



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

CIVIL APPLICATION (CAW) NO.1844 OF 2025

IN

WRIT PETITION NO. 4393 OF 2025

Jayant Vasant Kumbhare -Vs- The State of Maharashtra, through its Tribal Development Department,
Mumbai and ors.

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

Court's or Judge's Orders.

Mr.Anil S.Mardikar Senior Advocate a/b Mr.Shankar Borkute, counsel
for the petitioner

Mr. N.S.Rao, A.G.P for respondent -State Nos.1 and 2.

**CORAM : ANIL S. KILOR &
MRS.VRUSHALI V. JOSHI, JJ.**

DATE : 11th August, 2025

1. For the reasons stated in the Civil Application, the Civil Application for amendment is allowed.

2. The amendment be carried out forthwith.

3. Civil Application stands disposed of.

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4. Heard.

5. Learned Senior Advocate Mr.Anil S. Mardikar points out to the Court that though there are documents of pre-constitutional period and it supports the case of the petitioner, those have been discarded and the validity has been denied to the petitioner as

‘*Halba*’ Scheduled Tribe. In that view of the matter, issue notice to the respondents, returnable on 25.08.2025.

6. Learned AGP waives service of notice for respondent Nos.1 and 2.

7. At this stage, learned Senior Advocate Mr. Anil S. Mardikar points out to the Court that the services of the petitioner came to be terminated on 07.08.2025, though the petition is pending and without giving reasonable period to the petitioner to raise a challenge to the impugned order.

8. In that view of the matter, the impugned order invalidating the caste claim of the petitioner is hereby stayed and further, we stay the order of termination dated 07.08.2025 issued by the Chief Executive Officer, Zilha Parishad, Wardha till next date.

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