

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

WRIT PETITION No. 1605 OF 2022,

Mangaldas Subhedar Atram. Petitioner.

VERSUS

Appellate Authority, Board of
Directors, Maharashtra State. Respondent.

Mr.U.J. Deshpande, Advocate for the Petitioner.

**CORAM : NITIN JAMDAR AND
ANIL L. PANSARE, JJ.**

DATE : 30 MARCH 2022.

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The Petitioner has filed this petition only for a direction that the appeal filed by the Petitioner to the Board of the Respondent which is pending, should be decided in a fixed time.

2. Such a direction, without knowing the pendency of appeals before the Authority, the workload of the Authority, will be an adhoc direction. It will also amount to giving priority to

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Petitioners appeal for no reason at all to the detriment to others who are waiting.

3. The Right to Information Act, 2005 has empowered the citizens with various actions. If the Act of 2005 is applicable to the Respondents and the request falls within the ambit of the Act, it is always open to the Petitioner to seek the status of the appeal. Thereafter the Petitioner would have his remedies in law.

4. Writ Petition is accordingly disposed of.

(ANIL L. PANSARE, J) (NITIN JAMDAR, J)

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