

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 1091 of 2021****In****F/LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO. 12685 of 2021**

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STATE OF GUJARAT

Versus

PUSHPAKKUMAR SHANTILAL PANCHAL

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Appearance:

MS DIVYANGNA JHALA AGP (1) for the Applicant(s) No. 1,2

RULE SERVED(64) for the Respondent(s) No. 1

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.V.ANJARIA

and

HONOURABLE DR. JUSTICE A. P. THAKER**Date : 30/09/2021****ORAL ORDER****(PER : HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.V.ANJARIA)**

Heard learned Assistant Government Pleader Ms.Divyangna Jhala for the applicant – State. Rule is served, but none appeared on behalf of the respondent.

2. That the State has preferred this application to condone the delay of 26 days, which has taken place in preferring the Letters Patent Appeal against the order of the learned Single Judge dated 16.01.2020 passed in Special Civil Application No.2247 of 2018.

3. The reasons supplied to explain the delay are in the administrative process which was required to be undertaken before the final decision to prefer the appeal could be taken the realm of.

4. Sufficient cause can be said to have been made out. Delay of 26 days is condoned.
5. Civil Application is allowed. Rule is made absolute.

(N.V.ANJARIA, J)

V.R. PANCHAL

(DR. A. P. THAKER, J)