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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

31 WRIT PETITION NO.12450 OF 2023

**VYAKANT RAMRAO KOKANE AND OTHERS  
VERSUS  
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS  
SECRETARY AND ANOTHER**

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Mr S. S. Gangakhedkar, Advocate for Petitioners;  
Mr P. K. Lakhotiya, A.G.P. for Respondent No.1  
Mr S. B. Pulkundwar, Advocate for Respondent No.2

**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE  
AND  
Y. G. KHOBRADE, JJ.**

**DATE : 9th October, 2023**

**PER COURT:**

1. The learned Advocate representing Respondent No.2/ Zilla Parishad, Nanded, in response to the application dated 21/11/2022, submits that these Petitioners are now eligible to make an online application for considering their request for transfers in the special category Part-2. He further submits that, their pending applications can be decided within 60 days.
2. By an order dated 10/04/2023, passed in Writ Petition No.3958/2023, we had observed in paragraph No.2 as under :

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*“2. The learned Advocate for the Petitioners further submits that these petitioners cannot make online application for seeking transfer on account of couple convenience since the online form does not accept a candidate who has not completed three years. Per contra, circular dated 21.02.2019 lifts the said restrictions. However, necessary software changes in the online form portal, have not been made.”*

3. In view of the above, **this Writ Petition is disposed off** by granting 60 days time to Respondent No.2/ Zilla Parishad, Nanded to deal with the applications of the Petitioners, dated 21/11/2022, by ensuring that the directions set out in paragraph No.2 (reproduced above), are complied with/implemented.

**(Y. G. KHOBRADE, J.)**

**(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)**

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