

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE OF BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

WRIT PETITION NO.6983 OF 2022

INDUMATI BHASKAR ZOPE THROUGH GPA SANJAY BHASKAR ZOPE
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH THE PRINCIPAL
SECRETARY AND OTHERS

Mr.D.A.Madake, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr.S.G.Sangle, AGP for the respondent/State.

(CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE AND
ARUN R. PEDNEKER, JJ.)

DATE : AUGUST 5, 2022

PER COURT :

1. The petitioner has put forth prayer clause A and B as under :-

"A. By issuing a writ of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, order or directions in the like nature, the respondent authorities may kindly be directed to provide the information sought for by the petitioner in accordance with the order dated 02.07.2020 passed by the respondent No.2 Hon'ble State Information Commission Bench at Nashik in Second Appeal No.115 of 2018.

B. By issuing a writ of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, order or directions in the like nature, the respondent No.2 may kindly be directed to decide the application under section 20(2) of RTI Act filed by petitioner dated 24.11.2020."

2. Since the application u/s 20(2) of the Right to Information Act is pending with respondent No.2 from 24.11.2020 (instituted on 24.11.2020), this petition is disposed off with a direction to respondent No.2 to ensure that the said application is decided on or before 30.09.2022. The petitioner would appear before respondent No.2 through the GPA holder, on 18.08.2022 at 12.00 noon.

(ARUN R. PEDNEKER, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)