

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY,
NAGPUR BENCH, AT NAGPUR.**

WRIT PETITION NO. 1214 OF 2022

(Raju s/o Siddharth Khandekar and another ..vs.. State of Maharashtra, through its Minister of State,
Rural Development, Mumbai and others)

WITH

WRIT PETITION NO. 1215 OF 2022

(Shaikh Gani Shaikh Chand ..vs.. State of Maharashtra, through its Minister of State, Rural
Development, Mumbai and others)

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. S.D. Chopde, Counsel for the petitioners,
Mrs. M.A. Barabde, AGP for respondents 1 and 2,
Mr. A.M. Tirukh, Counsel for respondents 3 to 5,
Mr. A.B. Mirza, Counsel for respondent 6.

CORAM : ROHIT B. DEO, J.

DATED : 22-03-2022

These petitions are directed against the orders dated 22-2-2022 whereby the Hon'ble Minister has stayed the declaration of disqualification made by the Divisional Commissioner, Amravati.

2. Several contentions are urged by the learned Counsel Mr. S.D. Chopde for the petitioners and Mr. A.B. Mirza for the disqualified *Sarpanch*, in which I need not delve deeper.

3. It would be more appropriate if the Hon'ble Minister is directed to decide the appeals itself within one month of the appearance of the parties.

4. The parties shall appear before the Hon'ble Minister on 05-4-2022.

5. The petitions are disposed of accordingly.

JUDGE

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