



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

WA No.514 of 2025

Secretary, Odisha Public Service Commission, Cuttack **Appellant**

Mr. Arnav Behera, Advocate

-versus-

Rajani Padhan and others **Respondents**

Mr. Sisir Kumar Purohit, Advocate

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MURAHARI SRI RAMAN

ORDER

23.09.2025

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01. **I.A. No.1150 of 2025**

1. This is an application for condonation of delay of 7 days in preferring the instant appeal beyond the period of limitation provided therefor.
2. Learned counsel appearing for the respondents vehemently opposes the application for condonation of delay.
3. After perusal of the averments made in the instant application and upon hearing the learned counsel for the parties, we find that explanation offered is satisfactory and constitute sufficient cause for the purpose of condonation of delay.
4. Accordingly, the Interlocutory Application is allowed. The delay in filing the instant appeal is condoned.

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5. List this matter on 8th October, 2025 under the heading "Fresh Admission".

(Harish Tandon)
Chief Justice

(M.S. Raman)
Judge