

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIRCUIT BENCH AT KOLHAPUR

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 5237 OF 2021

Umesh Jaysingrao Sawant ... Petitioner

Versus

The Collector, Sangli And Ors ... Respondents

*Mr. Umesh Mankapure a/w Adv. Parth Pitambare for the Petitioner.
Mr. V. M. Mali, AGP for the Respondent-State.*

**Coram : M. S. Karnik &
Ajit B. Kadethankar, JJ.**

Date : November 24, 2025.

P. C. :

1. Heard learned Counsel for the parties.
2. Learned Counsel for the Petitioner submits that the limited relief sought in this Petition is a direction to Respondent No. 1 to initiate recovery proceedings pursuant to the Inquiry Report dated 26th August, 2019, submitted by the Inquiry Committee.
3. It is submitted that, on the basis of such inquiry, no further action has been taken by the Respondent-Collector. In view of the Inquiry Report at page no. 115, and having regard to the findings and

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conclusions recorded therein, Respondent No. 1 – Collector, Sangli, is directed to examine the report and take it to its logical conclusion by initiating appropriate action expeditiously and in accordance with law.

4. Writ Petition stands disposed of.

[Ajit B. Kadethankar, J.]

[M. S. Karnik, J.]