

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

ELECTION PETITION NO. 11 OF 2025

Sadanand Sarvankar

...Petitioner

Versus

Mahesh Baliram Sawant & Ors.

...Respondents

Mr. Sagar Ghogre a/w Sarvesh Gawade i/b Sandip Ghogare for the Petitioner.

Mr. Amit A. Karande for Respondent No. 1.

Ms. Naira Jeejebhoy a/w Tanmay Pawar and Vinay Nair i/b Arun Panickar for Respondent No. 6.

CORAM : ARIF S. DOCTOR, J.

DATE : 11th JUNE, 2025

P.C. :

1. Learned Counsel for the Petitioner submits that the Petition has duly been served upon all the Respondents and placed reliance upon a bailiff's report as well as an Affidavit of private service on all the Respondents. The same has taken on record.

2. Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of Respondent No. 1 submits that Respondent No. 1 has filed an application under the provision of Order 7 Rule 11 of the Code of Civil Procedure (CPC) read with Section 86 of The Representation of the People Act, 1951. A copy of the same has duly been served.

3. Learned Counsel seeks two weeks' time to file an Affidavit in Reply.
4. Affidavit in Rejoinder to be filed within a period of one week thereafter.
5. List the matter on 9th July, 2025 for hearing.

(ARIF S. DOCTOR, J.)