



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

WRIT PETITION NO.7213/2024

Dinesh Manohar Chikhale

...Versus...

State of Maharashtra through its Secretary, Department of Energy, Mantralaya,
Madam Cama Road, Mumbai – 440032 and another

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders or directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. R.R. Deo, Advocate for petitioner
Mrs. S.S. Jachak, Addl. G.P for respondent No.1

CORAM : AVINASH G. GHAROTE AND
ABHAY J. MANTRI, JJ.

DATE : 12/12/2024

1. The contention is that the work order is for a period of 12 months, for which, the terms and conditions at page-14 (Item No.2) are being pointed out. Mr. Deo, learned counsel for the petitioner also relies upon the definition of work mentioned at page-13, which indicates that the rates should be quoted for 12 months (one year), and excavation has to be for 24 hours 365 days. It is contended that based upon the assurance that the work is for a period of 12 months, the rate, as indicated at page-12 has been quoted. He submits that this would indicate that the contract was for a period of 12 months and not 6 months, as is now being sought to be indicated by the communication dated 09/12/2024 (pg.21).

2. Issue notice to the respondents for final disposal, returnable on 17/12/2024.

3. Additional Government Pleader Mrs. S.S. Jachak waives service of notice for the respondent No.1.

4. The petitioner is permitted to serve the respondent No.2 by all modes of service permissible in law.

(ABHAY J. MANTRI, J.)

(AVINASH G. GHAROTE, J.)

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