

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

WRIT PETITION NO. 13470 OF 2016

Shri Rajendra Sundar Shetty ... Petitioner.

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra & Ors. ... Respondents.

Mr. Suresh M. Sabrad, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. P.G. Sawant, AGP for the State.

**CORAM : V. M. KANADE AND
Ms.NUTAN D.SARDESSAI,JJ.**

DATE : 07th DECEMBER, 2016

P.C. :

1 Heard the learned counsel for the Petitioner and learned AGP for the State.

2 This petition can be conveniently disposed of by directing the Respondent No.1-State to decide the Petitioner's application for grant of approval under section 36-A(b)(a) of the Maharashtra Land Revenue Code, 1966, as expeditiously as possible and preferably within the period of 12 weeks from the date of the receipt of this order, by passing a speaking orders and communicating it to the Petitioner.

3 Ordered accordingly.

4 Needless to state that the Respondent -State shall
decide the said application independently on its own merits in
accordance with law.

5 The Petition is disposed of in the aforesaid terms.

(Ms.NUTAN D.SARDESSAI,J)

(V.M.KANADE,J)

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