

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARAYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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***CM-6927-C-2019 &  
CM-6928-C-2019 &  
CM-6929-C-2019 &  
RSA-2542-2019***

**Date of decision: 20.05.2019**

***HARYANA STATE FEDERATION OF CONSUMER COOPERATIVE  
WHOLE SALE STORE LIMITED SHOP THROUGH ITS MANAGING  
DIRECTOR***

***...APPELLANT***

**VS.**

***BALBIR SINGH***

***..RESPONDENT***

***CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH***

Present: Mr. Pardeep Rajput, Advocate,  
for the appellant.

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**AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH, J. (ORAL)**

**CM-6928-C-2019**

C.M. is allowed subject to just exceptions. Filing of typed/certified copies of judgments and decrees and grounds of appeal is dispensed with.

**CM-6927-C-2019 and RSA-2542-2019**

The present application has been filed after an inordinate delay of 1020 days. The only reason, which has been assigned by the applicant-appellant, is that after receiving the certified copy of the appellate court order dated 21.01.2016, file was pending in the office for the approval of the competent authority for filing the appeal against the impugned order.

Sanction of the authority was obtained on 12.02.2019 leading to the

contacting of the counsel at Chandigarh and after getting the required documents/affidavits, appeal was filed on 15.02.2019 leading to the delay of 1020 days in filing the appeal.

Having considered the submissions made by the counsel for the applicant-appellant and for the reasons mentioned for the delay in filing the appeal, this court is unable to accept the said explanation. The requirement of the Statute has not been fulfilled as there is no justified and reasonable explanation for the inordinate delay in filing the appeal.

No ground is, thus, made out for condoning the delay in filing the appeal. The application, therefore, stands dismissed.

As a consequence of the dismissal of the application, the appeal stands dismissed as barred by limitation.

**CM-6929-C-2019**

In view of the dismissal of the main appeal, the present application has been rendered infructuous and the same is disposed of as such.

**May 20, 2019**

*pj*

**(AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH)  
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No