

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 13496 OF 2018

Kum. Harshada Namdev Chavan

... Petitioner

Vs

1 State of Maharashtra & Ors.

... Respondents

Mr. R.K. Mendadkar with Ms. Priyanka Shaw for the Petitioner.

Mr. S.B. Kalel, AGP, for the Respondent.

**CORAM : S.C. DHARMADHIKARI &
SMT. BHARATI H. DANGRE, JJ.**

MONDAY, 03RD DECEMBER, 2018

P.C. :

1 Since the caste claim of the petitioner is pending before the Scrutiny Committee and presently the petitioner is undergoing studies for Diploma Course in Engineering having been admitted to the respondent No.4-college, interest of justice would be served if we pass the following order :

(a) The Scrutiny Committee to dispose of the pending proceedings as expeditiously as possible and, in any event, within a period of three (3) months from

the date of communication of this order.

(b) The admission of the petitioner should not be disturbed for a period of fifteen (15) days from the date of the communication of the order of the Scrutiny Committee to the petitioner.

(c) In the event the caste claim of the petitioner is invalidated, he shall not be entitled to claim any equities.

(d) All contentions of both sides are kept open.

2 The Writ Petition stands disposed of accordingly.
There shall be no order as to costs.

SMT. BHARATI H. DANGRE, J.

S.C. DHARMADHIKARI, J.