IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 4247 OF 2026

Roselind Pauly And Ors. .. Petitioners

Versus

State of Maharashtra through Principle Secretary Revenue and Forest Department and Ors. .. Respondents

WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 4248 OF 2026
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO.4249 OF 2026
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 4251 OF 2026
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 4254 OF 2026

Mr. Amogh Singh, a/w Mr. Nikhil Waje, Mr. Prem Gada, Mr. Vishesh Srivastav, Mr. Adnan Sarang, Mr. Anubhav Singh, for the Petitioners in all Petitions.
Mr. Karan Thorat, B' Panel Advocate for the Respondent-State in WP No. 4247 of 2026.
Mr. Asif I Patel- Addl GP a/w Mr. M. M Pable, AGP for State APP for the State in WP No.4248 of 2026.
Mr. Asif I Patel- Addl GP a/w Smt. V.R. Raje- AGP for State-Respondent in WP No. 4249 of 2026.
Mr. Asif I Patel- Add GP a/w Mr. M.M. Pable, AGP for State in WP No. 4251 of 2026.
Mr. Asif I Patel- Add GP a/w Smt. S.A. Prabhune, AGP for State-Respondent in WP No. 4254 of 2026.

CORAM: BHARATI DANGRE &
MANJUSHA DESHPANDE, JJ.
DATED : 22nd APRIL, 2026

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P.C:-

1. Though by order dated 06/04/2026, we directed the learned AGP to seek instructions, since the Petitioner placed reliance upon the decision of the Division Bench of this Court in the case of *Dr. Arjun Sitaram Nitanwar Vs. Tahsildar, District Thane and ors,* covering the mutation entry no. 616, and by holding that the procedure prescribed in declaring the land to be private forest is not followed, the entries qua the land of the Petitioners from the mutation entry no. 616 were set aside.

Since the learned AGP seeks some more time, we direct this Petition to be listed on 28/04/2026 on Supplementary Board.

(MANJUSHA DESHPANDE, J.) **(BHARATI DANGRE, J.)**

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