

COURT-1

IN THE APPELLATE TRIBUNAL FOR ELECTRICITY
(Appellate Jurisdiction)

DFR No : 309 of 2025 & IA No. 1257 OF 2025 & IA No. 77 OF 2026 & IA
No. 78 OF 2026

Dated: 3rd February, 2026

Present : Hon`ble Mr. Justice Ramesh Ranganathan, Chairperson
Hon`ble Mr. Ajay Talegaonkar, Technical Member (Electricity)

In the matter of:

Geeta Rani		Appellant(s)
Versus		
Haryana Electricity Regulatory Commission & Ors.		Respondent(s)

Counsel on record for the Appellant(s) : Anshul Syal
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for App. 1

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for Res. 2

ORDER

IA No. 1257 of 2025

(for condonation of delay of 52 days in filing the appeal)

The present application is filed seeking condonation of delay of 52 days in filing the appeal. The explanation furnished for the delay is that of

administrative reasons, which does not constitute “sufficient cause” to condone the delay. While the explanation furnished is undoubtedly insufficient, we are satisfied that the delay is not so inordinate as to non-suit the Appellant on the ground of delay. We consider it appropriate, in such circumstances, to condone the delay on condition that the Appellant pays costs of Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand only) to the Central Transmission Utility of India Ltd. (CTUIL) within four weeks, and files proof of payment in the Registry within two weeks thereafter. The delay is condoned, and the application is disposed of, subject to compliance with the aforesaid directions.

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

IA No. 77 of 2026
(for substitution)
&

IA No. 78 of 2026
(for condonation of delay in filing the IA)

Ms. Bhavana Duhoon, Learned Counsel for the Appellant, seeks permission to withdraw IA Nos. 77 & 78 of 2026. The IAs are accordingly, dismissed as withdrawn.

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Reply shall be filed by the Respondents within six weeks and rejoinder, if any, shall be filed within four weeks' thereafter. After compliance of the aforesaid directions, and after verification by the Registry as to whether

pleadings are complete, let this Appeal be included in the '**List of Finals**' to be taken up from there, in its turn.

Ajay Talegaonkar
Technical Member (Electricity)

Justice Ramesh Ranganathan
Chairperson

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