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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

CONTEMPT PETITION NO. 217 OF 2023

Vinayak Dattatraya Ghaisas & Ors. }	Petitioners
Versus	
Nitin Gadre-Secretary, General }	
Administration Department & Anr. }	Respondents

Mr. Subhash Gutte for the Petitioners.

Mr. M. M. Pabale, AGP for Respondent No. 2.

CORAM: NITIN JAMDAR, ACTING CJ. &
SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.

DATE: 15 JUNE 2023

P.C.:

. Heard the learned counsel for the Petitioners.

2. The contempt alleged is of the order dated 16 September 2021 passed in Writ Petition No. 51 of 2021. A direction was issued to the Respondents not to withdraw the benefit of advance increment.

3. It is not shown in what manner there is deliberate and wilful defiance. The learned counsel for the Petitioners sought to urge various issues on merit, which, obviously, cannot be considered in contempt jurisdiction. It is open for the Petitioners to institute substantive proceedings for redressal of their grievance, if any.

4. The contempt petition is, accordingly, disposed of.

(SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.)

(ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE)