

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

WRIT PETITION NO.1254 OF 2026

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Amol Sanjay Bhingare

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State Election Commission & Anr.

.. Respondents

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Mr. Mahesh Deshmukh h/f. Mr. Anshuman
Deshmukh, Advocates for the Petitioner

Mr. Sachindra B. Shetye with Mr. Suraj Chakor and
Mr. Akshay Pansare, Advocates for Respondent
Nos.1 and 2-SEC

**CORAM : SHREE CHANDRASHEKHAR, CJ &
GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, J.**

DATE : 27th JANUARY 2026

P.C. :

Aggrieved by the order dated 22nd January 2026 by which Form-B submitted by him at 3:40 pm has not been accepted by the returning officer, the petitioner has approached this Court.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has submitted his Form-B within the stipulated time, that is, at or before 3:00 pm on 21st January 2026.

3. However, such a statement is not made in the writ petition. Even so this dispute cannot be examined in the writ petition. Writ Petition No.1254 of 2026 is dismissed.

[GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, J.]

[CHIEF JUSTICE]