

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

**CIVIL APPLICATION NO.3881 of 2019
IN
FIRST APPEAL (ST) NO.24967 OF 2019**

The State of Maharashtra
through the Deputy Collector and ors. Applicants / Appellants

Versus

Shri. Krushna Mangal MhatreRespondent

Ms.Tanaya Goswami, AGP for the Applicants-State.

CORAM : SHRIKANT D. KULKARNI, J.

DATE : 21st JUNE, 2022.

P.C. :

1. This is an Application for condonation of delay moved by the Applicants-State.
2. Heard Ms. Tanaya Goswami, AGP for the Applicants – State.
3. The Respondent though duly served, remained absent when the matter is called out.
4. There is delay of 294 days in preferring the Appeal. By looking at small volume of delay and for the reasons stated in the Application for condonation of delay, more particularly paragraph nos.4 and 5, the delay needs to be condoned in the interests of justice. Hence, the following order;

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- (i) Application for condonation of delay is hereby allowed in

terms of 7(b).

- (ii) Registry is directed to make scrutiny of Appeal as per procedure and thereafter it be numbered and place the matter before the appropriate Court.
- (iii) Civil Application for condonation of delay is accordingly disposed of.

(SHRIKANT D. KULKARNI, J.)