

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

960 CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 10358 OF 2025
IN FAST/16392/2025
WITH
CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 10359 OF 2025
IN FAST/16392/2025

THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER MINOR IRRIGATION DIVISION OSMANABAD
AND ORS
VERSUS
AJAY MOHAN SONTAKKE

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Advocate for Applicant : Mr. Ruturaj Chandrashekar Patil

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CORAM : SHAILESH P. BRAHME, J.

DATE : 06.01.2026

PER COURT :

CIVIL APPLICATION FOR CONDONATION OF DELAY

1. The applicant-Acquiring Body seeks to condone delay of 3321 days in preferring the appeal.
2. None appears for the respondent, though served.
3. The averments of the application are not contested. I do not find any *mala fides* on the part of the applicant to cause the delay intentionally. The condonation of delay has repercussion on the public exchequer. The delay stands condoned.

FIRST APPEAL (STAMP)

4. Issue notice to the respondent for final disposal at admission stage, returnable on 16.02.2026.
5. Call for record and proceedings.

6. Print is dispensed with.
7. The matter shall be decided finally on 16.02.2026.

(SHAILESH P. BRAHME, J.)

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