

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION  
WRIT PETITION (L) NO.36983 OF 2024**

Vast Media Network Pvt. Ltd. .. Petitioner

**Versus**

The State of Maharashtra through its .. Respondents  
Principal Secretary & Ors.

**WITH**

**WRIT PETITION NO.4761 OF 2024**

Nitin Laxmidas Dama .. Petitioner

**Versus**

State of Maharashtra through its .. Respondents  
Principal Secretary, Ministry of  
Dairy Development & Ors.

**WITH**

**WRIT PETITION NO.57 OF 2025**

Nitin Laxmidas Dama .. Petitioner

**Versus**

The State of Maharashtra through its .. Respondents  
Principal Secretary & Ors.

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Mr.Anil V. Anturkar, Senior Advocate with Mr.Harshavardhan Suryawanshi, Mr.Piyush Deshpande, Mr.Metanshu Purandare, Mr.Neeraj Singh, Ms.Sakshee Salunkhe, Ms.Aakansha Varma, Ms.Anjali Agarwal and Mr.Vinamra Kamble for the Petitioner in WPL/36983/24.

Mr.Aseem Naphade i/b Ms.Chaitra Rao with Mr.Jatin Sheth and Ms.Meera Parmar for the Petitioner in WP/4761/24 and WP/57/25 and for the Respondent No.4 in WPL/36983/24.

Mr.Rahul Gaikwad with Mr.Pavan Patil, Mr.Shubham Saraf, Mr.Shubhankar Kulkarni, Mr.Kartavya Otswal with Mr.Dewang Maitre for the Respondent No.6 in WP/4761/24.

Mr.Kevic Setalwad, Senior Counsel with Mrs.P.H.Kantharia, Govt. Pleader with Smt.Jyoti Chavan, Addl.Govt. Pleader and Ms.Nazia Sheikh, A.G.P. for the State/Respondent Nos.1, 2, 3 in WPL/36983/24.

Mr.Kevic Setalwad, Senior Counsel with Mr.Mohit P. Jadhav, Addl. Govt. Pleader with Mr.Amar Mishra, A.G.P. for the State/Respondent Nos.1 to 5 in WP/4761/24.

Mr.Kevic Setalwad, Senior Counsel with Smt.Jyoti Chavan, Addl. Govt. Pleader with Smt.Varsha Sawant, A.G.P. for the State/Respondent Nos.1, 2, 3 and 4 in WP/57/25.

**CORAM: ALOK ARADHE, C.J. &  
BHARATI DANGRE, J.  
DATED : 04<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY, 2025**

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**P.C:-**

1. Learned counsel for the Petitioner in Writ Petition No.4761 of 2024 prays for and granted two weeks' time to enable him to file the rejoinder affidavit. Respondent No.6 is also at liberty to file the rejoinder affidavit.

2. Learned counsel for the Respondent No.4 in Writ Petition (L) No.36983 of 2024 prays for and granted two weeks' time to enable him to file the reply affidavit.

3. The reply affidavit filed on behalf of the State in Writ Petition (L) No.36983 of 2024 is taken on record.

4. List on 25/02/2025.
5. Writ Petition No.57 of 2025 be removed from the Board.

**(BHARATI DANGRE, J.)**

**(CHIEF JUSTICE)**