

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

**CIVIL APPLICATION NO.11877 OF 2022
IN
CONTEMPT PETITION NO.269 OF 2021**

**SUMAN JIVANRAO SOMWANSHI DIED THROUGH LRS
SUNDAR DATTATRAY CHOUDHARI
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS
SECRETARY AND OTHERS**

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**Advocate for the Applicants : Shri A.R. Tapse h/f Shri Kawale
Laxman H.**

**AGP for the Respondents/State : Shri S.K. Tambe
Advocate for Respondent 2 : Shri P.R. Tandale**

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**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE
&
ARUN R. PEDNEKER, JJ.**

DATE :- 19th August, 2022

Per Court :-

1. We have considered the submissions of the learned counsel for the respective sides.
2. Shri Tandale, the learned advocate for respondent No.2, has formally opposed this application contending that the delay of 73 days is not properly explained.
3. By this Civil Application, the legal heirs of the deceased sole petitioner pray for leave to be brought on record in

the Contempt Petition. Delay of 73 days does not appear to be deliberate or inordinate.

4. Considering the reasons cited, the Civil Application is allowed. The legal heirs shall be brought on record in the Contempt Petition within three weeks from today.

kps (ARUN R. PEDNEKER, J.) (RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)