

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH, NAGPUR

WRIT PETITION NO. 5928 OF 2024

(Smt. Megha wd/o Pravin Kohale vs. State of Maharashtra and others)

*Office Notes, Office Memorandum of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's orders.*

Court's or Judge's order

Mr. S.S.Shingane, Advocate for the petitioner.
Ms.T.H.Khan, Assistant Government Pleader for the respondent
Nos.1 to 3.

CORAM : BHARATI DANGRE AND ABHAY J. MANTRI, JJ.

DATE : OCTOBER 08, 2024

The impugned communication dated 16/07/2024, addressed by the respondent No.4 to the Collector, Wardha while rejecting the application preferred by the petitioner for being appointed on compassionate ground in the wake of the demise of her husband on 08/07/2023, is that the post of Junior Clerk do not fit in the approved post as per 'Sanch Manyata'.

2) *Prima facie* we find the reason to be completely unsustainable, as husband of the petitioner continued to serve in the School from 06/06/1998 till his demise 08/07/2023. Hence, we deem it appropriate to issue notice to the respondent Nos.4 and 5 by asking them to respond to the grievance of the petitioner in rejecting her claim for being appointed on compassionate ground. The said notice is returnable on **12/11/2024**.

3) Learned Assistant Government Pleader waives service of notice for respondent Nos.1 to 3.

4) *Hamdast* granted.

5) In addition, the notice is also permitted to be served through private mode.

(ABHAY J. MANTRI, J.)

(BHARATI DANGRE, J.)

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