

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

WRIT PETITION NO.2177 OF 2021

Shri. Vaibhav Wasudev Bhalavi ..Petitioner
Versus
The State of Maharashtra and Ors. ..Respondents

Mr. P. D. Dalvi, for the Petitioner.
Mr. P. P. Pujari, AGP for Respondent Nos.1 to 3.
Mr. Shivraj Kunchge, for Respondent Nos.5 to 13.

CORAM : NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.

DATE : 30th JUNE, 2022

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1. The order impugned is dated 11th August, 2020 passed by the District Deputy Registrar in exercise of powers under Section 77A(1)(b) of the Maharashtra Co-operative Societies Act, 1960 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act" for the sake of brevity). By way of impugned order, as the tenure of existing elected committee has come to an end, the administrator came to be appointed and was directed to take steps for holding elections.

2. In response to the Court's query, on instructions counsel for the petitioner, Mr. P. D. Dalvi informs that the election of the society can be directed to be completed within stipulated period in accordance with law. He would invite attention of this Court to the fact that before holding

election, implementation of rule be completed within sixty days.

3. In the aforesaid background, the petition stands disposed of.

4. The administrator is directed to expeditiously proceed with the election of the respondent society, in any case to be completed within a period of 90 days from the date of communication of this order by the petitioner to the said society.

[NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.]