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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

936 WRIT PETITION NO. 598 OF 2026

Shivshankar Dagadappa Mandage
VERSUS
The State Of Maharashtra And Others

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Mr. Someshwar S.Birajdar, Advocate for Petitioner
Mr. S.B. Pulkundwar, AGP for Respondents-No.1 to 3
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CORAM : SMT. VIBHA KANKANWADI AND
HITEN S. VENEGAVKAR, JJ.

DATE : 13 FEBRUARY, 2026

PER COURT :-

1. Heard the learned advocate for the petitioner.
2. The present petition has been filed seeking directions to Respondent No.2 – Deputy Director of Education, Latur, to forward the proposal vide letter Ref. No. SHMU/2024-25/11 dated 23.04.2025 to the office of Respondent No.3, and upon receipt thereof, to direct Respondent No.3 to decide the said proposal within a stipulated period.
3. Learned AGP waives service of notice for Respondents No.1 to 3 and, upon instructions from Respondents No.2 and 3, makes a statement that the said proposal would be forwarded to Respondent No.3 within a period of two weeks from today and that, upon receipt thereof, Respondent No.3 would decide the said proposal within a period of four weeks. The said statement is accepted as an undertaking.

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4. We dispose of the writ petition by directing Respondent No.2 – Deputy Director of Education, to forward the proposal dated 23.04.2025 to Respondent No.3 within a period of two weeks from today. We further direct Respondent No.3 to decide the said proposal within a period of four (4) weeks from the date of its receipt from Respondent No.2.

[HITEN S. VENEGAVKAR]
JUDGE

[SMT. VIBHA KANKANWADI]
JUDGE

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