

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

WRIT PETITION NO.12599 OF 2022

**NAMDEO BALAJI HELAMBE
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH THE
SECRETARY AND OTHERS**

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Advocate for the Petitioner : Shri A.N.Irpatgire
AGP for Respondents 1 and 2/State : Shri S.K. Tambe

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**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE
&
SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, JJ.**

DATE :- 15th December, 2022

Per Court :-

1. The only request that the petitioner has put forth is that his pending appeal be decided expeditiously. It is contended that after his termination from service on 28.07.2015, he had filed Appeal No.236/2015 for challenging his termination. The said appeal was dismissed vide order dated 16.05.2016 by respondent No.2. The petitioner has preferred a statutory appeal under Rule 104 of the Maharashtra Agricultural Produce Marketing (Development and Regulation) Rules, 1967 before respondent No.1 for challenging the order dated 16.05.2016. The

said appeal is filed on 21.09.2016 and is pending for the last six years.

2. The learned AGP submits that the winter session of the State Legislative Assembly would commence this Monday. A reasonable time, of at least three months, needs to be granted.

3. In view of the above, this Writ Petition is disposed off.

4. Let respondent No.1 decide the pending appeal as expeditiously as possible and preferably on or before 15.03.2023.

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(SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)