

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL, WESTERN ZONE
BENCH, PUNE**

**Appeal No. 04/2017 (WZ)
(M.A.No. 34/2017)**

In the matter of :-

Conservation Action Trust & Anr. Vrs. Union of India & Ors.

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U.D. SALVI, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE DR. AJAY A. DESHPANDE, EXPERT MEMBER**

Present: Applicant/Appellant : Mr. Rahul Choudhary, in person.
 Respondents : None present.

Date and Remarks	Orders of the Tribunal
<p>Item No.3 22nd March, 2017 Order No. 3</p> <p>ajp</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>M.A.No. 34/2017 :</u></p> <p>Service Affidavits dated 2nd and 9th March, 2017 reveal service of notice on Respondent Nos.1 to4 by Dasti. Nobody appears on behalf of Respondents.</p> <p>The Application reveals that impugned order of environmental clearance dated 2nd November 2016 was downloaded on 15th November 2016 from the website of MoEF&CC and Appeal came to be filed on 27th January, 2017. The Applicant explains that the voluminous record revealing the material requiring technical assistance for its interpretation had to be gone through and examined critically before filing the Appeal and the entire process consumed time resulting in the delay in question. It appears that the Respondents have hardly anything to say against the facts contended in the Application and have therefore, chosen to remain away from this Tribunal despite service of notice. Delay is, therefore, condoned. M.A. No.34/2017 stands disposed of.</p> <p>Appeal is admitted.</p> <p>Issue fresh notice of the Appeal to the Respondents by R.P.A.D. and Dasti as well. Notice made returnable on 11-4-2017.</p> <p>List the case on 11th April, 2017.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">....., JM (Justice U.D. Salvi)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">....., EM (Dr. Ajay Deshpande)</p>