

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 1546 OF 2018

Sunil Dhuma Pawar

.. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Ors.

.. Respondents

Mr.V.A. Bagdiya, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr.C.S. Kulkarni, AGP for respondent/State.

**CORAM : S.S.SHINDE &
S.M.GAVHANE, JJ.**

DATED : 07.02.2018

P.C. :-

1. There is an innocuous prayer in the petition in as much as direction is sought to respondent No.2 to decide the application filed by the petitioner on 14.11.2017, 15.11.2017 and 06.12.2017 on its own merits. In the circumstances, respondent No.2 is directed to decide the said application on its own merits, in accordance with law, as expeditiously, as possible, however, within 10 weeks from today. Needless to observe that, if it is necessary, respondent No.2 will adhere to the principle of natural justice and can issue notices to the concerned/affected parties for hearing.

2. We have not expressed any opinion on the merits of the contentions raised in the petition.

3. The writ petition stands disposed of.

4. Parties to act upon authenticated copy of this order.

[S . M . GAVHANE , J .]

[S . S . SHINDE , J .]