IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

64 WRIT PETITION NO. 10207 OF 2026

ASHOK BHIKAJI GADAGE AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS SECRETARY AND OTHERS

...

Mr. Arpit S. Tarale, Advocate h/f Mr. C. K. Shinde, Advocate for the Petitioners
Ms. N. B. Kamble, AGP for Respondents/State
Mr. S. B. Pulkundwar, Advocate for Respondent Nos.3 and 4

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83 WRIT PETITION NO. 10229 OF 2026

MOHAMMAD SABIR KHAN CHAND KHAN PINJARI AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS

...

Mr. Jitendra V. Patil, Advocate for the Petitioner
Mr. N. S. Tekale, AGP for Respondents/State

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WRIT PETITION NO. 10485 OF 2026

BALIRAM BABASAHEB GARAD AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS

...

Mr. Arpit S. Tarale, Advocate h/f Mr. C. K. Shinde, Advocate for the Petitioners
Mr. B. B. Bhise, AGP for Respondents/State

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WRIT PETITION NO. 10588 OF 2026

VASANT MURLIDHAR BODKHE AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS

...

Mr. Arpit S. Tarale, Advocate h/f Mr. C. K. Shinde, Advocate for the Petitioners
Mr. B. B. Bhise, AGP for Respondents/State

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WRIT PETITION NO. 10599 OF 2026

BABASAHEB MOHAN ZINJURDE AND OTHERS

VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS
...
Mr. Arpit S. Tarale, Advocate h/f Mr. C. K. Shinde, Advocate for the Petitioners
Mr. N. S. Tekale, AGP for Respondents/State
...

WRIT PETITION NO. 10629 OF 2026

VANDANA LALITKUMAR NANDODE AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS
...
Mr. Amol G. Kale, Advocate for the Petitioners
Ms. N. B. Kamble, AGP for Respondents/State
Mr. S. R. Yadav Lonikar, Advocate for Respondent No.5
...

WRIT PETITION NO. 10640 OF 2026

GIRISH GANGADHARRAO BARADKAR AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS
...
Mr. Estling s. Murge, Advocate for the Petitioners
Mr. N. B. Kamble, AGP for Respondents/State
...

WRIT PETITION NO. 10641 OF 2026

GOPALRAO MANIKRAO KADAM AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS
...
Mr. Estling s. Murge, Advocate for the Petitioners
Mr. S. R. Wakle, AGP for Respondents/State
Mr. S. B. Pulkundwar, Advocate for Respondent Nos.3 and 4
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CORAM : NITIN B. SURYAWANSHI AND ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, JJ.

DATE : 19th AUGUST, 2026

PER COURT :

1. Indisputably, the issue raised in these Petitions is squarely covered by the orders dated 3rd July, 2026 passed by the Co-

ordinate Bench of this Court at Circuit Bench at Kolhapur in Writ Petition No. 5445 of 2026 and dated 19th June, 2026 passed in Writ Petition No. 3412 of 2026.

2. Reliance is also placed on the order dated 18th March, 2026 passed by the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court at Principal Seat in Writ Petition No. 15662 of 2025.

3. For the reasons stated in the above mentioned orders, the Writ Petitions are partly allowed with following directions:

a. The Petitioners would be entitled for monetary benefits / difference of pensionary benefits as per the actuals w.e.f. their respective dates of superannuation, provided they have worked for 6 months or more in the last year up to their superannuation.

b. The pensionary benefits of the Petitioners would be recalculated by including the annual increment in their last drawn salary prior to their superannuation and such recalculated pensionary benefits shall be payable to them.

c. Arrears if any, shall be paid to them within a period of 90 days. Many of the Petitioners have approached belatedly before this Court and, therefore, akin to the orders passed in several matters, they would not be entitled for the interest component.

(ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, J.) **(NITIN B. SURYAWANSHI, J.)**

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