

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO.1848 OF 2024

Suresh Shankar Waman & Anr.

....Petitioners

Versus

State Of Maharashtra & Ors.

....Respondents

None for the Petitioners.

Smt. Vrishali Raje, for Respondents.

CORAM: SOMASEKHAR SUNDARESAN, J.

DATE : DECEMBER 03, 2025

ORDER :

1. On the last occasion, precise factual position in the form of an affidavit in reply had been called upon from the State. Such affidavit has been filed on November 25, 2025.
2. None appears for the Petitioners today.
3. It is seen from the affidavit in reply that the delegation to the officer concerned was indeed effected by an order dated August 1, 1996. It is seen that the delegation is made to the Assistant Collector and Sub-Divisional Officers, who are also in the rank of Assistant Collectors.
4. Learned AGP also submits that this issue has been squarely dealt with in Writ Petition No.387 of 2017.

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5. Stand over under the caption ***"Second Chance"*** on ***December 9, 2025.***

6. All actions required to be taken pursuant to this order shall be taken upon receipt of a downloaded copy as available on this Court's website.

[SOMASEKHAR SUNDARESAN, J.]