

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO. 13004 OF 2024**

Amit Manik Kalbhor and ors. ... Petitioners

versus

The District Election Officer @ District Dy. Respondents
Registrar, Co-op. Societies, Pune (Rural) and ors.

Mr. Prasad S. Dani, Senior Advocate with Mr. Abhijit Kadam, Advocate for the Petitioners.

Mr. Dilip Bodake, Advocate for Respondent Nos. 1 and 4.

Mr. Chetan Nagare, Advocate for Respondent No.2.

Ms. S. S.Jadhav, AGP for Respondent Nos.3 and 5-State.

CORAM : R. M. JOSHI, J.

DATE : 13th SEPTEMBER, 2024.

P.C. :

1. Heard.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner informs the Court that the elections are scheduled on 30th September 2024. In view of the same, issue notice to the respondents returnable on **26th September 2024.**

3. Mr. Bodake, learned counsel, waives service on behalf of respondent Nos.1 and 4, Mr. Nagare, learned counsel, waives service on behalf of contesting respondent No.2 and Ms. Jadhav, learned AGP, waives service on behalf of respondent Nos.3 and 5 – State.

4. Learned counsel for contesting respondent No.2 seeks to file reply.

5. Reply, if any, be filed before the next date of hearing with advance copy made over to the other side at least 48 hours in advance.
6. Parties are put to notice that the petition shall be heard finally at the stage of admission.

(R. M. JOSHI, J.)