

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIRCUIT BENCH AT KOLHAPUR
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 5538 OF 2024

Maharashtra Mathadi Shramjeevi
Kamgar General Union.

...Petitioner.

Versus

Satara Mathadi And Unprotected Labour
Board and Others.

...Respondents.

Mr. A. A. Naik, AGP for the Respondent-State.

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

Date : November 14, 2025.

P. C. :

1. None for the Petitioner.
2. With the assistance of learned AGP, we have perused the petition. Considering the averments made in petition, we deem it appropriate to dispose of this petition by directing the Respondent No. 1-Board to consider the representation made by the Petitioner seeking recovery of wages due and payable to Mathadi Workers of Toli No.43 and in case the Respondent No.1 is satisfied that wages are to be recovered from board, to take necessary steps for recovering the wages from the concerned and also resort to initiating prosecution under Section 44 of the Maharashtra Mathadi, Hamaal and other

manual workers (regulations of employment and welfare) Act, 1971.

Ordered accordingly.

3. The above exercise be carried out by the Respondent No.1, expeditiously.

4. So far as the prayer clause (b) is concerned, we keep the question open to be decided in an appropriate proceedings.

5. Petition stands disposed of.

[Ajit B. Kadethankar, J.]

[M. S. Karnik, J.]