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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION  
WRIT PETITION NO. 2546 OF 2024**

Vilas Baburao Sagre and Anr. .... Petitioners.

V/s

The State of Maharashtra and Ors. .... Respondents.

Mr. Pranav Bhoite i/b Mr. Ghanshyam Jadhav for the Petitioners.  
Ms. Reena A. Salunkhe, AGP for Respondent Nos. 1 to 4 and 6 to 8.

**CORAM: A.S. CHANDURKAR &  
JITENDRA JAIN, JJ.**

**DATE: 26<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2024**

P.C.:-

1] The only direction sought by the Petitioners is consideration of the complaint dated 15/07/2023 made by the Petitioners to the Collector, Sangli with a prayer to take steps to remove the unauthorized construction undertaken on Government land.

2] Considering the nature of direction proposed to be issued, notice to Respondent No.9 is dispensed with.

3] The learned AGP waives service for Respondent Nos. 1 to 4 and 6 to 8.

4] According to the Petitioners, Respondent No.9 has undertaken unauthorized construction on a portion of land bearing Gut No.712/1

which is stated to be a forest land. For that reason, complaint dated 15/07/2023 has been addressed to the Collector. Since nothing further has been done in the matter, present writ petition has been filed.

5] Considering the aforesaid, a direction is issued to Respondent No.2 – Collector, Sangli to consider the complaint dated 15/07/2023 and take appropriate steps in accordance with law. While taking such decision, Respondent No.9 shall also be heard. The decision taken be communicated to the parties.

6] With the aforesaid directions, writ petition is disposed of.

[ JITENDRA JAIN, J. ]

[ A.S. CHANDURKAR, J.]