



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

WRIT PETITION NO. 1404 OF 2025

RIYAZ AHMED SHAIKH RAFIQUE MOMIN

VERSUS

**THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA
THROUGH ITS SECRETARY AND OTHERS**

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Advocate for the Petitioner : Mr. Yogesh B. Bolkar
AGP for Respondent Nos. 1 to 5 : Mr. V. M. Kagne
Advocate for Respondent Nos. 6 and 7 : Mr. L. S. Mahajan

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

DATE : 13.03.2025

PER COURT :

. The learned advocate for the petitioner seeks leave to amend the petition in light of the supervening events, wherein the selfsame Education Officer (Secondary) has passed another order on 10.03.2025, by addition of some grounds for refusal to grant approval to the petitioner's appointment. He submits that this would constitute an aggravated form of contempt, over and above what was mentioned in the order dated 30.03.2025.

2. Leave granted to amend the petition.
3. Learned AGP tenders across the bar affidavit-in-reply of the Education Officer. It is taken on record.
4. Stand over to 04.04.2025, in the 'same' category.

(Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, J.)

(MANGESH S. PATIL, J.)