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

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 6650 OF 2025
IN
WRIT PETITION NO. 2737 OF 2018
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 2737 OF 2018**

Vishal Madhukar More & Ors. .. Applicants

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Ors. .. Respondents

**CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 941 OF 2018
WITH
CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 1580 OF 2018
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 17983 OF 2023
WITH
PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO. 135 OF 2009
WITH
CRIMINAL PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO. 2 OF
2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 12670 OF 2019
WITH
CONTEMPT PETITION NO. 427 OF 2018**

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**CORAM: ALOK ARADHE, CJ. &
SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.**

DATE: 11th JULY, 2025

P.C.:

List the matters before a Bench of which one of us (Sandeep V. Marne, J.) is not a member.

(SANDEEP V. MARNE, J.)

(CHIEF JUSTICE)