



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

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 408 OF 2024

[Abhay S/o Nakul Kumar **vs.** The State of Maharashtra through
its Secretary, Department of Home Affairs and anr.]

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

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. A. S. Manohar, Advocate for the petitioner
Mr. S. S. Doifode, APP for the State/respondents

CORAM: ANIL L. PANSARE AND
Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, JJ.

DATED : 15-10-2025.

Heard.

2. The petitioner is seeking directions to the respondents to compensate him for the death of his son, namely, Rajkumar Abhaya Kumar in police custody.

3. We are informed that the Human Rights Commission had taken cognizance of the incident and upon its recommendation, the State Government paid to the petitioner an amount of Rs. 6,50,000/-. In addition, Rs. 1,00,000/- was paid in terms of Government policy. Thus, the petitioner has in all received an amount of Rs. 7,50,000/-.

4. The petitioner has claimed Rs. 53,25,000/-. The amount of compensation, according to us, is something that would require detail analysis including evidence in support. In the circumstances, we grant liberty to the petitioner to approach the Civil Court, if he so desired.

5. With the aforesaid liberty, the petition is disposed of.

(Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, J.)

(A. L. PANSARE, J.)