

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

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WRIT PETITION NO.4626 OF 2025

Vaishnavi Sandesh Swami

.. Petitioner

Vs.

The Shivaji University, Kolhapur and Ors.

.. Respondents

Mr. Aditya S. Raktade with Mr. Sumit Sonar, Mr. Dnyanesh Patil, Ms. Aarti Shah and Mr. Sumit Vhanbhatte, Advocates for the Petitioner.

Mr. Yuvraj Narvankar with Mr. Rahul C. Patil, Advocates for Respondent Nos.1, 3 and 4.

Mr. P.P. Kakade, Additional Government Pleader with Mr. P.G. Sawant, Assistant Government Pleader for Respondent No.5.

**CORAM : A.S. CHANDURKAR &
M.M. SATHAYE, JJ**

DATE : 9TH APRIL 2025.

PC. :

1. The petitioner secured “27” marks in the theory paper of “Interpretation of Statutes” at Semester-VIII of the Five Years LL.B. Course. She sought re-evaluation of the said marks in terms of a circular issued by Shivaji University in that regard. However, on re-evaluation, the said marks were reduced to “16”.

2. In accordance with Clause 19 of the aforesaid circular, the Petitioner contends that since the reduction of marks from “27” to “16” is greater than 20% marks secured in the said subject, re-evaluation ought to have been permitted. This request has been refused by the University by its communication dated 21st November 2024.

3. For the present, issue notice only to respondent nos.1 and 3 to 5, returnable on 30th April 2025.

4. Mr. Yuvraj Narvankar, learned counsel waives notice for Respondent

nos.1, 3 and 4. Mr. PP. Kakade, learned Additional Government Pleader waives notice for respondent no.5.

5. Affidavit in reply, if any, to be filed before next date.

[M.M. SATHAYE, J.]

[A.S. CHANDURKAR, J.]