

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

1008 WRIT PETITION NO.2326 OF 2021

**VYANKATI BABURAO SHINDE
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AD OTHER**

Advocate for Petitioner : Mr Chavan Sudhir K.
AGP for Respondents State: Mr A. R. Kale
Advocate for respondent No.2: Mr. A. B.Kadethankar

**CORAM : S. V. GANGAPURWALA &
SHRIKANT D. KULKARNI, JJ.**

DATE : 16th February, 2021.

ORDER:

1. The learned A.G.P., on instructions submits that mistake has been corrected and now the post of Sarpanch of Gram Panchayat, Bharaswada is reserved for Scheduled Tribe (woman) category and the post of Sarpanch of Gram Panchayat, Nandkheda is reserved for OBC (woman) category.
2. The learned counsel submits that the petitioner belongs to Scheduled Tribe Category. There is no woman of S.C. category elected as member of Gram panchayat.
3. In that case Second proviso to Rule 4-A of the Maharashtra Village Panchayat (Sarpanch and Upa-Sarpanch) Election Rules, 1964 will have to be adhered to.
4. Writ petition disposed of. No costs.

(SHRIKANT D. KULKARNI, J.)

(S.V.GANGAPURWALA, J.)

JPC