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

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**WRIT PETITION NO. 12972 OF 2016**

Sakharam Kashiram Ambekar and anr. .. Petitioners  
Vs.  
State of Maharashtra and ors. .. Respondents

**WITH  
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 2720 OF 2021  
IN  
WRIT PETITION NO. 12972 OF 2016**

Smt. Vaishali Sadanand Jadhav .. Applicant

In the matter between

Sakharam Kashiram Ambekar and anr. .. Petitioners  
Vs.  
State of Maharashtra and ors. .. Respondents

**WITH  
WRIT PETITION NO. 3520 OF 2016**

Smt. A.K. Lad and ors. .. Petitioners  
Vs.  
The Collector,  
Sindhudurga District and ors. .. Respondents

**WITH  
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 9839 OF 2022  
IN  
WRIT PETITION NO. 3520 OF 2016**

Swapnali Chandrakant Kesarkar .. Applicant

In the matter between  
Smt. A.K. Lad and ors. .. Petitioners  
Vs.  
The Collector, Sindhudurga Dist. and ors. .. Respondents

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Mr. Ajay V. Shinde, for petitioners in WP/12972/2016 & for Applicant in IA/2720/2021.

Mr. Saurabh Oka a/w Mr. Kanhaiya S. Yadav i/b Mr. Neel Helekar, for Petitioners in WP/3520/2016 and for Applicants in IA/9839/2022.

Smt. R. A. Salunkhe, AGP for Respondent-State.  
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**CORAM : DIPANKAR DATTA, CJ &  
M. S. KARNIK, J.**

**DATE : JULY 1, 2022**

**P.C. :**

Interim Application No. 9839 of 2022

**1.** Interim Application 9839 of 2022 is an interim application in Writ Petition No. 3520 of 2016 at the instance of the widow of the petitioner no. 2, seeking her substitution in place and stead of her late husband. The petitioner no. 2 has passed away on July 12, 2021. It is claimed that the applicant is the sole surviving heir of the petitioner no. 2.

**2.** We allow the prayers made in this application for substitution, upon setting aside abatement, with liberty to the learned advocate for the petitioners on record to incorporate the name of the applicant instead of the deceased petitioner no. 2 in the cause title of the writ petition within seven (7) days from date.

**3.** Interim Application No. 9839 of 2022 is allowed. No costs.

**4.** List the writ petition on **July 15, 2022.**

**(M. S. KARNIK, J.)**

**(CHIEF JUSTICE)**