

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH : NAGPUR**

WRIT PETITION NO. 2710 OF 2022

Satish S/o Rupchand Khobragade

-- Petitioner

Vs.

State of Maharashtra and others

-- Respondents

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

Court's or Judge's orders

Mrs. M.M. Ghatode, Advocate for Petitioner

Mr. K.L. Dharmadhikari, AGP for Respondent - State

CORAM : MANISH PITALE, J.

DATE : 17th JUNE, 2022

By this petition, the petitioner has challenged order dated 05/04/2022, passed by the respondent – Tahsildar, whereby penalty has been imposed for illegal transportation of sand i.e. minor mineral. An alternative remedy of filing appeal before the Sub-Divisional Officer is available to the petitioner. It is not demonstrated as to how the impugned order can be said to be either without jurisdiction or suffering from the vice of violation of principles of natural justice or any such other ground justifying the petitioner filing the petition directly before this Court.

2. Hence, the writ petition is dismissed with liberty to the petitioner to avail of the alternative remedy.