

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

CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 5957 OF 2017
IN FAST/6411/2017
WITH CA/5960/2017 IN FAST/6658/2017

THE EX. ENGINEER, L.I.D. OSMANABAD THR SUB- DIV.
OFFICER; HANUMANT V. MORE AND ORS
VERSUS
SHRIHARI KRUSHNA GARAD (DIED) LRS KALPANA AND ORS

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Advocate for Applicants : Arora Shyam C
Deshmukh Vivekanand B. For R/1 To 3

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CORAM : K.L.WADANE, J.
DATED : 22nd September, 2017

O R D E R :

This is an application filed by the appellants for condonation of delay caused in filing First Appeal.

2. Heard learned counsel for the applicants.

None present for respondent nos. 1 to 3.

3. The grounds stated for condonation of delay in the application are that the impugned judgment and award is passed on 18.6.2014. Thereafter, the applicants have applied for certified copies. The applicants sought the legal opinion from the advocate who conducted the

Reference. The applicant is Government authority and has to take the approval and make budgetary provisions to file appeal from the Government. Certain time was consumed in receiving amount of court fee and after receipt of the same and after taking necessary instructions and guidance from the higher authorities, the appeal is presented. In that process, delay has been caused.

4. The reasons stated in the application are reasonable and convincing to condone the delay. Delay is properly explained. Therefore, the delay is condoned.

5. Civil Application is disposed of.

6. In First Appeal, issue notice to the respondents, returnable on 4.12.2017.

7. Call for R. and Ps.

(K.L.WADANE, J.)

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