

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 14756 OF 2022

Ratnadeep Sunil Mhaskar	...Petitioner
Versus	
The State Of Maharashtra Thr Principal Secretary & Ors	...Respondents

Mr. Ajit R. Pitale for the petitioner.
Mr. N. C. Walimbe, AGP for the respondent no. 1
Mr. Rui Rodrigues a/w. Adv. Ashutosh Mishra & Adv. Jainendra
Sheth for the respondent nos. 2 & 3.

**CORAM : NITIN W. SAMBRE &
SHARMILA U. DESHMUKH, JJ**

DATED : 5th DECEMBER, 2022

P.C.:

1. The basic issue which is sought to be raised in the petition is conversion of candidature of the petitioner from open category to reserve category, as the same will benefit him to be declared as successful in the qualifying examination.
2. One of the prayer in the petition pertains to deciding the representation by the respondent no. 4-authority.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petition of the petitioner itself can be treated as representation by the respondent no. 4 and an appropriate order can be passed.
4. In view of the above submissions, the petition stands

disposed of.

5. The petitioner's petition be treated as representation and it shall be open for the respondent no. 4 to decide the representation and communicate the order to the petitioner on the same within a period of four weeks.

(SHARMILA U. DESHMUKH, J) (NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.)

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