

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE OF BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

939 CIVIL APPLICATION NO.12676 OF 2019
IN FAST/4542/2019

SANTOSH SHIVNATH SAKHARE
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND ANR

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Advocate for Applicant : Mr. Sarang P Joshi
AGP for Respondents: Mr. Y.G. Gujarathi.

CORAM : K.K. SONAWANE, J.

DATE : 11th FEBRUARY, 2020.

PER COURT:

Heard learned counsel for the applicants and learned AGP for respondent No.1. Despite service of notice, nobody appears for respondent No.2 Zilla Parishad.

2] Perused the application The applicant has preferred present application seeking condonation of delay of 62 days caused for filing first appeal against the impugned judgment and award passed by the CJSD, Vaijapur Dist. Aurangabad in LAR No. 27 of 2015. The learned counsel for the applicant submits that the delay is not intentional and deliberate but caused due to unavoidable circumstances as well as financial crisis.

3] In view of submission and for the reasons mentioned in the application, there is no impediment to condone the delay of 62 days caused in filing the first appeal. Accordingly, the application stands allowed in terms of prayer clause (B). Delay caused for filing

the first appeal is hereby condoned. Registry to take requisite steps for further process.

4] On registration of appeal, issue notice to respondents returnable on 19th March, 2020. Learned AGP Mr. Y.G. Gujarathi, waives notice for respondent No.1.

5] Meanwhile, Call for R. & P. from the concerned Reference Court. After compliance of procedural formalities and receipt of R. & P. list the matter for admission on 19th March, 2020.

[K.K. SONAWANE]
JUDGE.

Grt/-.