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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA
WRIT PETITION NO.638 OF 2024

CHARLES ANTHONY PACO THR. POA
JOSEPH SYLVESTER CARNEIRO

... PETITIONER

Versus

IDA PACO MADEIRA (SINCE DECEASED
THR. LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE AND ANR

... RESPONDENTS

Mr. Pravin Faldessai, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Gajanan Ramani, Advocate for Respondent Nos. 1(a), 1(b), 1(c)
and 1(d).

Mr. Akhil Parrikar, Advocate for Respondent Nos.2.1 and 2.2.

CORAM:- VALMIKI MENEZES, J.

DATED :- 16th July, 2025

P.C.:

1. The objection taken by the Respondents is to the Power of Attorney dated 07.05.2000 executed by the Original Appellants/Plaintiffs in these proceedings, who are in Canada. The Power of Attorney states that the same is executed jointly in favour of the Attorney representing Mr. Charles Anthony Paco in the present proceedings, who has not signed any of the proceedings. Though the Power of Attorney is now placed on record along with certain medical records to substantiate the delay in filing the appeal, the question still remains, as to whether the principles ratified the action taken by the present attorney i.e. Joseph Sylvester Carneiro, in the absence of the joint attorney.

2. The Petitioner shall place on record an affidavit of the original principal Charles Anthony Paco, who is the original Plaintiff and the Petitioner herein.

3. List the matter on 04.09.2025.

VALMIKI MENEZES, J.