

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

**WRIT PETITION NO.4746 OF 2025**

Kailas Dasharath Rahane

....Petitioner

***Versus***

The Deputy Director of Education  
Pune Division, Pune and Ors.

....Respondents

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Mr. Ashok B. Tajane a/w. Mr. Yogesh Thorat for the Petitioner.  
Mrs. P.N. Diwan, AGP for Respondent No.1.

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**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE &  
M.M. SATHAYE, JJ.**

**DATE : 11<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 2025**

**P.C. :-**

1. This is yet one more case of Respondent No.1 not discharging his duties diligently. A proposal dated 14<sup>th</sup> May, 2024 is not decided even till today, after a passage of 13 months. We find that there are numerous Petitions everyday on our board wherein we are only required to direct various officers of the Education Department to discharge their duties diligently. Since proposals are kept pending, such Petitions are being filed.

2. We could have initiated action under Section 10 of the Maharashtra Government Servants Regulation of Transfers and Prevention of Delay in Discharge of Official Duties Act, 2005. The

learned AGP prays that such order may not be passed. Hence, we are imposing costs of Rs.10,000/- on Respondent No.1, which shall be deposited by him from his salary bank account in this Court, within 21 days from today. Since the Petitioner consents, the said amount shall be donated to the following two establishments :

**(1) Children Aid Society, Mumbai**

Account No.: 02370100005612

Bank Name : UCO BANK

Branch : Matunga

IFSC : UCBA0000237

**(2) National Association for the Blind**

Account No. : 3740000100008551

Bank : Punjab National Bank

Branch : Worli Seaface

IFSC Code : PUNB0374000

The Registry is directed to transfer the said amount, accordingly.

3. Respondent No.1, the then Deputy Director of Education, Pune, shall decide the pending proposal by following the due procedure laid down in law within a period of 60 days from today. The said proposal shall be decided on its own merits,

notwithstanding whether the Management has inducted any new person in place of the Petitioner.

4. In view of the above, **this Petition is disposed off.**

**(M.M. SATHAYE, J.)**

**(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)**