



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH, NAGPUR.

WRIT PETITION NO.670 OF 2025

Dr Dilip Kumar S/o Haribhau Kale, Jawahar Nagar, VMV Road, Amravati

-VS-

State of Maharashtra, Thr. Secretary, Dept. of Social Justice and Special Assistance, Mantralaya,
Mumbai and ors.

Office notes, Office Memoranda of
Coram, appearances, Court's orders
or directions and the Registrar's orders.

Court's or Judge's Orders.

Shri P. D. Meghe, Advocate for petitioner.

Shri S. M. Ghodeswar, Assistant Government Pleader for respondent Nos.1 to 4.

CORAM : NITIN W. SAMBRE AND MRS VRUSHALI V. JOSHI, JJ.

DATE : March 19, 2025

1. Leave to amend so as to add the Joint Director, Higher and Technical Education as party respondent No.8. Amendment be carried out forthwith. Learned Assistant Government Pleader waives notice for newly added respondent.

2. Shri Ghodeswar, learned Assistant Government Pleader has placed on record the communication dated 11/19-03-2025 issued by the respondent No.2 i.e. the Regional Deputy Commissioner, Social Welfare Department, Amravati alongwith the copy of Government Resolution dated 29-02-2024 wherein it is stated that the issue as regards power to grant approval to the posts/service conditions in respect of the employees including the petitioner working in Social Work Colleges (B.S.W/M.S.W) under the Department of Social Justice and Social Assistance is transferred to the respondent No.8 i.e. Higher and Technical Education Department. Communication dated 11/19-03-2025 is taken on record and marked 'X colly' for identification.

3. In response to the Court's query, Shri Godeswar has informed that the entire papers received from respondent Nos.3 and 4 in respect

of grant of leave encashment to the petitioner are forwarded by respondent Nos.5 and 6 to the respondent No.8 on 03/10/2024.

4. In that view of the matter, we direct the respondent No.8 to take a decision on the proposal forwarded by respondent Nos.3 to 7 in regard to grant of leave encashment claimed by the petitioner as expeditiously as possible and in any case within a period of eight weeks from the production of this order before him.

5. The writ petition stands disposed of accordingly. No costs.

(Mrs Vrushali V. Joshi, J.)

(Nitin W. Sambre, J.)