

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

**Civil Application (CAW) St.No.1878 of 2021
in
Writ Petition No. 6190 of 2019**

Dr. Sushil Shrikrushna Kohad

...Petitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra, through Chief Secretary,
Mumbai and others.

...Respondents

Shri Shankar Borkute, Advocate h/f Ms. Yogita S. Nandanwar, Advocate
for the Petitioner.

**CORAM : NITIN JAMDAR AND
ANIL S. KILOR, JJ.**

DATED : 2 FEBRUARY 2021

P.C.:

We have perused the Application for amendment. The Petitioner is seeking to convert this Writ Petition into Public Interest Litigation. This Court has framed the Bombay High Court Public Interest Litigation Rules, 2010 for filing Public Interest Litigations and the Public Interest Litigations are to be entertained if they found in conformity with the said Rules.

2. The learned Counsel for the Petitioner seeks leave to withdraw this Writ Petition. He states that the Petitioner is desirous of

filing a Public Interest Litigation. When such a Petition is filed, it will be considered within the ambit of the Bombay High Court Public Interest Litigation Rules, 2010 and by the Court if any public interest is made out. Further if the credibility of the reports based on anthropological knowledge is sought to be questioned, the Petitioner should have atleast some degree of expertise in the subject.

3. The Writ Petition is disposed of accordingly.

[ANIL S. KILOR, J.]

[NITIN JAMDAR, J.]