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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO.16074 OF 2024

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**Rajashri Girish Tandel @ Kum. Rajashri ...Petitioner
Kamalakar Patil**

Versus

State of Maharashtra

...Respondents

Mr. R.K. Mendadkar with Mr. Jagadish Kawale for the Petitioner.
Ms. Priyanka Chavan, AGP for Respondent No.1 – State.
Mr. Sandeep Dilip Shinde, for Respondent No.2.

**CORAM : R.I. CHAGLA AND
ADVAIT M. SETHNA, JJ.**

DATE : 1ST APRIL, 2026

ORDER :

1. The Writ Petition although seeking quashing and setting aside of the impugned Order dated 30th January, 2020 issued by the Respondent No.2 – Kalyan Dombivali Mahanagar Palika (KDMC) and directing Respondent No.2 – KDMC to treat the services of the Petitioner on the regular post of Clerk and to stop consequential recovery of salaries and allowances from the Petitioner, there is a

representation dated 18th May, 2021 which is required to be considered by the Respondent No.2 – KDMC.

2. Accordingly, we direct the Respondent No.2 – KDMC to decide the representation of the Petitioner dated 18th May, 2021 keeping in view the Petitioner's caste validity certificate dated 8th December, 2006 in accordance with law.

3. Order on such representation shall be passed by the Respondent No.2 – KDMC within a period of six weeks from the date of this Order.

4. The Writ Petition is disposed of in the above terms. There shall be no order as to costs.

5. We have not expressed any opinion on the merits of this Writ Petition. All rights and contentions of the parties are kept open.

[ADVAIT M. SETHNA, J.]

[R.I. CHAGLA J.]