

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

WRIT PETITION STAMP NO.10741 OF 2020

Gangasagar Shriram Bhusewad ... PETITIONER

VERSUS

The State of Maharashtra and others ... RESPONDENTS

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Shri S.S. Phatale, Advocate for petitioner
Shri A.S. Shinde, A.G.P. for State
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**CORAM: S.V. GANGAPURWALA AND
R.G. AVACHAT, JJ.**

DATED : 16th June, 2020

ORAL ORDER :

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
A.G.P. for the State.

2. The validation proceedings in respect of tribe claim of the petitioner is pending with the Committee. The respondent has issued notice to the petitioner to produce the validation certificate, else his services would be terminated.

3. Judicial notice can be taken of the lockdown due to the Covid-19 pandemic. As the validation proceedings of the tribe claim of the petitioner is pending, we quash and set aside

the impugned notice.

4. The petitioner shall co-operate in expeditious disposal of the validation proceedings. The respondent employer shall not take coercive action against the petitioner only on the ground of pendency of validation proceedings. The employer may take further course of action depending upon the judgment which will be delivered by the Committee. Writ Petition is disposed of.

(R.G. AVACHAT)
JUDGE

(S.V. GANGAPURWALA)
JUDGE

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