

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA

WRIT PETITION NO. 969 OF 2017

WILLIAM GONSALVES., ... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF GOA, THR. THE CHIEF
SECRETARY AND 3 ORS., ... Respondents

Mr. C. Padgaonkar, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Ms. Amira Abdul Razaq, Government Advocate for Respondent
Nos. 1, 2 & 3.

Coram:- N. M. JAMDAR &
NUTAN D. SARDESSAI, JJ.

Date:- 20th November 2017

P.C.:

Only prayer made by the learned counsel for the Petitioner is expeditious disposal of the proceedings pending before the Scrutiny Committee. The learned Government Advocate states that the process of vigilance inquiry is undergoing. Since the issue involved is regarding the validity of the caste certificate of Respondent No.4 who is an elected candidate, the decision by the Scrutiny Committee be taken within a period of three months from today.

2. However, it is expected that the Respondent-Scrutiny Committee will carry out the scrutiny carefully and not in hurry,

as the consequences of grant or rejection of the validity of certificate has various implications.

3. The writ petition is disposed of.

NUTAN D. SARDESSAI, J.

N. M. JAMDAR, J.

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