

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 4161 OF 2017

Shri Rajaram Bhaskar Mulik ... Petitioner

V/s.

Sarpanch
Grampanchayat Malewad-Kondure
Tal. Sawantwadi & ors. ... Respondents

Mr. I.V. Redkar for the petitioner.

Mr. Vikas Mali, AGP for the State.

**CORAM : NARESH H. PATIL AND
SMT. SADHANA S. JADHAV, JJ.**

28th April, 2017.

P.C.

The petitioner- a villager of village Mapsekarwadi, Malewad-Kondure, Taluka Sawantwadi, Dist. Sindhudurga seeks direction in respect of bifurcation of the village. The grievance of the petitioner is that he was not heard during the process of bifurcation of the village.

2. Learned Counsel for the petitioner placed reliance on the judgment

of this Court in the case of ***Ashoka Ganpat Jadhav & anr. v/s. State Election Commission, Mumbai & ors. {2004(4) Mh.L.J.}***.

3. We have perused the record, considered the submissions advanced. The petitioner has not placed on record any preliminary notification issued by the State Government in respect of proposed bifurcation of the village. In case any such notification is issued by the State, the petitioner may resort to appropriate alternate statutory remedy.

4. With aforesaid observation, Writ Petition stands disposed of.

(SMT. SADHANA S. JADHAV, J)

(NARESH H. PATIL, J.)

L.S. Panjwani, P.S.