

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 1333 OF 2024

Pradnya Prasad Joshi ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1340 OF 2024**

Dileep Laxman Sonkamble ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1335 OF 2024**

Shubhada Vaibhav Phadnis ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1339 OF 2024**

Rupali Dnyaneshwar Shinde ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1338 OF 2024**

Pradnya Suresh Deshmukh ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1337 OF 2024**

Yogita Shantanu Kulkarni ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1336 OF 2024**

Amit Balasaheb Jawalkar ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO.1341 OF 2024**

Swapnil Devanand Sonawane ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1334 OF 2024**

Smita Shubhash Dodhad ... Petitioner
versus
The State of Maharashtra and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1691 OF 2024**

Sudhirkumar Vitthal Gaikwad ... Petitioner
versus
Divisional Chairman,
Maharashtra State Board of Secondary
and Higher Secondary Education, Pune and Others ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 9496 OF 2024**

The Maharashtra Education Society and Another ... Petitioners
versus
Dy. Director of Education and Others ... Respondents

AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 1439 OF 2024

Tejaswini Mayuresh Gaidhani	...	Petitioner
versus		
The Secretary/ Chairman, Maharashtra Education Society and Others	...	Respondents

AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 1440 OF 2024

Vasudha Kailas Waykole	...	Petitioner
versus		
The Secretary/ Chairman, Maharashtra Education Society and Others	...	Respondents

AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 1441 OF 2024

Aparna Vikas Bhore	...	Petitioner
versus		
The Secretary/ Chairman, Maharashtra Education Society and Others	...	Respondents

AND
WRIT PETITION NO.1442 OF 2024

Romila Tushar Gaikwad	...	Petitioner
versus		
The Secretary / Chairman, Maharashtra Education Society and Others	...	Respondents

AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 1443 OF 2024

Vaishnavi Ratnakar Borawake	...	Petitioner
versus		
The Secretary/ Chairman, Maharashtra Education Society and Others	...	Respondents

AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 1444 OF 2024

Chaitali Girish Garge	...	Petitioner
versus		
The Secretary/ Chairman, Maharashtra Education Society and Others	...	Respondents

AND
WRIT PETITION NO. 1445 OF 2024

Akshata Suhas Chavan	...	Petitioner
versus		
The Secretary/ Chairman, Maharashtra Education Society and Others	...	Respondents

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Mr.Suresh Pakale, Senior Advocate with Mr.Nilesh Desai and Ms.Neha Tembe i/b. Ms.Padmaja Malgaonkar for the Petitioners in WP Nos.1333 of 2024, 1340 of 2024, 1335 of 2024, 1339 of 2024, 1336 of 2024, 1338 of 2024, 1337 of 2024, 1341 of 2024 and 1334 of 2024.

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Mr.Neel Helekar for the Petitioners in WP No. 9496 of 2024.

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Ms.Pooja Joshi, AGP for Respondent Nos. 1 to3 -State in WP No. 1341 of 2024.

Ms.Nisha Mehra, AGP for Respondent Nos. 1 to 6 in WP No. 1441 of 2024.

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**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE
&
ASHWIN D. BHOBE, JJ.**

DATE : 18TH NOVEMBER, 2024

P.C.:

1. This is a motion for speaking to the minutes of the order dated 21st October, 2024.

2. Having heard the learned AGPs, the learned Senior Advocate as well as the learned Advocates appearing for the parties, we find a serious dispute as to whether the Divisional Chairman of the Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education has the jurisdiction to deal with the matter, which cannot be considered in a motion for speaking to the minutes of the order.

3. The learned AGPs submit that the State would file a Review Application for seeking modification in the directions set out in paragraphs 6 and 7 of the order, dated 21st October, 2024.

4. In view of the said statement, **this motion is disposed off.**

(ASHWIN D. BHOBE,J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)