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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA**  
**WRIT PETITION NO.290 OF 2025**

SANFORD W. FERNANDES

... PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF GOA, THR. ITS CHIEF  
SECRETARY AND 12 ORS

... RESPONDENTS

Mr. Adish Halarnkar, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Suhas Parab, Additional Government Advocate for Respondent Nos.1  
and 3 to 12.

Mr. Zeller D'Souza, Advocate for Respondent No.13.

**CORAM:- SUMAN SHYAM &  
AMIT S. JAMSANDEKAR, JJ.**

**DATED :- 12th January, 2026**

P.C.:

At the request of Mr Parab, the learned Additional Government Advocate appearing for Respondent Nos.1, 3 to 12, list this petition again on 14.01.2026, so as to enable him to take instructions regarding the specific timeline for completion of demolition process and also the reason as to why the same has not been carried out till date. Depending on the instructions obtained by Mr Parab, the learned Additional Government Advocate, this Court will consider passing appropriate orders including an order of personal appearance of the officers responsible, if so required.

Mr De Souza, the learned counsel for Respondent No.13 has tendered affidavit cum report today which is taken on record. The Petitioner may file response to the same.

**AMIT S. JAMSANDEKAR, J.**

**SUMAN SHYAM, J.**