

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE SIDE**

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO.3187 OF 2021

Abhishekh Vilas Chatur & others

... Petitioners

Vs.

State of Maharashtra & others

... Respondents

Mr.B.V. Salunkhe for the Petitioners

Mr.V.B. Konde-Deshmukh, APP for Respondent – State

**CORAM: S.S. SHINDE &
N.J. JAMADAR, JJ.**

DATED: SEPTEMBER 9, 2021

P.C.:

1. Learned Counsel appearing for the petitioners submits that the Appeal against the order of externment of the petitioners is pending before Respondent No.2 – Appellate Authority for a considerable period. The Learned APP appearing for the Respondent – State and its officials has no objection if the said Appellate Authority is directed to decide the said pending Appeal within the stipulated period.

2. In the light of the submissions made across the bar and the prayer restricted by the learned Counsel appearing for the petitioners that the petitioners will be satisfied in case the

Appellate Authority is directed to decide the pending appeal within a stipulated period, the following order is passed:

ORDER

i) The Appellate Authority i.e., Divisional Commissioner (Revenue), Pune Division, Pune, is directed to decide the Externment Appeal (Abhishek Vilas Chatur & others vs. The Externment Authority @ Superintendent of Police, Satara & others, filed by the petitioners on 17th August, 2021) pending before it, as expeditiously as possible, if not decided already, however, within two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, on its own merits.

ii) While deciding such appeal, the Appellate Authority shall adhere to the principles of natural justice.

iii) After such decision is taken, it shall be communicated forthwith to the parties.

3. Writ Petition is disposed of in the above terms.

4. All concerned to act on an authenticated copy of this order.

(N.J. JAMADAR, J.)

(S.S. SHINDE, J.)