

Reliance General Insurance Co.Ltd .. Applicant
Versus
Lalmani Sureshchandra Yadav
and ors .. Respondents

Ms.Poonam Mittal for the applicant.
Mr.Brijesh Shukla for respondent nos.1 to 4.

CORAM: BHARATI DANGRE, J.
DATED : 14th DECEMBER 2021

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1 Heard learned counsel for the applicant and learned
counsel for the respondents.

2 By the present application, the appellant Reliance
General Insurance Co.Ltd, seek condonation of delay of 1 year
40 days in filing an Appeal, assailing the judgment and award
dated 16th August 2016 passed by the MACT, Mumbai which is
challenged in Appeal. Paragraph no.3 of the application proceed
to state that the delay was procedural since the file had to be
routed through several departments and then it was finally taken

to the Regional office and to the head office whose approval was very much necessary before instituting the Appeal. This procedural rigmarole consume some time and cause the delay of 1 year 40 days, is the explanation offered. The delay being procedural in nature and having been sufficiently explained and the reasons stated are bonafide, Civil Application No.2118 of 2018 is allowed by condoning the delay of 1 year 40 days in institution of the Appeal.

3 Civil Application stands disposed of in the aforesaid terms.

4 Registry is directed to register the Appeal.
Learned counsel waive service for the respondents.

5 Appellant is directed to prepare a paper book/compilation of documents within a period of 12 weeks from today. On the paper book being filed, the parties are at liberty to move this Court for fixing up a date for final hearing of the Appeal.

SMT. BHARATI DANGRE, J