


MHKO050018282017 	<u>Order below Exh. 63 in RCS No.193/2017</u> <u>Shri Tukaram Bandu Dhulugade etc Vs.</u> <u>Vijaykumar Raghunath Kulkarni etc</u> <u>CNR No.MHKO050018282017</u>
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The instant application is filed by defendant nos. 1 to 5 praying for condonation of delay in filing amendment application for seeking amendment of their written statement.

2. It is the contention of the defendants that in view of pandemic situation arisen due to spread of Covid-19 virus, the instant application could not be filed within limitation. They accordingly pray for condonation of delay in filing of the application.

3. I have heard respective counsels appearing for defendants and plaintiff. Perused the application and reply filed below Exh.65. At the very outset it is pertinent to note here that the instant application is filed by present applicant in the month of April, 2021. Judicial note can be taken of the fact that, functioning of the Court was hampered during the said period. Moreover, time and again the State Government had imposed lock-down. Thus, in view of directions issued by Hon'ble Apex Court, the period of limitation has to be excluded. Accordingly I proceed to pass following order :-

ORDER

The application at Exh.63 stands allowed.

Delay in filing of application at Exh.62 stands condoned.

(Dictated and Pronounced in Open Court)

Date- 12/07/2022
Ichalkaranji

(Shri. S. A. Ingley)
2nd Jt. Civil Judge Junior Division,
Ichalkaranji

-- C E R T I F I C A T E --

I affirm that the contents of this P.D.F. file Judgment/ Orders are same, word to word, as per the original Judgment / Order.

Name of stenographer	R. D. Jadhav
Name of Court	Shri. S. A. Ingley 2 nd Jt. Civil Judge Jr. Div., Ichalkarnaji.
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Order signed by P.O. on	12/07/2022
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