

**ORDER SHEET**  
**CENTRAL GOVT. INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL CUM LABOUR COURT,**  
**JABALPUR(MP)**

**CASE NO. CGIT/LC/EPFA/40/2019**  
**DRM West Central Railway JBP Vs. RPFC, Jabalpur**

Date of order of proceeding	Order or proceeding with signature of Presiding Officer	Signature of parties or pleaders where necessary
29-3-2022	<p>Taken up.</p> <p>Shri Aditya Singh learned counsel for the appellant.</p> <p>Shri J.K.Pillai, learned Counsel for the Respondent.</p> <p>The present appeal has been filed against the order of Respondent Authority under Section 7A passed on 30-9-2008 and order Under Section 7B of Employees Provident Fund And Misc. Provisions Act,1952, herein after referred to the word Act", passed on 29-4-2009. The Appeal has been filed on 13-8-2009, hence delay by almost 10 years.</p> <p>Appellant has filed an application for condonation of delay with affidavit.</p> <p>I have heard learned counsel for appellant Mr. Aditya Singh and Mr. J.K.Pillai , learned counsel for the respondent on application of condonation of delay and</p>	



admission of appeal for hearing.

The ground taken for condonation of delay is that due beaurocratic process it took 10 years in filing the appeal.

The period of limitation as provided in the EPF Act for filing of the appeal is 30 days, which can be extended to another 30 days on sufficient grounds.

Learned Counsel for the Respondent has vehemently opposed the application for condonation of delay.

Keeping in view the ground taken for condonation of delay as mentioned in the application, I find them grossly inadequate for condonation , hence, rejecting the application for condonation of delay , the appeal is dismissed as barred by limitation.



**PRESIDING OFFICER**