



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

WRIT PETITION NO.4647/2022

Smt. Suwarna Suresh Nagrale and others
...Versus...
Ramesh Pandhari Nagrale and others

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders or directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. A.A. Dhawas and Mr. K.R. Bhise, Advocates for petitioners
Mr. R.S. Kurekar, Advocate for respondents

CORAM : ROHIT W. JOSHI, J.
DATE : 27/11/2025

1. It is not in dispute that the impugned award dated 14/12/2019 passed by the learned Lok Adalat under the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 is based on compromise allegedly arrived at between the plaintiffs and defendant No.1. Defendant No.2 had expired on 16/11/2019.
2. In view of the above, the impugned award dated 14/12/2019 is unsustainable and is liable to be quashed and set aside.
3. Writ Petition is allowed by quashing and setting aside the award, dated 14/12/2019, passed by the Lok Adalat, Wani in relation to dispute, which is subject matter of Regular Civil Suit No.73/2013, which was pending before the learned Civil Judge, Junior Division, Wani, District Yavatmal and the subsequent decree dated 14/12/2019, passed by the learned Civil Judge Junior Division, Wani disposing of the suit in terms of the said award.

4. It will be open for the original plaintiffs to move appropriate application for restoration of said Civil Suit and to take steps for bringing legal representatives of defendant No.2 on record.

5. The contention that defendant No.1 was also not the signatory to the said settlement is kept open.

6. No order as to costs.

(ROHIT W. JOSHI, J.)