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

51 WRIT PETITION NO.10289 OF 2021

RATAN BALIRAM PATIL

.. Petitioner

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA
THROUGH ITS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
AND OTHERS

.. Respondents

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Mr Girish N. Kulkarni, Advocate for the Petitioner
Mr A.R. Kale, AGP for the Respondent – State

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**CORAM : S. V. GANGAPURWALA
AND
R.N. LADDHA, JJ.**

DATE : 20-09-2021

PER COURT : -

1. Heard Mr Kulkarni, learned Advocate for the petitioner.
2. The learned AGP points out that the petitioner has an alternate remedy by filing an appeal.
3. In view of that, we are not inclined to entertain the writ petition on merits. Writ Petition is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to avail the alternate remedy. All contentions are kept open. No costs.
4. In case, the petitioner files an appeal, then the authority where the appeal is filed shall consider the application of the petitioner for release of the vehicle, expeditiously.
5. Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

**[R.N. LADDHA]
JUDGE**

**[S. V. GANGAPURWALA]
JUDGE**