

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 6800 OF 2021

Smt. Sana Bee Javedkha Pathan @
Sana Afsar Shaikh .. Petitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra and another .. Respondents

Shri Shantanu A. Deshpande, Advocate for the Petitioner.
Shri K. B. Jadhavar, A.G.P. for Respondent Nos. 1 and 2.

**CORAM : S. V. GANGAPURWALA AND
M. G. SEWLIKAR, JJ.**

DATE : 23RD JUNE, 2021.

FINAL ORDER :

. The petitioner seeks permission to terminate the pregnancy. The petitioner was referred to the Expert Committee at Government Medical College and Hospital, Aurangabad. The Expert Committee examined the petitioner and submitted the report. Relevant part of the report reads thus :

13. Investigations done :

Sr. No.	Investigations done	
01.	CBC, URINE ROUTINE	Hb :- 11.8gm%, Urine RM-Normal
02.	USG	Single live intrauterine gestation of 21 weeks 5 days, with Femur/foot length ration <0.9 and skeletal age lagging behind gestational age by 8-9 weeks with significant thoracic hypoplasia. Above findings s/o skeletal dysplasia likely Thanatophoric Dysplasia.

14. Additional findings and observations : N. A.
15. Physical fitness for termination – YES
16. Recommendations by Medical Board for termination :
Recommended
17. Recommended Medical termination of pregnancy because if the child were born it would carry substantial risk to its life. Termination of pregnancy carries due maternal risk. Surgical intervention & blood transfusion may be required. The risk involved in the said procedure is explained to the patient & her relatives.
18. Date and time : 22/06/2021. At 2:00 PM

2. The Expert Committee has recommended termination of pregnancy. The risk involved in the said procedure is explained to the petitioner and her relatives. The Committee has opined that termination carries due maternal risk. Surgical intervention and blood transfusion may be required.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that, the petitioner has been apprised of the risk involved in termination of the pregnancy. The petitioner wants to proceed further with the termination of pregnancy.

4. In the light of the report of the Expert Committee, the petitioner is permitted to terminate the pregnancy at a Government Recognized Centre.

5. In view of the above, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs.
6. The parties to act on authenticate copy.

[M. G. SEWLIKAR, J.]

[S. V. GANGAPURWALA, J.]

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