



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

WRIT PETITION NO. 3074 OF 2024

Pandit Vanji Saindane

VERSUS

The State Of Maharashtra Through
Secretary And Other

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Mr. D. D. Choudhari, Advocate for the Petitioner

Ms. Neha Kamble, AGP for Respondents

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CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE &
R. M. JOSHI, JJ

DATE : MARCH 20, 2024

PER COURT :

1. Leave to add the employer Somaiyya Vidya Vihar, Ghatkopar as Respondent.

2. The Petitioner has secured employment on the basis of his claim of belonging to 'Tokare Koli' a scheduled tribe. He is 54 years of age. His claim for issuance of a validity certificate is pending. He has put in 28 years of service without a validity certificate.

3. This Writ Petition is disposed off with the following directions:

(a) The claim of the Petitioner shall be decided by the competent Committee on its

own merits on or before 30.09.2024.

(b) The Petitioner shall tender an affidavit/undertaking to this Court as well as to the employer that he would not claim any increments, pay revision, pay fixation, promotion, service benefits, etc, until his claim is validated. On the condition of filling such affidavit/undertaking, we direct the employer of the Petitioner i.e., Respondent No. 4 herein not to terminate services of Petitioner in view of the affidavit/undertaking until the claim is decided by the Committee.

(R. M. JOSHI, J)

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(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J)