

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13124 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.233 OF 2008

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

IN THE MATTER BETWEEN:-

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation, Applicant/Org.
Nashik ... Petitioner

V/s.

Tulashiram Rama Khutade And Anr. ... Respondents

WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12702 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.282 OF 2008

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Lahanu Arjun Pawar ... Respondent

WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12731 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.258 OF 2008

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

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**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12730 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.256 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Rajendra Vasant Karpe ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12728 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.214 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Deoram S. Sunwate And Anr. ... Respondents

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12727 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.248 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Deoram Shivaram Sumbar ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12726 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.215 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Deoram Shivaram Sumbar ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12725 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.239 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Sitaram Vitthal Raut ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12724 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.244 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Soma Kalu Wagale ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12723 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.251 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Ramdas Sakharam Bhoya ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12722 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.252 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Kisan Lahanu Gangode ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12721 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.261 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Deoram Kalu Dhonnar ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12711 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.263 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Kashinath Khandu Raundal ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12710 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.289 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Waman Balu Gawali ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12709 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.297 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Subhas Shankar Dhumase ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12708 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.298 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shivram Gangaram Raut ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12705 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.249 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Kisan Arjun Valav ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.12707 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.271 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Dinkar Raghunath Gangode ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13151 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.242 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Muralidhar Yewaji Jadhav ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13123 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.243 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Bhika Gangaram Dalavi ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13152 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.245 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Kashinath Rama Choudhary ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13137 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.257 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Shailesh Anirudh Sharma ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13140 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.259 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Soma Chimana Chaudhari ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13136 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.264 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Nandkumar Jagan Waghmare ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13130 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.269 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Fakira Baldar Tadvi ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13129 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.295 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Keshav Amruta Chaudhary ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13128 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.296 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Jayram Sitaram Ahire ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13127 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.300 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Pandurang Mahadu Pawar ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13138 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.234 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Santu Ragho Lahare ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13145 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.238 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Pandurang Rajaram Chaudhary ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13162 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.246 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Jagan Santu Gaikwad ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13167 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.247 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Kalu Janu Kakad ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13166 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.302 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Vijay Udaysingh Girase ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13165 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.299 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Shivaji Mahadu Borse ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13156 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.240 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Tulashiram Rawaji Khdam ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13157 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.265 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Prabhakar Narayan Amodkar ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13158 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.209 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Budha Pandu Mondhe ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13160 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.250 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Deoram Pandu Khotare ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13161 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.291 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Dharma Sakharam Pawar ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13147 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.207 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Ramaji Kalu Borase ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13170 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.235 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Shivaji Vaman Sabale ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13169 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.236 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Kalu Ramji Khade ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13154 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.237 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Deoram Sitaram Jadhav ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13155 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.254 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Nareyan Pandu Shingade ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13135 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.260 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Changdeo Waman Pawar ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13144 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.267 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Ayub Makbul Khatik ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13143 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.268 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Rejendra Pandurang Sonawane ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13142 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.270 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Sanjay kisan Sonawane ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13149 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.272 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Manohar Valu Shingade ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13148 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.275 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Tulshiram Kakdu Dagale ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13150 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.290 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Soma Bhau Pakhane ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13141 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.301 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Kalu Jiva Bagul ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13132 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.253 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Shri Keshav Rama Waghmare ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13133 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.255 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Raghunath Janu Pawar ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13163 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.262 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Chandar Hari Mahale ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13134 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.266 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Narayan Fulsing Patil ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13125 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.295 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Development Corporation,
Nashik ... Applicant

V/s.

Keshav Amruta Chaudhary ... Respondent

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO.13168 OF 2025
IN
LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO.241 OF 2008**

The Divisional Manager,
Forest Dev.Corp.

... Applicant

V/s.

Namdeo Tulshiram Raut

... Respondent

Letters Patent Appeal/233/2008 with all connected LPA

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LPA/200/2009,

LPA/246/2008, LPA/298/2008, LPA/253/2005, LPA/267/2008,
LPA/243/2008, LPA/297/2008, LPA/295/2008, LPA/302/2005,
LPA/244/2008, LPA/241/2008, LPA/270/2008, LPA/241/2008,
LPA/270/2008, LPA/263/2008, LPA/264/2008

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LPA/214/2008, LPA/215/2008, LPA/233/2008, LPA/234/2008,
LPA/235/2008, LPA/236/2008, LPA/237/2008, LPA/238/2008,
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LPA/291/2008, LPA/296/2008, LPA/299/2008, LPA/300/2008,
LPA/301/2008

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**CORAM : G. S. KULKARNI &
AARTI SATHE, JJ.**

DATED : 20th NOVEMBER, 2025

P.C.:

1. By this Interim Applications, the applicant/petitioner is praying for restoration of the Letters Patent Appeals, which came to be dismissed for want of prosecution.
2. We have perused the averments as made in the Interim applications. In our opinion, it is in the interest of justice that the Letters Patent Appeal is restored to the file of this Court.
3. Accordingly, Letters Patent Appeals are allowed in terms of prayer clause (a).
4. Letters Patent Appeal are restored to the file of this Court.
5. List the Appeals for hearing, 27th November, 2025 at 3.00 pm.

(AARTI SATHE, J.)

(G. S. KULKARNI, J.)