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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA
MISC. CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 148 OF 2022
IN
FIRST APPEAL NO.813 OF 2022 (F)**

CHOLAMANDALAM MS GENERAL
INSURANCE COMPANY LTD., THR.
LEGAL MANAGER HEMANT B
GAOKAR APPLICANT

Versus.

PRIYANKA K MAYEKAR AND 5 ORS ... RESPONDENTS.

Mr. James Lopes, Advocate for the Applicant.

Mr. M. D'Souza, Advocate for Respondents No.1 to 4.

Mr. P. Vaze, Advocate for the Respondent No.5.

Mr. Jeevan Bandekar, Advocate for Respondent No.6.

CORAM : M. S. SONAK, J.

DATE : 11th August 2022

P.C. :-

1. Heard the learned Counsel for the parties.
2. There is a delay of 48 days in instituting the appeal. The delay has been sufficiently explained. The applicant is entitled to the benefit of the order made by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of

India extending the period of limitation during the COVID pandemic.

3. Therefore, considering the above aspects, the delay is condoned subject to payment of ₹5,000/- by way of costs payable to the claimants. The costs should be paid/deposited on or before 24th August 2022, without fail and without seeking any extension of time. Further, if the costs are not paid by 24th August, then this application shall be deemed to be dismissed.

4. Civil application is disposed of in the above terms.

M. S. SONAK, J.