**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA**
**CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

**CIVIL APPEAL NO. OF 2026**
**(@ DIARY NO.63773/2026)**

**SAHARA INDIA TV NETWORK AUTHORISED OFFICER** **Appellant(s)**

**VERSUS**

**DEN NEW BROAD COMMUNICATION PVT LTD & ANR.** **Respondent(s)**

**O R D E R**

1. Though there is a delay of 255 days in filing this appeal, we have nevertheless heard learned senior counsel for the appellant. We have also perused the application seeking condonation of delay. The reasons for the delay are explained in the application as under:-

> "3. That the impugned judgment and order was passed on 28.11.2025. Since, the Sahara Group is facing multiple actions/investigations and overall, distressed situation, some time was consumed in arranging the relevant documents and taking steps for filing the Appeal. It is pertinent to mention that various employees of Sahara Group have left their employment and therefore, some time was consumed in getting the appeal prepared and filed. Thus, inadvertently delay of 255 days has occasioned in filing the Appeal which is not deliberate or intentional. As such, through the instant application, the benevolent indulgence of this Hon'ble Court is sought for condoning the delay of 255 days in filing the accompanying Appeal under Section 18 of the TRAI Act."

2. On consideration of the same, we find that the explanation offered for seeking condonation of delay in filing this appeal is neither satisfactory nor sufficient in law so as to condone the delay in filing this appeal. In the circumstances, we dismiss the application seeking condonation of delay.

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3. Consequently, the Civil Appeal also stands dismissed on the ground of delay.

4. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

……J.
(B.V. NAGARATHNA)

……J.
(R. MAHADEVAN)

NEW DELHI;
NOVEMBER 03, 2026

**ITEM NO.14 COURT NO.3 SECTION XVII-B**

**S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A**
**RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS**

**CIVIL APPEAL DIARY NO(S). 63773/2026**

**[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 28-11-2025 in BP No. 487/2014 passed by the Telecom Disputes Settlement and Appellate Tribunal]**

**SAHARA INDIA TV NETWORK AUTHORISED OFFICER Appellant(s)**

**VERSUS**

**DEN NEW BROAD COMMUNICATION PVT LTD & ANR. Respondent(s)**

**(IA No. 336185/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING
IA No. 336183/2026 - EX-PARTE STAY
IA No. 336182/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

**Date : 03-11-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.**

**CORAM :**
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**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R. MAHADEVAN**

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**UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following**
**O R D E R**

1. The Civil Appeal is dismissed in terms of the signed

order.

2. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

**(RADHA SHARMA)**
**ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS**

**(DIVYA BABBAR)**
**COURT MASTER (NSH)**

**(Signed order is placed on the file)**