

Prajakta Vartak

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 11736 OF 2016

Vasant Tukaram Khopde ..Petitioner
Vs.
The Additional Collector & Anr. ...Respondents

**AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 11735 OF 2016
(Not on board. Taken on board.)**

Rupali Yogesh Mhaske ..Petitioner
Vs.
The Additional Collector & Anr. ...Respondents

Ms. Manvi Sharma i/b. Mr. Harshad Sathe for Petitioner.
Mr. S. D. Rayrikar, AGP for Respondent Nos.1 and 2.

**CORAM : G.S. KULKARNI, J.
DATE : JANUARY 20, 2023**

P.C. :-

WRIT PETITION NO. 11736 OF 2016 :-

1. Challenge in this petition is to an order dated 31 May, 2016 passed by the Additional Collector, Raigad whereby the petitioner was disqualified from continuing as a member and to contest election for the period of next 5 years. The said order disqualifying the petitioner was confirmed by the Additional Commissioner, Konkan Division by an order dated 28 September, 2016 passed on an appeal being Appeal No.645 of 2016 filed by the petitioner. Period of 5 years from the date of the said order is already over. Hence, this petition has become infructuous. It is

accordingly, disposed of as infructuous.

WRIT PETITION NO. 11735 OF 2016 :-

1. The petitioner approached this Court by filing this petition having been disqualified from continuing as a member and to contest election for the period of next 5 years vide an order dated 31 May, 2016 passed by the Additional Collector, Raigad as confirmed by the order dated 28 September, 2016 passed in an appeal being Appeal No. 646 of 2016 which is subject matter of the present proceedings. It appears that the period of 5 years from the date of the said order is already over and hence, the petition has become infructuous. It is accordingly disposed of.

[G.S. KULKARNI, J.]