



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 11.03.2026

CORAM

THE HON'BLE MR.SUSHRUT ARVIND DHARMADHIKARI,
CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.ARUL MURUGAN

CMP No.30916 of 2025

in WA SR No.191616 of 2025

1. Union of India, Rep by Secretary
Rep. by Secretary, National Highways
Department, New Delhi and another

2.National Highways Authority Of India
Rep. by its Project Director, in charge of NH 4 and
NH-46, Vellore District, Vellore-632009 Appellants

Vs

1. D Jayakumar Charles
No.129, Devadamam Village, Gudimallur Post,
Wallajahpettai, Vellore District-632513

2.The District Collector
Sathuvachari, Vellore-632012

3.The Competent Authority (Ia) Cum
Special District Officer, Land Acquisition (NH-4
and NH-46), Vellore District , Vellore-632009 Respondents

PRAYER : To condone the delay of 68 days in preferring the instant Writ
appeal against the order passed in WP No.37502/2016 dt. 25.02.2025

For Appellants : Su Srinivasan

For Respondents : Mr.David Tyagaraj, for R-1
Mr..E.Vijay Anand,
Additional Government Pleader
For respondents 2 and 3



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ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

Heard learned counsel for the applicant and learned counsel for the respondent.

2. This is an application for condonation of delay of 68 days in filing the appeal.

3. Taking into consideration the short period of delay and the cause shown, we are inclined to condone the delay.

4. Application for condonation of delay is allowed.

5. Registry is directed to number the appeal and list for admission after a week.

(SUSHRUT ARVIND DHARMADHIKARI, C.J.) (G.ARUL MURUGAN, J.)

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