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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION No. 13741 OF 2018

The Maharashtra State Market
Committee Co-operative
Federation Ltd., Pune ... Petitioner
Vs.
The State of Maharashtra ... Respondent

Mr. G. S. Godbole i/b D. S. Patil, for the Petitioner.

Mrs. S. S. Bhende, AGP for the Respondent.

**CORAM : INDRAJIT MAHANTY, &
A. M. BADAR, JJ.**

DATE : JUNE 14, 2019

PC :

. By this petition, the Petitioner has sought to challenge Maharashtra Ordinance No. XXIV of 2018 dated 25th October, 2018, promulgated to further amend provisions of the Maharashtra Agricultural Produce Marketing (Development and Regulation) Act, 1963. Learned counsel Mr. G. S. Godbole, appearing for the Petitioner submits that the said ordinance has been withdrawn and has lapsed. Therefore, he apprehended that fresh bill may be once again introduced. We are of the considered view, that the

challenge has been based on apprehension. Consequently, the writ petition is disposed of being premature with liberty to challenge the amendment to the said Act as and when circumstances arise. All contentions raised in the petition are kept open.

[A. M. BADAR, J.]

[INDRAJIT MAHANTY, J.]

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