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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION**

WRIT PETITION NO.5409 OF 2024

Armita India Shipping Pvt. Ltd.

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Maharashtra

.. Respondents

Mr.V.Sridharan, Sr.Advocate a/w Adv.Shanmuga Dev and Adv.Aditi Jain i/b Adv.Sriram Sridharan for the Petitioner.

Mr.Himanshu Takke, A.G.P. for the Respondent Nos.1 to 3.

**CORAM: B. P. COLABAWALLA &
FIRDOSH P. POONIWALLA, JJ.**

DATE: JANUARY 7, 2025

P. C.

1. Mr.Javed Alsulkar, the Director of Armita India Shipping Private Limited tenders an additional Affidavit dated 3rd January 2025. The same is taken on record.

2. The learned AG.P. appearing on behalf of Respondent Nos.1 to 3 stated that the Respondents have been served with the additional Affidavit of

the Petitioner only yesterday. He therefore, sought time to file an Affidavit in Reply not only to the Writ Petition but also to the Additional Affidavit.

3. Acceding to his request, we direct that the Reply if any, shall be filed on or before 28th January 2025 and the copy of the same shall be served on the Advocate for the Petitioner. If the Petitioner wants to file any Affidavit in Rejoinder, they may do so on or before 4th February 2025 and serve a copy of the same on the Advocate for the Respondents.

4. Stand over to 4th February 2025.

5. 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.

[FIRDOSH P. POONIWALLA, J.]

[B. P. COLABAWALLA, J.]