

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 8714 OF 2017

NIRANJAN RAVINDRA THAKUR
VERSUS
SCHEDULED TRIBE CERTIFICATE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE AND OTHERS.

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Advocate for Petitioner : Shri D.B.Shinde h/f Shri Deshmukh Mahesh S..
AGP for Respondents/ State : Shri D.R.Kale.

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**CORAM: S.C. DHARMADHIKARI
AND
MANGESH S. PATIL, JJ.**

DATE :- 10th July, 2017

PC.:

1 The Petitioner's claim is pending with the Scrutiny Committee. The Petitioner claims to be belonging to "Thakur", Scheduled Tribe.

2 After having heard the learned Advocates for sometime, we direct the Scrutiny Committee to scrutinize and verify the claim of the Petitioner as expeditiously as possible and within a period of SIX MONTHS from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

3 Until the Scrutiny Committee decides the claim referred to it and renders its decision, Respondent Nos.2 and 3 shall not take any coercive action, if not already taken, against the Petitioner including canceling his admission, on the ground that the Petitioner has failed to produce the caste/ tribe validity certificate. However, no equities can be claimed by the Petitioner on the strength of this direction.

4 The Writ Petition is disposed of in these terms.