

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

WRIT PETITION NO.7179 OF 2022

Sandeep Madhukar Ugale

.... Petitioner

versus

Lasalgaon Gramin Bigar Shethi
Sahakari Pathasanstha Maryadit,
Lasalgaon & Ors.

... Respondents

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- Mr. Bhushan U. Deshmukh, Advocate for Petitioner.
- Mr. Karan S. Thorat, AGP for State/Respondent No.3.
- Mr. Deelip Patil Bankar, Chief Standing Counsel – SCEA, for Respondent No.2.

**CORAM : R. D. DHANUKA &
M. G. SEWLIKAR, JJ.**
DATE : 21st JUNE, 2022.

P.C. :

1. Leave to amend is granted to correct the designation of the Respondent No.2 as Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies and Taluka Co-operative Election Officer. Amendment be carried out forthwith with copy to other side. Re-verification is dispensed with.

2. This Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, challenging the impugned order dated 02/06/2022 passed by the Respondent No.2 Assistant Registrar

Nesarikar

Co-operative Societies, deleting name of the Petitioner from the voters' list.

3. Learned counsel for the Petitioner does not dispute that the Respondent No.1 Society has already expelled the Petitioner from its membership. The Petitioner has not impugned such order of expulsion from the membership. The question of entering the name of the Petitioner in the provisional list or final list does not arise. If the impugned order of expulsion passed by the Respondent No.1 is set aside by the appropriate authority, the Petitioner would be at liberty to apply for inclusion of his name as voter in the election that would be held in future.
4. Writ Petition is dismissed accordingly. There shall be no order as to costs.
5. The Petitioner would be at liberty to challenge the order of expulsion in accordance with law.

(M. G. SEWLIKAR, J.)

(R. D. DHANUKA , J.)