

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

WRIT PETITION NO. 15107 OF 2022

Shri. Nikhil Shashikant Khot Petitioner

v/s.

State Election Commission,
Bombay and ors. Respondents

Mr. Tanaji Mhatugade for the Petitioner.

Mr. C.D. Mali, AGP for the State.

Mr. Manish Bohra and Mr. Vikrant Dere i/b.

Mr. Sachindra B. Shetye for Respondent No.1.

Mr. Amit Karle a/w. Mr. Anurag Dwivedi i/b. Niranjana
Bhavake for Respondent No.4.

CORAM: SMT. ANUJA PRABHUDESSAI, J.

DATED : 07th DECEMBER, 2022.

P. C. :-

. Not on board. Upon mentioning, taken on production board.

2. The Appellant herein has challenged the order dated 05/12/2022 passed by the Respondent No.3 allowing the objections raised by the Respondent No.4 and rejecting the nomination forms submitted by the Petitioner to contest the elections for the post of Member of Grampanchayat of Village – Kaneriwadi, Taluka – Karveer, Dist. Kolhapur.

3. The Petition is not maintainable in view of the full bench judgment of this Court in *Karmaveer Tulshiram Autade and ors. v/s. State Election Commission, Mumbai and ors. AIR 2021 BOMBAY 90*, and the appropriate remedy would be filing of the election petition.

4. Hence, the Petition stands dismissed.

(SMT. ANUJA PRABHUDESSAI, J.)