

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

**WRIT PETITION NO.2833 OF 2021**

Kamlakar Atmaram Patil  
and another

... Petitioners.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra  
and others

... Respondents.

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Mr. Sachin Deshmikh, Advocate h/f Mr. Vijay B. Patil, Advocate for  
the Petitioners.

Mr. P.K. Lakhotiya, A.G.P. for Respondent Nos.1 to 3.

Mr. A.B. Kadethankar, Advocate for Respondent No.4.

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

**DATE : 10<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY, 2021**

**PER COURT:-**

1. We have heard Mr. Deshmukh, learned counsel for the  
petitioner.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the post of  
Sarpanch of Grampanchayat Wavadade is reserved for S.C. category.  
The petitioners are elected from General and O.B.C. category  
respectively. The post of Sarpanch ought to have been reserved for  
other than S.C. category.

2. The petitioners are not in a position to place on record the data for the post of Sarpanch was reserved from 1995. In absence of the relevant data, it could not be possible to come a definite conclusion.

3. In the light of that, writ petition is disposed of. No costs.

**( SHRIKANT D. KULKARNI )**  
**JUDGE**

**( S.V. GANGAPURWALA )**  
**JUDGE**

S.P. Rane