

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

937 WRIT PETITION NO.11975 OF 2023

BHAGWAN TUKARAM JADAHV AND ANOTHER
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH IT'S PRINCIPLE
SECRETARY AND OTHERS

Mr.S.G.Munde h/f Mr.S.G.Kawade, Advocate for the Petitioners.
Mr.P.K.Lakhotiya, AGP for the Respondent/State.

(CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE AND
S.G.MEHARE, JJ.)

DATE : SEPTEMBER 29, 2023

PER COURT :

1. The Petitioners have raised a grievance before the Deputy Director, Land Records vide their application dated 23.12.2019. The Department has received the application on 01.01.2020. The delay appears to be of 30 years. The Petitioners pray that the proceedings be decided within a time frame.

2. The learned AGP submits that the first issue to be dealt with is the enormous delay caused by the Petitioners. This is an original proceeding and cannot be completed hastily.

3. In view of the above, **this Petition is disposed off** expecting the Authority to complete the procedure within 180 days. We make it clear that we have not expressed any opinion either on the delay aspect or other contentions of the parties, which are left open for consideration.

(S.G.MEHARE, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)