

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH : NAGPUR

WRIT PETITION NO.1500/2021

Pralhad Devraoji Sherkar,
Aged : Major, Occ: Service,
R/o Samraspura, Tq. Achalpur,
District : Amravati.

.... PETITIONER

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1. Scheduled Tribe Caste Scrutiny
Committee, Irvin Chowk, Amravati,
Tq. and District : Amravati.
2. Jagdambha Mahavidyalaya,
Achalpur, through its Principal,
Tah. Achalpur, District : Achalpur.

.... RESPONDENTS

Shri M. D. Lakhey, Advocate for petitioner.
Ms K. R. Deshpande, AGP for respondent no.1.

CORAM : SUNIL B. SHUKRE AND
AVINASH G. GHAROTE, JJ.

DATE : 30/03/2021

ORAL JUDGMENT : (PER:- SUNIL B. SHUKRE, J.)

1] Heard Shri Lakhey, learned counsel for the petitioner and
Ms Kalyani Deshpande, learned AGP, who appears by waiving notice for
respondent no.1.

2] **Rule.** Rule made returnable forthwith.

3] Heard finally by consent of the parties present before the Court.

4] Notice has not been issued to respondent no.2 as no relief has been claimed against respondent no.2.

5] The relief claimed here is of limited nature and therefore, this petition is allowed in terms of prayers clause (i). The respondent no.1 is directed to decide the caste claim of the petitioner within eight weeks from the date of the order, in accordance with law.

6] It is made clear here that the claim of the petitioner is pending for its verification in this case since last seven years and therefore, no further time shall be granted to respondent no.1 for deciding the same in accordance with law within the period stipulated as above.

Rule accordingly. No costs.

(AVINASH G. GHAROTE, J)

(SUNIL B. SHUKRE J.)