the appeal. For the said reasons mentioned in the application delay is condoned. Application is allowed. Application for leave to file appeal is stand over 3rd August, 2015. Respondent No.1 to waive service of the application for leave to file appeal. Learned APP for respondent No.2 State waives service. Copy of the application for leave to file appeal be given to the learned Counsel for the respondent No.1.

(A. R. JOSHI, J.)

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