



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

WRIT PETITION NO.8140 OF 2025

SAU. VANDANA W/O KISHOR BUTE

VS

HON'BLE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT, MUMBAI AND ANOTHER

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

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. N.L. Jaiswal, Advocate for the petitioner/s
Mr. S.M. Ukey, Addl.GP for the respondent Nos.1 and 2/State

CORAM : ANIL S. KILOR AND RAJNISH R. VYAS, JJ.

DATE : 18.12.2025

1. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner.
2. An innocuous prayer is made to direct the respondent No.1-Hon'ble Minister of Rural Development, Mantralaya to decide the appeal filed under Section 39 (3) of Maharashtra Village Panchayats Act, 1959, arising out of the order dated 25.02.2025, within time bound period.
3. Considering the fact that although the appeal was filed on 28.05.2025, it has not yet been decided, we direct respondent No. 1 to decide the same within a period of six weeks from the next date fixed.
4. It is further directed that the stay application shall be decided by the respondent No.1 within one week from the date of the appearance of the petitioner.
5. The petitioner undertakes to appear before the respondent No.1-Hon'ble Minister of Rural Development, Mantralaya, Mumbai on 24.12.2025.

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6. Needless to mention that the petitioner will give pre-intimation to all the concerned parties about appearance before the respondent No.1.
7. Accordingly, the petition is **disposed of**.

(RAJNISH R. VYAS, J.)

(ANIL S. KILOR, J.)