

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

Second Appeal No.712 of 2003

Vithabai Krishna Ekal & Ors. Appellants.

Vs.

Bhairu Jyoti Ekal & Ors. Respondents.

a/w

Interim Application No.16989 of 2023

in

Second Appeal No.712 of 2003

Shevanta Pandurang Koge & Anr. ... Applicants.

In the matter between:

Shevanta Pandurang Koge & Anr. ... Appellants.

Vs.

Bhairu Jyoti Ekal & Ors. .. Respondents.

Coram : R. N. Laddha, J.

Date : 29 February 2024.

P.C. :

Interim Application No.16989 of 2023:

Heard. Leave to amend to delete prayer clause (b). Necessary amendment be carried out forthwith.

2. This is an application to expedite the hearing of Second Appeal No.712 of 2003. For the reasons stated in the application and the fact that the appeal is pending since 2003, the application is allowed in terms of prayer clause (a) :-

"(a) This Hon'ble Court be pleased to expedite/take up the Second Appeal No.712 of

2003 on an urgent and priority basis for final hearing as it was filed on 12/09/2003 i.e. about 20 years ago."

3. List the second appeal on final hearing board on **22 April 2024.**

[R. N. Laddha, J.]