

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 4826 OF 2025

Neel Kirit Shah

... Petitioner

vs.

The State of Maharashtra & Ors.

... Respondents

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Mr.Ritesh Karkera for the Petitioner.

Ms.Fatima Lakadawalla, AGP for the Respondent -State.

Ms.Rutuja Bodake i/b. Ms.Komal Punjabi for the Respondent – BMC.

Mr.Niravkumar Jaisur, SE, B & F, K/West Ward is present.

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**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE &
ASHWIN D. BHOBE, JJ.**

DATE : DECEMBER 15, 2025

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1. The Petitioner claims to be a public-spirited person. He also claims to be a social worker and a businessman. However, the details of none of these have been set out in this Petition. The prayer put forth is that the Corporation should carry out a survey and submit a comprehensive list of illegal constructions in BMC Ward K-West, along with the status of the action taken. Another direction sought is that all such structures should be demolished and the illegal constructions be sealed. Yet another prayer put forth is that departmental enquiries be conducted and penal action be initiated against the officers.

2. We expressed our disinclination in view of the above.
3. The learned Advocate for the Petitioner sought a pass over.
4. After the matter was called out post-lunch, the learned Advocate for the Petitioner submitted, on instructions, that the Petitioner desires to withdraw this Petition. He may consider filing a Public Interest Litigation (PIL).
5. Needless to state, the locus and bonafides of the Petitioner are required to be looked into. In the event the Petitioner desires to file a PIL, the concerned Court would consider the same.
6. In view of the above, we grant leave to the Petitioner to withdraw this Petition. **This Writ Petition is dismissed** as withdrawn, on instructions.

(ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)