

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

LPA No.619 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 25.04.2017

The Patiala Central Cooperative Bank Ltd.,
Patiala

....Appellant

Versus

Presiding Officer, Industrial Tribunal and
others

....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MAHESH GROVER
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE DR.SHEKHER DHAWAN

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Present: Mr. Naginder Singh Vashist, Advocate
for the appellant.

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MAHESH GROVER, J. (Oral)

CM No.1276-LPA of 2017

This appeal has been filed with an inordinate delay of 124 days but the explanation given in the application under Section 5 of the Limitation Act attributes the same to the office of the learned counsel for the appellant who lost the brief to recover it later. We would in these circumstances condone the delay.

C.M.stands allowed.

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We have heard the learned counsel for the appellant and are unable to persuade us to interfere with the findings recorded by the learned Single Judge who has granted Rs.3,50,000/- as compensation by enhancing it from Rs.5,000/- which was awarded by the Industrial Tribunal keeping in view the consideration of seven

years of workman's employment and retrenchment in violation of statutory provisions. We do not find any illegal infirmity as the compensation awarded is just and adequate.

No other point has been urged.

Appeal dismissed.

(MAHESH GROVER)
JUDGE

25.04.2017
dss

(SHEKHER DHAWAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No