

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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 2062 OF 2021
IN
WRIT PETITION NO. 1198 OF 2021**

Murlidhar Keru Satav and Anr. ... Applicants/Petitioners
Vs.

State of Maharashtra and Ors. ... Respondents

Mr. Abhay Anturkar with Mr. R. D. Shinde, Advocate for Applicants/
Petitioners.

Mr. N. K. Rajpurohit, Learned AGP for State- Respondents No. 1 and
2.

Mr. Prathamesh Bhargude with Mr. Sumit Sonare, Advocate for
Respondents no. 3 and 4.

**CORAM : R.D. DHANUKA &
ABHAY AHUJA, JJ.
DATE : 22ND SEPTEMBER 2021**

P.C. :

1. We have perused the order dated 12th January 2021 passed by this Court in this Writ Petition thereby expedited the hearing of this writ petition while granting liberty to petitioners to mention the writ petition in the first week of January 2021 for fixing the date of hearing. The matter is, however, not listed for final hearing till date.

2. Respondents no. 3 and 4, however, not filed any affidavit in reply in the writ petition. The State of Maharashtra is going to file reply.

3. Mr. Bhargude, learned counsel for respondents no. 3 and 4 agrees to file affidavit in reply within two weeks from today and to serve a copy upon the petitioner's advocate as well as upon the office of the government pleader simultaneously. Statement is accepted.

4. Rejoinder, if any, shall be filed within one week thereafter with a copy to be served upon respondent's advocated.

5. Place the matter on board for hearing and final disposal on 28th October 2021 at 2.30 p.m.

6. Parties are at liberty to file brief written preposition alongwith copies of judgments which they proposed to rely upon, in support of its rival contentions with copy to be served on the other side in advance.

7. Interim application is disposed of. No order as to costs.

(ABHAY AHUJA, J.)

(R.D. DHANUKA, J.)