

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO.1084 OF 2026**

**IN**

**FIRST APPEAL (ST) NO.16027 OF 2025**

Divisional Controller Maharashtra State Road Transport Corporation ...**Applicant**

*Versus*

Sulochana Jayprakash Manjrekar and Ors. ...**Respondents**

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**Mr. Sumedh Gaikwad** i/by D. D. Rananaware, *for the Applicant.*

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**CORAM R. M. JOSHI, J.**  
**DATED: 13<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2026**

**PC:-**

**1.** This Application is filed by the Applicant for restoration of appeal dismissed against the Respondents for failure on the part of the Appellant to serve them.

**2.** Learned counsel for the Appellant, submits that since the appeal was dismissed without serving notice to the other side, notice of the present Application to the Respondents be dispensed with. Since the Appeal and Interim Applications were dismissed before issuance of notice to the

Respondents, notice of present application stands dispensed with.

**3.** The Applicant has given satisfactory reasons for not filing Application for restoration in time. The learned counsel for the Appellant undertakes to take steps to serve Respondents within a period of three weeks. In view of the said undertaking, the Application stands allowed. The Appeal and Interim Applications stands restored to its original file and record.

**4.** In case no steps are taken within a period of three weeks from from today for effecting service on Respondents, this order shall stand vacated and Appeal shall stand dismissed. In case the copies are supplied by the Appellant for issuance of notice to the Respondents, issue notice to the Respondents returnable on **15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026**.

**(R. M. JOSHI, J)**