

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 4506 OF 2021

Ranjit Velya Paradke

... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others

... Respondents.

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4522 OF 2021**

Rakesh Bachhu Tamaychekar

... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others

... Respondents.

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4523 OF 2021**

Jamsing Kalya Pawara

... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others

... Respondents.

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4524 OF 2021**

Simabai Karamsing Chaudhari

... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others

... Respondents.

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**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4525 OF 2021**

Ramsing Bapu Rahase ... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others ... Respondents.

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4526 OF 2021**

Tersing Bawa Patle ... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others ... Respondents.

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4527 OF 2021**

Khumsing Nayaka Pawara ... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others ... Respondents.

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4528 OF 2021**

Subhash Kella Padvi ... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others ... Respondents.

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4529 OF 2021**

Sangitabai Rohidas Pawara ... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra and others ... Respondents.

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**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4530 OF 2021**

Shiva Kella Tadvi

... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others

... Respondents.

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 4531 OF 2021**

Brijlal Bola Pawara

... Petitioner.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra
and others

... Respondents.

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Mr. A.B. Girase, Advocate for the Petitioners.

Mr. S.K. Tambe, A.G.P. for Respondent Nos. 1 to 4 is all WPs.

Mr. P.S. Patil, Addl.G.P. and Ms. V.S. Chaudhari, Advocate for
Respondent Nos. 5 and 6 / Zilla Parishad in respective WPs.

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

DATE : 11th MARCH, 2021

PER COURT:-

1. Mr. Girase, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the proposals for bifurcation of the Grampanchayats has been forwarded by the Grampanchayats. Thereafter, the B.D.O. has forwarded the said proposal to the Chief Executive Officer. The Chief Executive Officer of the Zilla Parishad forwarded the same to the Divisional Commissioner, Nashik with his recommendation. The Divisional Commissioner,

Nashik in turn forwarded the same to the Additional Chief Secretary, Rural Development Department, Mumbai in September, 2020, the same is pending. The elections would be due in July, 2021.

2 The learned counsel submits that respondent Nos.1 and 2 be directed to take decision upon it within a period of two months.

3. Learned A.G.P accepts notice for respondent Nos. 1 to 4.

4. In case, the proposal for bifurcation of the Grampanchayats as claimed are forwarded by the Divisional Commissioner and is pending with respondent No.2, then respondent Nos. 1 and 2 shall take decision upon it as per the procedure contemplated under the provisions of the Maharashtra Village Panchayat Act expeditiously and preferably within three (03) months from today.

5. The writ petitions are disposed of. No costs.

(SHRIKANT D. KULKARNI)
JUDGE

(S.V. GANGAPURWALA)
JUDGE

S.P Rane