

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 14117 OF 2017

Shrinivas Madhav Bhadewad
Minor through father and natural
guardian Madhav Datram Bhadewad
and others .. Petitioners

Versus

The State of Maharashtra and others .. Respondents

Shri Sunil M. Vibhute, Advocate for the Petitioner.
Shri P. S. Patil, Addl.G.P. for All Respondents/State.

**CORAM : S. V. GANGAPURWALA AND
S. M. GAVHANE, JJ.**

DATE : 06TH DECEMBER, 2017.

FINAL ORDER :

. Issue notice to respondents. The learned Additional Government Pleader waives notice for all respondents.

2. The petitioner contends that he has filed an appeal against the order of the Sub Divisional Officer rejecting the application for issuance of tribe certificate and the same is pending since 27.06.2017.

3. Considering the fact that, the appeal is pending since six months, we direct the respondent No. 2 to decide the appeal filed

by the petitioner on its own merits, in accordance with law, expeditiously and by end of January 2018. The petitioner shall appear before the Committee on 15th December, 2017. The writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

[S. M. GAVHANE, J.]

[S. V. GANGAPURWALA, J.]

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