

HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

MAIN CASE No.: M.A.C.M.A.No.1224 of 2025

PROCEEDING SHEET

Sl. No	DATE	ORDER	
.	13.03.2026	<u>CMR,J & GTK,J</u> <u>I.A.No.1 of 2025</u> Counter of respondent No.1 filed. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for respondent No.1. Respondent Nos.3 and 4 reported no counter. There is a delay of 220 days in filing the appeal. It is contended that the petitioner is the Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation and in obtaining approval after receiving certified copy of the order, that the appeal has to be filed and in the said process, the said delay took place. Respondent No.1 filed counter opposing the said application. It is contended that the petitioner Corporation has filed the copy application for certified copy of the award after nine months from the date of passing the award and they did not explain the said delay properly. Since the petitioner is the Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation, considering the procedural delays of the employees of the Corporation in taking the decision to prefer an	

		appeal, we are of the considered view that a liberal approach has to be shown in considering the petition for condonation of the said delay. Therefore, this petition is allowed. The delay of 220 days is condoned on payment of costs of Rs.2,000/- to the respondents within three (03) weeks from the date of this order, failing which, the petition stands dismissed. List the matter on 06.04.2026 for payment of costs. <u>CMR, J</u> <u>GTK, J</u> ARR	
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