

HIGH COURT OF SIKKIM
Record of Proceedings

I.A. No. 01 of 2025 and I.A. No. 02 of 2025 in CRL.L.P/6/2025(Filing No.)

State of Sikkim

Applicant

VERSUS

Topden Thendup Lachungpa

Respondent

Date : **13-08-2025**

CORAM : THE HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI MADAN RAI, JUDGE
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BHASKAR RAJ PRADHAN, JUDGE

For Applicant

Mr. Yadev Sharma, Additional Public Prosecutor.
Ms. Pema Bhutia, Assistant Public Prosecutor.

For Respondent

Mr. Jorgay Namka, Senior Advocate (Legal Aid Counsel).
Ms. Mingma Lhamu Sherpa, Advocate (Legal Aid Counsel).

ORDER

Rai, J.

On Mention Memo being filed for listing, this matter on 13-08-2025, this matter is taken up for consideration today.

Heard on I.A. No.02 of 2025.

Bail granted.

Order pronounced orally in open Court.

Detailed Order vide separate sheets of paper.

I.A. No.02 of 2025 stands disposed of.

Heard Learned Additional Public Prosecutor on I.A. No.01 of 2025, which is an application filed under Section 5 of the Limitation Act, 1963, seeking condonation of seven days' delay in filing the instant Appeal.

Learned Senior Counsel for the Respondent has no objection to the Petition.

We have heard Learned Counsel for the parties and given due consideration to their submissions. We have perused the grounds put forth in the I.A. seeking condonation of delay. We are of the considered view that the delay has been sufficiently explained and also in view of the fact that the Learned Senior Counsel for the Respondent has no objection to the Petition, the delay is accordingly condoned.

I.A. No.01 of 2025 disposed of accordingly.

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Register the Leave Petition.

Having heard Learned Counsel for the parties and given due consideration to the submissions put forth, we permit leave to appeal.

Leave Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

Heard on I.A. No. 01 of 2025 which is an application filed by filed under Section 5 of the Limitation Act, 1963, seeking condonation of seven days' delay in filing the instant Appeal.

In view of the order (*supra*) in I.A. No.01 of 2025, delay stands condoned accordingly.

I.A. No.01 of 2025 stands disposed of.

Register the Criminal Appeal.

Heard on admission.

Admit the Appeal.

Call for the records from the Learned Trial Court.

Let Paper-Books be prepared.

List on 22-09-2025.

Judge
13-08-2025

Judge
13-08-2025

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