

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

14 CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 11004 OF 2014 IN FAST/19749/2014

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OSMANABAD THROUGH ITS CHIEF OFFICER
VERSUS
MARUTI VISHWANANTH TODKARI DIED THROUGH LRS PRAMOD AND OTHER

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Advocate for Applicant : Mr. Ramesh V. Naiknavare.
AGP for Respondent State : Mr. S.R.Yadav-Lonikar.

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CORAM : K.K. SONAWANE, J.
DATED : 13TH SEPTEMBER, 2017.

Order :-

1. Heard learned counsel for the applicant and learned AGP for respondents No. 2. Despite service of notice, none has caused appearance on behalf of respondents – original claimants.
2. Perused the application. The matter pertains to the condonation of delay. According to learned counsel for applicant, delay so caused is not intentional or deliberate, but caused due to compliance of official process. The learned Reference Court has granted compensation in exorbitant manner, therefore, he prayed to condone the delay by allowing the application.
3. The learned AGP also prayed for suitable order in the interest of justice.
4. For the reasons stated in the civil application, the same is allowed in terms of prayer clause "B". The delay caused in filing the first appeals against the impugned Judgment and Award is hereby condoned. Registry to take requisite steps for further process.
5. After registration of appeal, list the same for hearing at the stage of admission on 26-09-2017.
6. The civil application is allowed in aforesaid terms and disposed of.

**[K. K. SONAWANE]
JUDGE**

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