

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 16776 OF 2023

Santosh s/o. Ashok Devare and Others	...	Petitioners
versus		
The State of Maharashtra and Others	...	Respondents

WITH
WRIT PETITION (ST.) NO. 3654 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 3356 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 9752 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION (ST.) NO. 19189 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1836 OF 2024
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1516 OF 2024
IN
WRIT PETITION NO. 1836 OF 2024
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 11185 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 10798 OF 2024
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 11187 OF 2024
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 11188 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 10800 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 10799 OF 2024

WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 10802 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 10801 OF 2024
 WITH
 INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 11195 OF 2024
 WITH
 INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 11199 OF 2024
 WITH
 INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 11200 OF 2024
 WITH
 INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 11202 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 1837 OF 2024
 WITH
 INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1515 OF 2024
 IN
 WRIT PETITION NO. 1837 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 11636 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 11649 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 1838 OF 2024
 WITH
 INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1514 OF 2024
 IN
 WRIT PETITION NO. 1838 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 1839 OF 2024
 WITH
 INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1513 OF 2024
 IN
 WRIT PETITION NO. 1839 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION (ST.) NO. 32050 OF 2023
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 2133 OF 2024

WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 2132 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 2112 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 2142 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 2138 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO.1844 OF 2024
 WITH
 INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1511 OF 2024
 IN
 WRIT PETITION NO. 1844 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 2140 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 2141 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 2143 OF 2024
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION (ST.) NO. 35453 OF 2023
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 16775 OF 2023
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 16777 OF 2023
 WITH
 WRIT PETITION NO. 16780 OF 2023

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Mr. Mahesh Deshmukh i/b. Mr.Rahul B. Temak for the Petitioners
 in WP (St) No. 3654 of 2024, WP Nos. 3356 of 2024, 9752 of
 2024, WP (St.) no. 19189 of 2024, WP Nos. 1836 of 2024, 10798
 of 2024, 10800 of 2024, 10799 of 2024, 10802 of 2024, 10801 of
 2024 and 1837 of 2024.

Mr.Mihir Desai, Senior Advocate with Mr.Saumitra Salunke i/b. Mr.Pradeep Yadav for the Petitioners in WP (St.) No. 32050 of 2023, WP Nos. 2112 of 2024, 2142 of 2024, 2138 of 2024, 2140 of 2024, 2141 of 2024, 2143 of 2024 and WP (St) No. 35453 of 2023.

Mr.Mihir Desai, Senior Advocate i/b. Swapnali Chavan for the Petitioners in WP Nos. 2132 of 2024 and 2133 of 2024.

Mr.Narayan Rokade i/b. Mr. Vijay B. Jagtap for the Petitioners in WP Nos. 11636 of 2024, 11649 of 2024 and 16780 of 2023.

Mr.Ashutosh Kumbhakoni, Senior Advocate with Mr.Milind Deshmukh for the Respondent-Management.

Mr.B.V.Samant, Addl.GP with Mr.Aditya R. Deolekar, AGP for the Respondent -State in all Petitions.

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**CORAM : NITIN JAMDAR, AND
M.M. SATHAYE, JJ.**

DATE : 27 August 2024.

P.C. :

In some of the petitions, the learned Counsel for the Petitioners have circulated one page note. The learned Counsel for the Petitioners in other petitions state that they will furnish the same during the course of the day.

2. The learned Senior Advocate for the Respondent – Management states that the impugned order passed on 12 February 2024 by the Division Bench of this Court, Bench at Aurangabad

placing an embargo for not making appointments is construed as travelling beyond the interest of the Petitioners. The learned Senior Advocate submits that while securing the claim of the Petitioners, interim order be modified. The learned Senior Advocate submits that Respondent-Management be permitted to carry on the process of filling up other posts, and the Petitioners can raise objections and also raise an issue of seniority if such course of action is adopted. The learned Senior Advocate for the Respondent -Management states that additional affidavit will be filed placing details on record in respect of suggestions of the Respondent -Management.

3. Stand over to **10 September 2024**.
4. Additional affidavit to be filed by 2 September 2024 and response of the Petitioners to the additional affidavit to be submitted before the next date.
5. Ad-interim order to continue till the next date.

(M.M. SATHAYE, J.)

(NITIN JAMDAR, J.)