



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

WRIT PETITION NO. 1537 OF 2026

Shivaji Appasaheb Avhare
VERSUS
The State Of Maharashtra And Others

Mr. C. V. Thombre, Advocate for petitioner
Mr. S. K. Tambe, Addl. GP for respondent-State

**CORAM : Smt. Vibha Kankanwadi &
Hiten S. Venegavkar, JJ.**

DATE : 11th February, 2026

PER COURT :-

1. Taking into consideration the prayer and the fact that the petitioner is stated to be a villager and the point raised by learned AGP regarding locus, we direct the petitioner to deposit an amount of Rs. 5,00,000/- to show his bonafides. The amount be deposited within a period of one month from today.
2. If the amount is deposited then list the matter for further consideration on 25.03.2026.
3. In case of failure on the part of the petitioner to deposit the said amount, the petition would stand dismissed automatically without further reference to the Court.

(Hiten S. Venegavkar, J.)

(Smt. Vibha Kankanwadi, J.)

B. S. Joshi