

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

WRIT PETITION NO. 8286 OF 2025

SACHIN JALINDAR SAWANT AND ANOTHER

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA
THROUGH ITS SECRETARY AND OTHERS

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- Mr. Madake Datta A., Advocate for the Petitioners
- Mr. S. P. Sonpawale, AGP for Respondent Nos. 1 & 3 to 5

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CORAM : MANISH PITALE AND
Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, JJ.

DATE : 02.09.2025

PER COURT :

1. The learned AGP seeks extension of time to file reply affidavits and to obtain appropriate instructions in the matter.
2. There is no appearance on behalf of respondent No. 2 – the State Election Commission, perhaps, because the learned counsel who was appearing for the respondent No. 2 – the State Election Commission, has now been elevated as a Judge of this Court.
3. The record shows that the reply affidavit on behalf of respondent No. 2 has already been filed. However, it appears that a copy of the said reply affidavit has not been served on the learned counsel for the petitioners. Hence, liberty is granted to the petitioners to obtain a copy of the said reply affidavit from the Registry at their own cost.
4. List the petition on **16.09.2025**, in the same category.

(Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, J.)

(MANISH PITALE, J.)