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

940 WRIT PETITION NO. 232 OF 2024

VISHAL FISHERY BUSINESS COOPERATIVE SOCIETY,
GHATANGRI THROUGH ITS CHAIRMAN HANUMANT
PRABHU HARALE

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH THE HON'BLE
MINISTER AND ANOTHER

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Mr S. A. Nagarsoge, Advocate for Petitioner;
Mr S. K. Tambe, A.G.P. for Respondents/State

**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE
AND
Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, JJ.**

DATE : 10th January, 2024

PER COURT:

1. The grievance of the Petitioner is that, an Appeal filed by the Petitioner under Section 152 of the Maharashtra Cooperative Societies Act, 1960, is pending hearing and final decision, since the last around 25 months.

2. The only prayer of the Petitioner is that Respondent No.1/Hon'ble Minister, Forestry Cultural Activities and Fisheries Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai should decide it's aforesaid Appeal. The learned Advocate for the Petitioner submits that the

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Petitioner would appear before Respondent No.1 on 23/01/2024 at 11.00 a.m. in Mantralaya.

3. In view of the above, **this Writ Petition is disposed off**, with a direction to Respondent No.1 to issue notices returnable on 15/02/2024, to all the stakeholders with regard to the proceeding initiated by the Petitioner. Thereafter, the pending proceeding would be decided expeditiously on its own merits, by following the due procedure laid down in law.

(Y. G. KHOBRADE, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)

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