

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

WRIT PETITION NO.16957 OF 2024

Narayan Namdev Sonawane).. Petitioner
Versus
The Collector Thane And Ors.).. Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO.7961 OF 2025**

Sanjay Anumant Sonawane And Anr.).. Petitioners
Versus
The State of Maharashtra Through)
its Principal Secretary & Ors.).. Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO.13681 OF 2025**

Moin Muhammad Kungale).. Petitioner
Versus
The State of Maharashtra Through)
its Principal Secretary).. Respondent

Mr. Sumesh S. Modak for the Petitioner in Writ Petition No.16957 of 2024.

Mr. Sandeep S. Patade i/b Mr. Kayval P. Shah for the Petitioner in Writ Petition No.7961 of 2025 and for Respondent No.4 in Writ Petition No.16957 of 2024.

Mr. Ashish S. Gaikwad a/w Ms. Savita A. Gaikwad, Mr. Anirudh R. Pote

and Mr. Sagar G. Bhoir for Respondent No.3 in Writ Petition No.7961 of 2025.

Mr. A.I. Patel, Addl. G.P a/w Ms. R.M. Shinde, A.G.P for Respondent-State in Writ Petition No.16957 of 2024.

Mr. A.I. Patel, Addl. G.P a/w Mr. S.H. Kankal, A.G.P for Respondent-State in Writ Petition No.7961 of 2025.

**CORAM : SARANG V. KOTWAL &
SANDESH D. PATIL, JJ**

DATE : 2nd APRIL 2026

P.C. :

1) Mr. Sumedh S. Modak, learned Counsel appearing for the Petitioner in Writ Petition No.16957 of 2024 submitted that Writ Petition No.13681 of 2025, is totally unconnected with the other two Petitions, i.e. Writ Petition No.16957 of 2024 and Writ Petition No.7961 of 2025. He submitted that there was no formal Order tagging the said Petition with the other two Petitions. Statement is accepted.

2. Therefore, Office is directed to separate Writ Petition No.13681 of 2025, from the other Writ Petition No.16957 of 2024 and Writ Petition No.7961 of 2025.

3. Mr. Sumedh S. Modak, learned Counsel appearing for the Petitioner is permitted to get Writ Petition No.13681 of 2025 circulated before this Court.

(SANDESH D. PATIL, J.)

(SARANG V. KOTWAL, J.)