

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 525 OF 2026

IN

FIRST APPEAL (ST) NO. 33224/2018

JANABAI KERU AHER & ORS.

..... APPLICANTS

IN THE MATTER BETWEEN

KACHRABAI SADU JADHAV

..... APPELLANT

VS

STATE OF MAHARASHTRA & ANR.

..... RESPONDENTS

Adv. Ashish Gabhale i/b. Jay & Co. for the Appellant.

Mr. A. R. Patil, Additional G.P for the State/Respondents.

CORAM : RAJESH S. PATIL, J.

DATE : 30 JANUARY, 2026

P.C. :-

- 1) Not on board. Taken on board.
- 2) This interim application has been filed to bring on record the legal heirs of the sole appellant. There is delay in filing the present Interim Application.
- 3) Heard learned advocate for the applicant and Additional Government Pleader and I have gone through the documents on record.

4) The Division Bench of this Court in *Keshao s/o. Kawadu Maral and another Versus State of Maharashtra and others*, reported in *2005 (1) MahLJ 1059*, condoned the delay of six years in filing the Application of bringing the legal heirs on record, relying on the Supreme Court judgment of *Sardar Amarjit Singh Karla (dead) by LRS. and others Versus Pramod Gupta (Smt.) (dead) by LRS. and others, reported in 2003 (3) SCC 272..*

5) Taking into consideration the law laid down in the above judgments and for the reasons stated in the application, I am convinced that this Interim Application requires to be allowed.

6) The present **Interim Application is allowed in terms of prayer clauses (a) and (b).**

7) Amendment to be carried out within a period of two weeks from today.

8) Interim Application is accordingly **disposed of.**

(RAJESH S. PATIL, J.)