



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

BENCH AT AURANGABAD

**902 PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO. 26 OF 2021**

SANTOSH CHATRAKHUJ BHANDE  
VERSUS  
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS

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Mr. Mukund D. Gitte Advocate h/f. Mr. S.G. Jadhavar  
Advocate for Petitioner.  
Mr. R.S. Wani, A.G.P. for Respondents.  
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CORAM: SMT. VIBHA KANKANWADI AND  
HITEN S. VENEGAVKAR, JJ.

DATE : 4<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER, 2025

ORDER :

1. Learned Advocate Mr. Gitte holding for learned Advocate Mr. Jadhavar for the petitioner submits that by the passage of time the Petition has become has infructuous.
2. In view of the same, the Public Interest Litigation stands disposed of, accordingly.

[HITEN S. VENEGAVKAR]  
JUDGE

asb/DEC25

[SMT. VIBHA KANKANWADI]  
JUDGE