



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO.5323 OF 2024

Nishikant Madhusudhan Dixit & Ors.Petitioners

Vs.

The State of Maharashtra & Ors.Respondents

Mr. Rupesh Bobade, for Petitioners.

Mr. S. P. Kamble, AGP for Respondent Nos.1 to 4-State.

CORAM : REVATI MOHITE DERE &

DR. NEELA GOKHALE, JJ.

DATE : 10th JULY 2025.

P.C.:-

1. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioners.
2. Issue notice to the Respondents returnable on **21st August 2025**. Humdast permitted.
3. Learned AGP waives notice on behalf of the Respondent Nos.1 to 4-State and seeks time to take instructions and to file an Affidavit of Reply, if so advised.
4. Learned counsel for the Petitioners to supply spare copy in the Registry within one week from today, so as to enable the Registry to issue notice to the Respondent No.5.

5. In addition to Court notice, learned counsel for the Petitioners to serve the Respondent No.5 by private notice and file Affidavit of service before the next date.

6. Stand over to **21st August 2025.**

(DR. NEELA GOKHALE, J.) (REVATI MOHITE DERE, J.)