

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION
IN ITS COMMERCIAL DIVISION**

INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 5499 OF 2025

IN

COMPANY PETITION NO. 488 OF 2015

Hem Kumar Jha

...Applicant

Versus

Elder Pharmaceuticals Ltd. (in Liqn)

...Respondent

Mr. Devendra Pandey for Applicant.

Ms Akanksha Agrawal for Official Liquidator.

Mr. Chetan Shelke, Deputy Official Liquidator present.

CORAM : ARIF S. DOCTOR, J.

DATE : 5th DECEMBER, 2025.

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1 The captioned interim application is taken out for condonation of delay of 1157 days in lodging of the claim of the Applicant with the Official Liquidator. A very fair stand has been taken by Ms Agarwal learned Counsel for the Official Liquidator. Ms Agarwal does not oppose the condonation of delay but clarifies that the claim of the Applicant shall be considered on its own merits.

2 Hence, Interim Application is disposed of by permitting the Applicant to lodge their claim with the Official Liquidator within a period of two weeks

from today.

3 Interim application is accordingly disposed of.

[ARIF S. DOCTOR, J.]