



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

WRIT PETITION NO.5614 OF 2025

(Vishal Namdeo Gopewad and another Vs. The State of Maharashtra thr. its
Secretary, Tribal Development Department (Social Justice Department), Mumbai
and others)

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

Court's or Judge's orders.

Mr. M. V. Thorat, Advocate for Petitioner (thr. V.C.).

CORAM: SMT. M. S. JAWALKAR AND RAJ D. WAKODE, JJ.
DATE: 23rd SEPTEMBER, 2025.

1. Heard Mr. Thorat, the learned Counsel for the petitioners.
2. The contention is that the respondent No.2 Committee vide impugned order dated 04.04.2025 has dismissed the appeal of the petitioner and upheld the order passed by the learned Sub Divisional Officer, Umarkhed dated 10.11.2022 thereby rejecting to grant the caste validity of 'Koli Mahadeo' to the petitioner.
3. Issue notice to the respondents, returnable on 13.10.2025.
4. Mr. A. S. Fulzele, the learned Additional Government Pleader waives service of notice for respondent Nos.1 to 3/State.
5. Learned Additional Government Pleader to procure the record and proceedings of the Caste Scrutiny

Committee, Yavatmal by the next date.

(RAJ D. WAKODE, J.)

(SMT. M. S. JAWALKAR, J.)

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