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THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT
(HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)

Case No. : I.A.(Civil)/2014/2026

THE STATE OF ASSAM
REPRESENTED BY THE DIRECTOR OF TOURISM, ASSAM, GOVT. OF
ASSAM.

VERSUS

1.GROUP M MEDIA INDIA PVT. LTD. AND 4 ORS.
A COMPANY INCORPORATED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF COMPANIES
ACT, 1956, HAVING ITS REGISTERED OFFICE AT COMMERZ, 8TH FLOOR,
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS PART, OBEROI GARDEN CITY, OFF. WESTERN
EXPRESS HIGHWAY, GOREGAON (EAST), MUMBAI- 400063 AND ALSO
HAVING ITS OFFICE AND CARRYING ON BUSINESS FROM KOLKATA
HAVING ITS LOCAL ADDRESS AT 30, BONDED ROAD, KOLKATA- 700019,
REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR SHRI GAUTAM GANGULI

2:GAUTAM GANGULI
SON OF DR. DEBA PRASHAD GANGULI
R/O D.L 148 SECTOR-2 SALT LAKE KOLKATA- 700091

3:THE STATE OF ASSAM
REPRESENTED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO TOURISM
DEPARTMENT
DISPUR GUWAHATI-6

4:THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM
TOURISM DEPARTMENT GOVT. OF ASSAM
DISPUR GUWAHATI-06.

5:THE SECRETARY
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
DISPUR GUWAHATI- 0

For the Applicant(s) : Ms. M. Bhattacharjee, Additional Senior Government Advocate,
Assam.

For the Respondent(s) :

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HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. ASHUTOSH KUMAR

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN DEV CHOUDHURY

17.06.2026

(Ashutosh Kumar, CJ)

This Interlocutory Application has been preferred by the applicant/State of Assam, seeking condonation of delay of 254 days in preferring the appeal against the judgment and order dated 14.07.2025 passed by a learned Single Judge of this Court in WP(C) No.7324/2013.

Let notice be issued to respondent Nos.1 and 2, on steps being taken by the applicant within a period of 2(two) weeks from today by speed post as well as by usual process, returnable on 16.09.2026.

JUDGE

CHIEF JUSTICE

Comparing Assistant