

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 2708 OF 2025

Mahesh Chandrakant Shetye & Ors.

... Petitioners

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Ors.

... Respondents

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Mr. D. G. Dhanure a/w. Mrs. Jyoti D. Dhanure, Ms. Apurva Gudewar and
Mr. Aditya Kawad for the Petitioners.

Ms. Jyoti Chavan, Addl GP for the Respondent-State.

Mr. P. G. Lad a/w Ms. Sayali Apte for Respondent Nos.2 & 3-MHADA.

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

DATED : **15th SEPTEMBER, 2025.**

P.C. :

1. This petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is filed
praying for the following substantive relief: -

“(a) Rule *nisi* may be issued;

(b) This Court may be pleased to issue writ of mandamus or any
other writ/order/direction in like nature thereto direct the Respondents to
give benefit of the price reduction of Online Lottery of September 2024 to
the Petitioners and further direct to refund amount of price
variation/reduction along with interest @ 80% per annum from date of
last instalment to the Petitioners as per “Annexure-1” annexed to the writ
petition as Exhibit-M in time bound manner;

(c) This Court may be pleased to direct special enquiry through any
retired High Court Judge for issuing Corrigendum dated 29th August 2024
which is without following official procedure and approval of the
Respondent No.2-Vice President & Chief Executive Officer and further
direct for appropriate criminal action against the Respondents in
accordance with law;”

2. After this petition was heard for some time, learned counsel for the petitioners seeks leave to withdraw this petition with liberty to the petitioners to pursue the representation dated 26.09.2024 filed by the petitioners with the Chief Officer, Mumbai Housing and Area Development Board, Exhibit 'G' (Page 144). Let the representation be decided as early as possible and in any event within a period of four weeks from the date copy of this order is presented before the Chief Officer.
3. Allowed to be withdrawn with liberty as prayed for.
4. Disposed of. No costs.
5. All contentions of the parties are expressly kept open.

(AARTI SATHE, J.)

(G. S. KULKARNI, J.)