

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO. 4966 OF 2019**

The National Sports Club of India ...Petitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & ors. ...Respondents

Mr. Rizwan Merchant, a/w Akshay Bafna, i/b Rizwan
Merchant & Asso., for the Petitioner.

Mr. K. V. Saste, APP for the State/Respondent.

**CORAM: RANJIT MORE &
N. J. JAMADAR, JJ**

DATED : 4th OCTOBER, 2019

PC:-

1. Heard Mr. Merchant, the learned Counsel for the petitioner and Mr. Saste, the learned APP for the State/Respondent.
2. The petition is filed seeking direction to register FIR on the basis of the petitioner's reports, copies of which are annexed at Exhibits 'D', 'F' and 'K'.
3. We have perused the said reports. There is a dispute between two groups of Central Council Committee of National Sports Club of India. Both the groups claim authority to manage and control over the affairs of the said club.
4. In the above circumstances, especially in view of the decision of the Apex Court in *Lalita Kumari vs. State of Uttar*

Pradesh & ors.,¹ we dispose of the petition by directing the Senior Police Inspector, Tardeo Police Station, Mumbai, to look into the grievances made in the said reports lodged by the petitioner and take appropriate decision as expeditiously as possible and, in any event, within seven days from the date of receipt of this order.

5. In view of the above, the petition stands disposed of.

[N. J. JAMADAR, J.]

[RANJIT MORE, J.]

1(2014) 2 Supreme Court Cases 1.