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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

**CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 2086 OF 2016  
IN  
FIRST APPEAL (ST) NO. 6982 OF 2016**

The New India Assurance Co. Ltd. ...Applicant/Appellant.

vs

Mrs Jyoti Gurunath Pashte & Ors. ...Respondents.

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Mr D.R.Mahadik for the Applicant/Appellant.

Mr Ramesh Chavanke for Respondent Nos.1 and 2.

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**CORAM : M. S. SONAK, J.  
27 FEBRUARY, 2017**

**P.C. :**

In this case, there is sufficient explanation for delay in paragraph 2 of the application. The Insurance Company should have been more diligent in preferring the appeal. However, the delay can always be condoned by imposition of costs.

2 In this case, there was some issue of establishment of new office and transferring of files. For all these reasons, the delay is condoned subject to payment of costs of Rs.5,000/-. The payment of costs is the condition precedent. The Civil Application is disposed of accordingly.

**( M. S. SONAK, J. )**