

C.M.P.(MD).No. 5462 of 2026
in
C.M.A(MD)SR.No. 27509 of 2026

K.K.RAMAKRISHNAN, J.

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The Civil Miscellaneous Petition has been filed seeking orders to condone the delay of 93 days in filing the appeal against the award, dated 24.09.2025 made in M.C.O.P.No.874 of 2024 on the file of the Motor Accident Claims Tribunal, Special Subordinate Judge, Dindigul.

2.The learned counsel appearing for the Insurance Company would submit that, in the present appeal, the challenge is confined only to the quantum of compensation and, therefore, notice to the owner of the vehicle may be dispensed with.

3.Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner as well as the learned counsel appearing for the respondents and also perused the records.

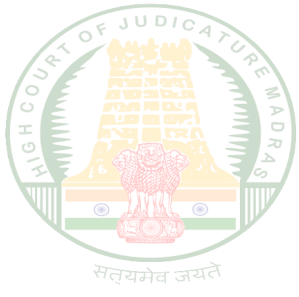
4.The respondents has/have vehemently opposed to condone the delay.

5.This Court applying the principle laid down by the Hon'ble Three Judges Bench of Supreme Court in the case of **DDA vs. Tejpal** reported in **(2024) 7 SCC 433** satisfied the reasons stated in the accompanying affidavit filed in support of the condone delay petition and also in the interest of justice to give opportunity to contest the case on merits, this Court is inclined to condone the delay of 93 days

6.Accordingly, this petition is ordered and the Registry is directed to take the appeal on file, if it is otherwise in order and list the matter in the regular course.

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