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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1549 OF 2023
IN
WRIT PETITION NO. 1149 OF 2021**

Lata Bhaskar Chavan Wife of Late Bhaskar ... Applicants
Popat Chavan and another

vs.

The Security Printing and Minting ... Respondents
Corporation of India Ltd Thr. Chairman
and Ors

Mr. Vishal P. Shirke for the Applicants
Mr. Y. S. Bhate for the Respondent-Union of India

**CORAM : R. D. DHANUKA &
GAURI GODSE, JJ.
DATED : 16 MARCH, 2023**

P.C. :-

1. This Application is filed for bringing legal heirs of Petitioner No. 4 on record. There is delay of 1 year 7 months and 19 days in filing the Application. Applicants have filed a separate additional affidavit explaining the reasons that have occurred in filing the Application at belated stage. Reasons mentioned in the additional affidavit are acceptable and condonable.

2. Considering the reasons in the additional affidavit, delay

caused in filing the Application is condoned. For the reasons stated in the Application, it is allowed in terms of prayer clause (a). Amendment to be carried out within one week from today. Amended copy to be served upon the Respondents.

3. Respondents are directed to process the claim for pension in accordance with law and to make a statement before this Court on the next date.

4. Place the matter under the captions of 'Directions on 3rd April 2023, to be placed on the supplementary board.

(GAURI GODSE, J.)

(R. D. DHANUKA, J.)