



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

923 WRIT PETITION NO. 2774 OF 2026

SUDARSHAN MAHADEV CHUNCHE

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS SECRETARY AND ANR

...

Advocate for the Petitioner : Mr. Sunil Mahadevappa Vibhute

AGP/APP for Respondent/State : Mr. P.S. Patil

...

CORAM : SANDIPKUMAR C. MORE AND
ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, JJ.

DATE : 13.03.2026

PER COURT : (PER : ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, J.)

. Heard.

2. By this Writ Petition, the petitioner is seeking expeditious disposal of his tribe claim of belonging to 'Koli Mahadev' Scheduled Tribe which is pending with respondent No.2/Scrutiny Committee since 30.09.2025.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the vigilance cell enquiry report of his father dated 08.10.2024 is already on record and the petitioner is ready to adopt the said vigilance cell enquiry report.

4. In that view of the matter, we direct the respondent No.2/Scrutiny Committee to decide the tribe claim of the petitioner as expeditiously as possible and preferably by the end of June 2026 on its own merits and in accordance with law.

5. With these directions, the Writ Petition stands disposed of.

(ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, J.)

(SANDIPKUMAR C. MORE, J.)

vsj..