

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO.4354 OF 2025**

Rupali Kundlik BhongPetitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Ors.Respondents

Mr. Rajaram Deshmukh for the Petitioner.

Mr. K.S. Thorat, 'B' Panel Counsel for the Respondent – State.

Dr. Bhausahab Karekar, Education Officer, Pune present.

**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE
&
ASHWIN D. BHOBE, JJ.**

DATE : 6th OCTOBER, 2025

P.C. :-

1. A widow, who was appointed on compassionate grounds to the post of Peon and has been working since then, is being made to run from pillar to post by the Education Officer (Secondary), Pune, Dr. Bhausahab Karekar, by keeping her proposal dated 26th July, 2019 for approval, pending. We cannot turn a blind eye to such conduct.

2. Let Respondent No.2 remain present in the Court tomorrow, i.e., 7th October, 2025, at 3.00 p.m.

(ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)