From

Rajat Singh Jain, H.J.S.,

District Judge, Meerut.

To

The Registrar General,

Hon'ble High Court of Judicature at Allahabad,

Prayagraj.

Subject: Application for condonation of delay in submitting property statements.

Sir,

It is humbly submitted that I submitted property statement at the time of joining of service vide endorsement number 423/XV dated 20/02/2010 of the District Judge, Jhansi to the Hon'ble court. Thereafter I submitted property statements for the period from 15/02/2008 to 31/03/2009 and 01/04/2009 to 31/03/2010 vide later dated 29/09/2010 having endorsement number 2301/XV dated 30/09/2010 of the District Judge Jhansi. As desired by the Hon'ble court, I submitted my revised property statements for financial years 2008 - 2009 and 2009 – 2010 by letter dated 13/01/2012 having endorsement number 91/XV dated 17/01/2012 of the District Judge Jhansi. Thereafter, I submitted property statements for financial years 2010 - 2011, 2011 - 2012, 2012 - 2013 and 2013 - 2014 by letter dated 15/07/2014 having endorsement number 2324/I dated 18/09/2014 of a District Judge, Bulandshahr. After submission of these property statements, the Hon'ble court raised certain queries and asked about previous 10 years statements when I sent information regarding purchase of flat from a reputed builder. As I joined the service only on 15/12/2008 and prior to that I was doing private practice as an advocate, I did not keep the detailed records except necessary income tax returns, acknowledgements, and a few other papers. At that time, I was not aware that such record would be required after joining of my service. So, I started collecting necessary documents and particulars for submitting 10 years statements beginning from year 2003. In the meantime, my file having important documents, invoices and income tax returns was lost while I was travelling by train. I tried my best to find the same but could not locate the same. However, in the year 2019, I was contacted by a policeman posted in Railway Police and he told me that my folder was found by some policemen of Railway Protection Force and they deposited the same in GRP Police Station, Farrukhabad. They were expecting that I would contact them but when I did not

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contact them, they also forget about the same. When painting of the police station was taking place sometime before, he found the file and found that the file belongs to me. Thereafter he sent message to my native place and then I contacted him in the year 2019 and took back my file. The year 2020 and 2021 were difficult for all people due to covid and I contacted covid two times during these years. Thereafter I prepared property statements, which took a considerable period of time, and submitting the same starting from year 2014-15 to 2019-20. There is no deliberate delay on my part, and I apologise and tender my unconditional apology for delay in submitting the property statements.

It is therefore most respectfully prayed that this letter may be placed before the Hon'ble court to consider accepting my unconditional apology and pardon me for delay in submitting property statements due to the circumstances mentioned in this letter. In future, I would be careful in sending the property statements within time.

With regards.

Date: 06/01/2022

Yours faithfully,

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District Judge, Meerut.