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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO. 9517 OF 2025

Iqbal Hussain Shaikh and anr.

.. Petitioners

Versus

The State of Maharashtra and ors.

.. Respondents

*Ms. Anita Castelena, i/b. Ms. Deepa Kamath, Advocates for the
Petitioners.*

*Mr.N. C. Walimbe, Addl. GP, with Smt. Ashwini A. Purav, AGP for the
Respondent Nos.1 to 3 - State.*

*Mr. Mandar Soman, a/w Mr. Sanhay Anabhawane, Mr. Tejasvi
Nanche, i/b. Ms. Medha Rane , Advocates for Respondent No.4 /
Kotak Bank.*

CORAM: B. P. COLABAWALLA &
AMIT S. JAMSANDEKAR, JJ.

DATE: OCTOBER 16, 2025

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1. The learned advocate appearing on behalf of the 4th Respondent undertakes to file his vakalatnama by 3rd November, 2025. The said undertaking is accepted.

2. If the 4th Respondent - Bank wishes to file any Affidavit-in-Reply, they are free to do so, on or before the next date and serve a copy of the same on

the advocate for the Petitioner. We make it clear, if no reply is filed on behalf of the 4th Respondent by the next date of hearing, we will proceed on the basis that the 4th Respondent - Bank is nothing to say in the matter and will hear the Writ Petition accordingly.

3. We now place this matter on board on **6th November, 2025**.

4. This order will be digitally signed by the Private Secretary/ Personal Assistant of this Court. All concerned will act on production by fax or email of a digitally signed copy of this order.

[AMIT S. JAMSANDEKAR , J.]

[B. P. COLABAWALLA, J.]