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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

LPA No.2334 of 2017 (O&M)
in CWP No.5580 of 2013
Date of decision: 01.02.2018

Gurnam Singh

..... Appellant

Versus

The Presiding Officer and others

.... Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Raj Kumar Arya, Advocate for the appellant.

Rajesh Bindal, J.

Order passed by the learned Single Judge dated 27.11.2015 has been impugned by filing the present intra-court appeal. Along with the appeal, an application seeking 691 days' delay in filing thereof has also been filed.

The only ground raised in the application is that the applicant/appellant being poor could not arrange funds to engage a counsel.

Needless to add that to support such litigants, State Legal Services Authority provide all facilities. The same could have been availed of.

Delay being huge and even the judgments which are sought to be relied upon to address the case on merits being much prior to the passing of impugned order by the learned Single Judge, we do not find any reason to condone such a huge delay in filing the appeal.

Accordingly, the application seeking condonation of 691 days’ delay in filing the appeal is dismissed. Consequently, the appeal is also dismissed.

(Rajesh Bindal)
Judge

(B.S. Walia)
Judge

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1.

Whether speaking/reasoned

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Yes/No.
2.

Whether reportable

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Yes/No.