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

40 WRIT PETITION NO.12110 OF 2022

**GAHININATH RAMKISHAN SHINDE
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY AND OTHERS**

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Mr S. B. Solanke, Advocate h/f Mr A. R. Gaikwad, Advocate for
petitioner;

Mr S. G. Sangle, A.G.P. for respondent Nos.1 to 3

**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE
AND**

SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, JJ.

DATE : 16th January, 2023

PER COURT:

1. Considering the view of taken by this Court at the Principal Seat of this Court as well as at the Aurangabad Bench, concluding that the petitioner has a statutory remedy of approaching the Joint Director, Sports and Youth Services, and as the petitioner's appeal, dated 19/08/2022, is pending before the said authority, this petition is disposed off.

2. We expect respondent No.2, to decide the appeal preferred by the petitioner by following the due procedure laid down in law, preferably on or before 28/02/2023.

(SANJAY A. DESHMUKH, J.)

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(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)