



CPC O. 8 R. 1 - Provisions though directory Court needs to exercise due circumspection if there is an attempt to engage in dilatory tactics.

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Civil Procedure Code, 1908 (V of 1908) Order 8 Rule 1 - Provisions are no doubt are directory in nature, however, at the same time the Courts must exercise their discretion to condone the delay, if any, in [filing](#) the [written statement](#) after exercising due circumspection and in case there appears to be an attempt on the part of the defendant to engage in dilatory tactics, the Courts should nip the same unhesitatingly.

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