## NATIONAL COMPANY LAW APPELLATE TRIBUNAL, NEW DELHI Company Appeal (AT) (Insolvency) No. 15 of 2021

## IN THE MATTER OF:

Anuj Gupta ...Appellant

Versus

Stressed Assets Stabilisation Fund & Anr.

...Respondents

**Present:** 

For Appellant:

Mr. Arvind Kr. Gupta, Ms. Henna George and Ms. Purti

Gupta, Advocates.

For Respondents:

ORDER
(Through Virtual Mode)

**18.01.2021:** The issue raised in this appeal against admission of application under Section 7 of the I&B Code is that the Corporate Insolvency Resolution Process could not be triggered as the claim was hit by limitation, it being pointed out that the default had occurred on 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2003 and the account of the Corporate Debtor was classified as NPA prior to 17<sup>th</sup> June, 2008. It is submitted by Ms. Purti Gupta, learned counsel for the Appellant that in view of law enunciated by Hon'ble Apex Court in 'Babulal Vardharji Gurjar vs Veer Gurjar Aluminium Industries Pvt. Ltd. & Anr.' and by five member bench of this Appellate Tribunal in 'V. Padmakumar's Case' upheld in 'Bishal Jaiswal Vs. Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Ltd. & Anr.', the impugned order cannot be sustained.

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Issue notice upon Respondents. Appellant to provide mobile Nos./e-mail address of the Respondents. Notice be issued through e-mail or any other available mode. Requisites along with process fee be filed within two days.

List the appeal 'for admission (after notice)' on 9th February, 2021.

Meanwhile till next date of hearing no further action shall be taken by the IRP/RP.

[Justice Bansi Lal Bhat] Acting Chairperson

[Dr. Ashok Kumar Mishra] Member (Technical)

> [Dr. Alok Srivastava] Member (Technical)

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