

Prajakta Vartak

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

WRIT PETITION NO. 17106 OF 2024

Manappuram Finance Limited

...Petitioner

Versus

The Union of India & Ors.

...Respondents

Mr. Bharat Raichandani with Ms Bhagrati bahu i/b. UBR Legal Advocates for
Petitioner.

Ms. Shruti D. Vyas, Addl. Govt. Pleader, and Aditya R. Deolekar, AGP for the
State.

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**CORAM: G. S. KULKARNI &
AARTI SATHE, JJ.**

DATE: 30 April 2026

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1. Issue notice to the respondents, returnable on **12 June 2026 (H.O.B)**.
2. The petition would be required to be taken up for final hearing, as it is submitted that the Madras High Court in **Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd. vs. Union of India, State of Tamilnadu¹** has already decided the issue. The respondents are directed to take instructions so that the said decision may be applied and the proceedings can be disposed of accordingly.
3. Ad-interim order, if any passed earlier, shall continue to operate till the adjourned date of hearing.

(AARTI SATHE, J.)

(G. S. KULKARNI, J.)

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