

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

WRIT PETITION NO.2548 OF 2021

Shankarrao Vasantao Solankar	... Petitioner
Vs.	
State of Maharashtra & Anr.	... Respondents

Mr. Rahul S. Kadam for the Petitioner.	
Mr.V.M. Mali, AGP for the State.	

**CORAM : R.D. DHANUKA &
ABHAY AHUJA, JJ.**

DATE : 29TH NOVEMBER, 2021

P.C. :

1. Rule. Rule made returnable forthwith. Mr.V.M. Mali, learned AGP for the State waives service.

2. By consent of the parties, Petition is heard finally.

3. By this Petition, filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, the Petitioner has impugned the order dated 7th April, 2021 passed by Respondent No.2-the Education Officer rejecting the approval to the order of transfer of the Petitioner from the unaided post in junior college to aided post in secondary school on the post of Lab Assistant.

4. Learned counsel appearing for the parties jointly state that the facts of this case are identical to the facts before this Court in Writ Petition No.2547 of 2021 and the judgment delivered by this Court in the said case applies to the facts of this case. Statement is accepted.

5. For the reasons recorded by this Court in the judgment delivered today in Writ Petition No.2547 of 2021, the present Writ Petition is made absolute in terms of prayer clause [A].

6. The Education Officer is directed to grant approval to the said transfer within a period of four weeks from today and shall release grant aid to the Management in respect of such transfer from the date of transfer within a period of four weeks thereafter.

7. Rule is made absolute in the above terms. No order as to costs.

8. Parties to act upon the authenticated copy of this order.

(ABHAY AHUJA, J.)

(R.D. DHANUKA, J.)