

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

1019 WRIT PETITION NO.1846 OF 2019

GANGADHAR JITENDRA GHATE
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS

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Mr. D.A.Mane & Mr. P.A.Bharat, Advocate for Petitioner.
Mr. K.N.Lokhade, AGP for Respondents-State.
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**CORAM : S.V. GANGAPURWALA AND
MANGESH S. PATIL, JJ.**

DATE : 14th June, 2019

PER COURT :-

1. It appears that the application has not been made to the competent authority. The petitioner shall make application before the competent authority for issuance of caste certificate. After the application is made by the petitioner, the competent authority shall decide the application of the petitioner for issuance of caste certificate on its own merits in accordance with law within a period of six weeks from the date the petitioner makes an application.
2. Writ Petition accordingly disposed of. No costs.

(MANGESH S. PATIL, J.)

(S.V. GANGAPURWALA, J.)

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