



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

975 WRIT PETITION NO. 3913 OF 2023

RAJENDRA KISANRAO SHINDE

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
AND OTHERS

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Mr. Rahul R. Karpe – Advocate for Petitioner

Mr. R.B. Dhaware – AGP for Respondent Nos.1 and 2, State

Mr. P.P. Shahane – Advocate for Respondent Nos.3 and 4

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CORAM : SIDDHESHWAR S. THOMBRE, J.

DATE : 10.12.2025

PER COURT :

1. Heard learned Counsel for the respective parties.
2. By way of this petition, the petitioner challenges the order dated 01.11.2021 issued by respondent No.4, the Registrar, whereby the Registrar has refused to forward the complaint of the petitioner to the Grievance Committee.
3. I have gone through the order issued by respondent No.4. The Registrar only on the ground that there was delay, refused to forward the proposal. In fact the Registrar was supposed to forward the same to the Grievance Committee and shall not have refused to forward the proposal at his level, therefore, letter itself is illegal. Hence, I am inclined to set

aside the order dated 01.11.2021.

4. In view thereof, the Writ Petition is allowed. The order dated 01.11.2021 issued by respondent No.4, the Registrar is quashed and set aside.

5. The complaint of the petitioner is referred to the Grievance Committee.

6. The Grievance Committee, while deciding the complaint of the petitioner, shall take into consideration the time spent by the petitioner in prosecuting the present petition and shall decide the complaint on its own merits and in accordance with law.

7. In view thereof, the Writ Petition is disposed of.

[SIDDHESHWAR S. THOMBRE]
JUDGE

Pooja Kale/