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

**LPA No.2278 of 2017 (O&M) in
CWP No.1659 of 2013
Date of decision: 20.3.2018**

Ashok Kumar

....Appellant

Versus

State of Haryana and others

....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BINDAL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.S. WALIA**

Present: Mr. Jasbir Mor, Advocate for the appellant.

RAJESH BINDAL, J.

Order passed by the learned Single Judge dated 28.1.2013 dismissing the writ petition has been challenged by filing the present intra court appeal. The grievance made by the writ petitioner was that the candidature of the appellant was rejected on the ground that he was not possessing requisite experience. The appeal is accompanied by an application seeking condonation of delay of 1,729 days in filing the appeal.

What is pleaded in the application is that appellant had initially filed review application and even Letters Patent Appeal impugning the aforesaid order. The LPA was dismissed on 10.4.2013 giving liberty to the applicant-appellant to pursue the remedy of review. Even the review application was dismissed on 21.7.2014. Thereafter, the appellant kept quiet. Merely because certain other cases were pending, will not give cause of action to the applicant-appellant to impugne the order passed, after a delay of 1,729 days. There is no merit in the present application seeking

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condonation of delay. The same is hereby dismissed. Consequently, the appeal is also dismissed.

**(Rajesh Bindal)
Judge**

**(B.S. Walia)
Judge**

March 20, 2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No