

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

WRIT PETITION NO.7021 OF 2016

Mahendra Prabhakar Ghate & Anr. .. Petitioners
Vs.
Additional Collector & Appellate Authority,
Mumbai City & Ors. .. Respondents

**ALONG WITH
WRIT PETITION NO.7022 OF 2016**

Jeetlal Harilal Gupta .. Petitioner
Vs.
Additional Collector & Appellate Authority,
Mumbai City & Ors. .. Respondents

Mr.Yuvraj D. Patil for the petitioner in both petitions.
Mr.S.D.Rayrikar, AGP for the respondent nos.1 & 3-State.

**CORAM : R.D. DHANUKA, J.
DATE : 11th April 2018**

P.C.:

. The papers are allowed to be produced at 3:00 p.m.

2. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner in both the petitions seeks liberty to withdraw this petition on instructions with liberty to file the proceedings under section 35-A of the Maharashtra Slum Areas (Improvement, Clearance & Redevelopment) Act, 1971. The statement is accepted.

3. The respondents shall not take any coercive steps against the petitioner for a period of two weeks from today in implementing the impugned order. It is made clear that if appropriate proceedings are not

initiated within one week from today, interim protection granted by this Court to stand vacated without further reference to the Court.

4. Both the writ petitions are dismissed as withdrawn with liberty granted as aforesaid. No order as to costs.

R.D. DHANUKA, J.