

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY**  
**NAGPUR BENCH, NAGPUR**

**WRIT PETITION NO.2341/2018**

Gajanan Tukaram Bansod and another.

Vs.

State of Maharashtra through Principal Secretary, Department of Social Justice and Special Assistance, and others.

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*Office notes, Office Memoranda of  
 Coram, appearances, Court's orders  
 or directions and Registrar's orders.*

*Court's or Judge's Orders*

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 Shri Pranit Vairagade, Advocate with Shri Bhushan Dafle,  
 Advocate for petitioners.  
 Ms. Tajwar Khan, Assistant Government Pleader for respondent  
 nos. 1 to 3.  
 Shri Sandeep Marathe, Advocate for respondent no.4.  
 Shri Vikrant Pandey, Advocate for respondent no.5.

**CORAM : A.S.CHANDURKAR and VINAY JOSHI, JJ.**

**DATE : February 18, 2020.**

**Rule.** Heard finally considering the short issue involved.

The petitioners have been appointed as Lecturers in the respondent no.5-College which is affiliated with the respondent no.4-University. It is the case of the petitioners that they are duly qualified and are therefore entitled to benefits as per career advancement scheme. They are also entitled to selection grade pay-scale.

The respondent no.4-University has forwarded their proposals by the communications dated 09.11.2016 and 17.11.2016. According to the petitioners, no decision on the said proposals has been taken till date.

In these facts, the respondent no.3 is directed to take a decision on the proposals dated 09.11.2016 and 17.11.2016 pertaining to the petitioners within a period of three months from the communication of this order, if such

proposals are still pending. It is open for the respondent no.3 to seek guidance of the respondent no.2, if found necessary. With these directions, the petition is allowed and disposed of.

Rule accordingly. No orders as to costs.

**JUDGE**

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