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**IN THE APPELLATE TRIBUNAL FOR ELECTRICITY
(Appellate Jurisdiction)**

DFR No : 226 of 2025 & IA No. 984 OF 2025 & IA No. 985 OF 2025

Dated: 4th August, 2025

Present : Hon`ble Mr. Justice Ramesh Ranganathan, Chairperson
Hon`ble Ms. Seema Gupta, Technical Member (Electricity)

In the matter of:

Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Company Limited Appellant(s)

Versus

M/s. Manas Agro Industries and Infrastructure Limited & Anr. Respondent(s)

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ORDER

Despite of notice, no counsel has entered appearance on behalf of the Appellant.

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For condonation of delay in filing the Appeal) (102 days)

While the delay, as recorded by the Registry, is of 102 days in filing the appeal, the explanation furnished for the delay of 102 days is of administrative reasons which, in our view, does not constitute “sufficient cause” for condonation of delay. As the delay, in filing the appeal in the present case, is of 102 days, we deem it appropriate to condone the delay on condition that the Applicant-Appellant pays costs of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only) to the Central Transmission Utility of India Limited (CTUIL) within four weeks from today, and files proof of payment in the Registry within two weeks thereafter.

Needless to state that, in case the aforesaid costs are not paid within four weeks from today and an affidavit of proof of payment is not filed in the Registry within two weeks thereafter, the application, for condonation of delay in filing the appeal, shall stand dismissed automatically, and the Appeal shall stand rejected.

The IA is, accordingly, disposed of.

The Appellant shall also intimate the CTUIL of the Appeal No. and the date of the Order, in terms of which costs are being paid.

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Post the IA for interim relief on **18.09.2025.**

(Seema Gupta)
Technical Member (Electricity)

(Justice Ramesh Ranganathan)
Chairperson