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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA
WRIT PETITION NO.129 OF 2026

GANESH C GAONKAR AND 3 ORS

... PETITIONERS

Versus

STATE OF GOA THR THE CHIEF
SECRETARY AND 3 ORS

... RESPONDENTS

Mr J. J. Mulgaonkar with Ms Sweta Parulekar, Advocates for the
Petitioners.

Mr Devidas Pangam, Advocate General with Mr Shubham
Priolkar, Additional Government Advocate. for the Respondents.

**CORAM:- VALMIKI MENEZES &
AMIT S. JAMSANDEKAR, JJ.**

DATED :- 1st April, 2026

P.C.:

The Petitioner submits that there has been a positive interaction between the Petitioner and the Respondent Authorities, wherein the Petitioner's suggestions have been taken into consideration. In this view of the matter, the only grievance that remains to be addressed in the present Petition is the decision to be taken on the representation/complaint made by the Petitioners under Article 44 of the Devasthan Regulations before the Administrator of Devasthan, Bicholim.

2. The learned Advocate General makes a statement that the said

complaints would be disposed of within a period of four weeks from today. The statement is accepted.

3. In this view of the matter, nothing further survives in the Petition. The same is disposed of, granting liberty to the Petitioner to move this Court in case any urgent situation arises with regard to the conduct of the Shree Shirgao Jatra.

AMIT S. JAMSANDEKAR, J. VALMIKI MENEZES, J.