

Order below Exh.54

Perused the application. This is for condonation of delay in filing Written Statement on record.

02. It is contended that defendant has filed say to interim application on 18/11/2021 at Exh. 20. This say has heading as 'तुर्तातुर्त ताकीद अर्जास म्हणणे' instead of 'दाव्याला कैफियत व तुर्तातुर्त ताकीद अर्जास म्हणणे'. Because of this, there was delay of three years five months and ten days in filing W.S. Now, defendant prayed for condonation of such delay.

03. On the other hand, plaintiff filed his say and opposed the application contending that the the said delay is because of carelessness of defendant.

04. Heard both sides. Perused the record. '*Audi Alteram Partem*' – both parties should heard is the basic principle of natural justice. Hence, in order to decide the suit on merits and in the interest of justice, considering delay period in present suit, I pass following order :-

ORDER

1. The application is allowed, subject to cost of Rs. 500/- payable to the other side.
2. Delay of three years five months and ten days, mentioned in the application is hereby condoned.
3. Defendant is allowed to file his Written Statement on record on or before next date after depositing above said cost amount to the other side.

Date:27/06/2025

Place: Lanja.

(S. R. Joshi)
Civil Judge Junior Division.
Lanja.

CERTIFICATE

I affirm that the contents of this pdf file Order are same words as per original Order,

Name of the Stenographer: S. D. Chavan

*Court Name: Civil & Criminal Court, Lanja,
Dist.Ratnagiri,*

Date of decision : 27/06/2025.

Judgment/Order signed by P.O.on : 27/06/2025.

Judgment/Order uploaded on : 30/06/2025.