

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

942 WRIT PETITION NO. 919 OF 2020

**KAMAJI LALJI KANDHARE
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS**

949 WRIT PETITION NO. 931 OF 2020

**GUNAJI POTANNA BAHIRWAD
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS**

Advocate for Petitioners : Mr. S.S. Phatale.
AGP for Respondents : Mr. S.P. Tiwari.

**CORAM : S. V. GANGAPURWALA &
MANGESH S. PATIL, JJ.
DATED : 15.01.2020.**

PER COURT :

- . It submitted that validation proceeding in respect of the tribe claim of petitioners is pending with the scrutiny committee, the same is not decided.
2. Without issuing notice to petitioners, the respondents have placed petitioners on the supernumerary post.
3. As the impugned action is without notice to the petitioners, we quashed and set aside the impugned action.

4. In case, respondents want to take action against the petitioners of placing the petitioners on supernumerary post or otherwise, then notice shall be issued to the petitioners giving opportunity to show cause. In that event, the petitioners can file reply and bring all the relevant facts to the notice of the respondent-Committee.

5. The Committee shall decide the validation proceedings expeditiously and preferably within a period of six months.

6. The petitioners shall appear before the Committee on 21.01.2020.

7. Writ Petitions are disposed of. No costs.

(MANGESH S. PATIL, J.)

(S. V. GANGAPURWALA, J.)