

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

WRIT PETITION NO.11753 OF 2022

**VISHWANATH BALIRAM LOKHANDE AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS SUB
DIVISIONAL OFFICER**

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Advocate for the Petitioners : Shri Omprakash D. Totawad h/f
Shri Thorat Chandrakant R.
AGP for the Respondent/State : Shri P.S. Patil
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**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE
&
SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, JJ.**

DATE :- 25th November, 2022

Per Court :-

1. The petitioners desire that we should issue directions to the respondent to issue the caste certificates in favour of the petitioners, who are minors appearing through their biological guardian.
2. The learned AGP submits that the respondent has already conveyed to the petitioners to produce the record prior to 1950.
3. The learned advocate for the petitioners submits that the petitioners do not have the record prior to 1950.

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

5. Let the petitioners tender a pursis to the respondent/ Sub Divisional Officer as to whether, they have any document prior to 1950, as well as submit a list of documents, which they desire to rely upon, to the Sub Divisional Officer. If this exercise is completed on or before 15.12.2022, the respondent would pass an appropriate order on or before 30.12.2022.

kps (SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, J.) (RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)