

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

CONTEMPT PETITION NO.260 OF 2025

IN

WRIT PETITION NO.14035 OF 2024

Mritunjay Kumar and Ors.

....Petitioners

Versus

Union of India and Ors.

(Ministry of Defence)

....Respondents

Dr. Uday Warunjikar i/b. Mr. Ranjeet Kumar Singh for the
Petitioners.

Mr. Amarendra J. Mishra for the Respondents.

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

DATE : 11th JUNE, 2025

P.C. :-

1. The issue is with regard to the compliance of the
directions set out in the order dated 3rd February, 2025 passed in
Writ Petition No.14035 of 2024.

2. The learned Advocate representing the Respondents
submits, on instructions that the file is pending with the Ministry of
Defence and is being dealt with by Col. Debasish Nath. The learned
Advocate for the Respondents further submits that the proposal for
clearing the payments will be accepted within 30 days and the
arrears will be paid to the Petitioners within one week thereafter.

3. We have perused the records, in view of the submissions of the learned Advocate Mr. Warunjikar, which indicates that the original Petitioner had assured the Court that the payment would be made to the Respondents (present Petitioners).

4. In view of the above, let the proposal be cleared within 30 days from today and payment be made to the present Petitioners within one week thereafter, failing which Mr. Debasish Nath will have to remain present in the Court on the next date.

5. List this matter on 18th July, 2025 in the urgent orders category.

(M.M. SATHAYE, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)