



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

WRIT PETITION NO. 15129 OF 2023

MANOJKUMAR VISHWANATH CHAVAN

....Petitioner

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS PRINCIPAL
SECRETARY AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

Mr. Boinwad Omgashad B. Advocate for the Petitioner
Mr. P. K. Lakhotiya, AGP for the Respondents State.

CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE &
Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, JJ.

DATE : 12th December, 2023

ORDER:

1. The Petitioner prays that this Court should issue a Writ of Mandamus to the learned Civil Judge, Junior Division to decide Regular Civil Suit No. 62 of 2020 and L.A.R. No. 28 of 2022, at the earliest or within six months.
2. The learned AGP rightly submits that a Writ of Mandamus can be issued against a statutory authority for delay in discharge of duties and not against a Judge. Moreover, one proceeding is just three years old and another proceeding is just one year old.
3. In view of the above, **this Petition is disposed off.**

(Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)