

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

Appeal from Order No.138 of 2024

a/w

Interim Application No.1703 of 2024

Sagar Ravindra Pathak Appellant.

Vs.

Malhari Bhairavnath alias Eknath Fate

& Ors. Respondents.

Mr Sumit V. Sonare for appellant.

Mr Swaraj Jadhav i/by Vikas Kumbhar for respondent.

Coram : R. N. Laddha, J.

Date : 1 April 2024.

P.C. :

Heard learned Counsel for the parties.

2. This appeal can be disposed of by directing the trial Court to decide the suit expeditiously. Accordingly, the appeal stands disposed of. Till the decision of the suit, the parties to maintain the *status quo*. The learned trial Court is directed to decide the suit expeditiously and as far as possible within six months from the receipt of this order, on its own merits and in accordance with the law.

3. Learned Counsel for the parties, on instructions, undertake to cooperate with the learned trial Court to decide the suit within the specified period.

4. As a sequel, the pending application also stands disposed of.

[**R. N. Laddha, J.**]