



**THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT
(HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL
PRADESH)
KOHIMA BENCH**

Case No. : I.A.(Crl.)/31/2025

SHR VESURAYI MEDEO
S/ LATE JAPAN, PHUYOBA VILLAGE, PHEK NAGALAND-797108, THROUGH
THE JAILOR, DISTRICT JAIL, PHEK, NAGALAND

VERSUS

STATE OF NAGALAND AND ANR
KOHIMA NAGALAND-797001 2:SHRI VEDUTSO MEDEO (COMPLAINANT)
K BAWE VILLAGE
PHEK NAGALAND-79710

Advocate for the Petitioner : ARENLONG,

Advocate for the Respondent : P.P, NAGALAND,

Linked Case : CRL.A(J)/5/2025

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NAGALAND appearing for STATE OF NAGALAND AND ANR

BEFORE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MICHAEL ZOTHANKHUMA
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE YARENJUNGLA LONGKUMER

ORDER

Date : 18/11/2025
M. Zothankhuma, J

Heard Mr. Arenlong, learned counsel for the applicant, who submits that there is a delay of 1075 days in filing the appeal against the judgement of conviction of the applicant under sections 10 & 12 of the POCSO Act.

Mr.K. Angami, learned APP, Nagaland, submits that he does not have any comments to make if the delay is condoned.

On considering the fact that the matter pertains to the personal liberty of the convict, we are of the view that delay should be condoned.

Accordingly, the delay of 1075 days in filing the appeal is condoned.

IA stands disposed of.

JUDGE

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Comparing Assistant