



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

WRIT PETITION NO. 5964 OF 2025

VIJAY DAGADU KOTHAWADE AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA
THROUGH ITS SECRETARY AND OTHERS

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- Mr. Murge Estling S., Advocate for the Petitioners
- Ms. P J. Bharad, AGP for Respondent/State

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CORAM : MANGESH S. PATIL &
Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, JJ.

DATE : 06.05.2025

PER COURT :

. The petitioners are seeking incentive for having worked in the tribal/difficult area.

2. Issue notice. The learned AGP waives service for all respondents.

3. It is a matter of grant of some special pay allowance for having worked in the tribal/difficult areas, according to the policy of the State Government.

4. In light of similar orders being passed by several division benches, the writ petition is disposed of directing respondents to

consider the case of each of these petitioners, individually in accordance with the policy for grant of pay increment/allowance, as per the Government Resolution dated 06.08.2002, 09.11.2005 and in light of the order passed by the division bench at Nagpur in writ petition No. 3950 of 2024, dated 12.09.2024.

5. Such scrutiny shall be undertaken in any case within six months from the date of this order, and the actual benefits shall be extended to the eligible persons within six weeks thereafter.

(Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, J.)

(MANGESH S. PATIL, J.)

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