

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/CIVIL APPLICATION (FOR CONDONATION OF DELAY) NO. 838 of
2025****In F/FIRST APPEAL NO. 2974 of 2025**

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RELIANCE GENERAL INSURANCE CO. LTD.**Versus****PARMAR RASHMIKANT MAHESHBHAI & ORS.**

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Appearance:**MS KIRTI S PATHAK(9966) for the Applicant(s) No. 1****MR ZEESHAN J SHAIKH(13718) for the Respondent(s) No. 1,2,3****RULE UNSERVED for the Respondent(s) No. 4,5**

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DEVAN M. DESAI**Date : 30/04/2025****ORAL ORDER**

1. It is reported that learned advocate Mr.Zeeshan Shaikh for respondent Nos.1 to 3 has filed a sick note.

2. Learned advocate Ms.Kirti Pathak for the applicant has tendered copy of Jangum Warrant issued by Additional Registrar, City Civil Court, Ahmedabad passed in M.Application No.27 of 2025 on 21.04.2025. The same is taken on record.

3. Learned advocate for the applicant has submitted that in execution application Jangum Warrant has been issued on 21.04.2025. Since the applicant is facing Jangum

Warrant, application for stay may be also taken up for hearing today.

3. By way of an application, applicant has prayed for condonation of delay of 72 days caused in preferring the First Appeal.

4. Learned advocate for the applicant has submitted that the delay has caused in preferring the First Appeal is mainly attributed to the time consumed in seeking legal opinion and hence, the file has travelled through different departments of the applicant. Thus, the reason for delay is administrative procedure and time consumed in decision making process. It is further submitted that the delay caused was not intentional and there was no lethargy on the part of the applicant.

5 Having considered the contentions and submissions of learned advocate for the applicant and averments made in the application, the cause for delay is administrative reason and time consumed in decision making process. Sufficient cause has been made out for condonation of delay. Hence, in the interest of justice, the delay in preferring the First Appeal is condoned.

6. Civil Application is allowed. Rule is made absolute.

7 Registry is directed to list captioned First Appeal for admission with Civil Application for Stay on 08.05.2025.

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(D. M. DESAI,J)

Original copy of this order has been signed by the Hon'ble Judge.
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