

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO. 6734 OF 2016**

Dipti Bhausahab WaghPetitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra through its Secretary,
Tribal Development Department, Mantralaya and anr. ...Respondents

Mr. R. K. Mendadkar, advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. V. M. Mali, AGP for the State.

**CORAM : RANJIT MORE &
ANUJA PRABHUDESSAI, JJ.
DATE : 2nd AUGUST, 2016.**

P. C. :

Having heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned AGP for the State, we deem it convenient to dispose of this petition by directing respondent No.2 to decide the application dated 18th December, 2013 forwarded by the Headmaster of New English School, Chinchpada and which was received by respondent No.2' office on 26th December, 2013, regarding caste validity certificate of the petitioner as expeditiously as possible and preferably within a period of six months from the date of receipt of the order. Ordered accordingly.

2. It is made clear that we have not gone into the merits of the matter and all rights and contentions of the respective parties are kept open.

3. The writ petition stands disposed of.

(ANUJA PRABHUDESSAI, J.)

[RANJIT MORE, J.]