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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO. 5665 OF 2024**

Marquis Advertising and Marketing ...Petitioner
Versus
Nashik Municipal Corporation & Anr ...Respondents

**Mr Mayur Khandeparkar, i/b Sangram Chinnappa, for the
Petitioner.**
**Mr Rohit Sakhdeo, for Respondents Nos 1 & 2- Nashik Municipal
Corporation.**

**CORAM G.S. Patel &
Kamal Khata, JJ.**
DATED: 16th April 2024

PC:-

1. Not on board. Mentioned. Taken on board.
2. Mr Khandeparkar presses for immediate relief. Mr Sakhdeo vigorously opposes the Petition and the application for interim relief.
3. In our view, the Writ Petition will have to be allowed immediately. The impugned orders at Exhibit “V” and “W” to the Petition are admittedly not show cause notices but orders directing

removal of the Petitioner's billboards. No hearing was admittedly given to the Petitioner.

4. The impugned orders at Exhibit "V" and "W" dated 3rd April 2024 are quashed and set aside.

5. The Nashik Municipal Corporation is at liberty to issue a proper show cause notice in accordance with law and to decide this on merits with a reasoned order after giving the Petitioner an opportunity of a hearing and of showing cause.

6. We have not thought it necessary to consider the other prayers. All contentions on both sides are expressly left open.

7. Rule is made absolute in these terms.

(Kamal Khata, J)

(G. S. Patel, J)