

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

WRIT PETITION NO. 628 OF 2016

Pandharinath Sakharam Sonawane ...PETITIONER

versus

The State of Maharashtra and others ...RESPONDENTS

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Mr. Asitosh Kulkarni, Advocate holding for
Mr. A.N. Nagargoje, Advocate for petitioner
Mrs. M.A. Deshpande, AGP for respondents - Authorities
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**CORAM : S. V. GANGAPURWALA AND
K.K. SONAWANE, JJ.**

DATED : 12th APRIL, 2016.

Order :-

1. Issue notice to respondents. Learned Assistant Government Pleader waives service for respondents.
2. Learned counsel for petitioner states that appeal under Right to Information Act, 2005 has been filed with respondent No. 2, however, the same is not decided as yet.
3. Learned Assistant Government Pleader for respondents- State authorities submits that the petitioner was given notice of hearing, however, as on the date the matter was kept for hearing, he did not remain present.
4. In case, the appeal filed by the petitioner is still pending with respondent No. 2, respondent No. 2 - authority shall decide the same on its merits in accordance with law after hearing all concerned parties,

as expeditiously as possible, preferably within six months, from the date of receipt of writ of this order.

5. Writ Petition stands disposed of accordingly. No costs.

Sd/-

[K. K. SONAWANE, J.]

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[S. V. GANGAPURWALA, J.]

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