



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

980 WRIT PETITION NO. 9872 OF 2025

PRASAD BABU SHINDE
VERSUS
STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND ANOTHER

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Advocate for the Petitioner : Mr. Yeramwar Sushant C.
AGP for Respondents/State : Ms. S.S. Joshi
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CORAM : MANISH PITALE &
Y.G. KHOBRAGADE, JJ.
DATE : 7th August, 2025

PC. :-

1. This petition is filed for a limited purpose seeking a direction to the Respondent No.2/Scrutiny Committee to decide the tribe claim of the Petitioner as belonging to the Thakur Scheduled Tribe, within a stipulated period of time.
2. It is submitted that there is urgency in the matter because the Petitioner is a student who desires to take admission in Diploma Course of Engineering and the last date for submitting the validity certificate is 05.09.2025. The learned AGP submits that since the matter is pending before the Respondent No.2/Scrutiny Committee for vigilance cell inquiry reasonable time may be granted.

3. Considering the urgency in the matter, we dispose of the Writ Petition by directing the Respondent No.2/Scrutiny Committee to decide the tribe claim of the Petitioner at the earliest and in any case before 31.08.2025.

[Y.G. KHOBRADE, J.]

[MANISH PITALE, J.]