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

(912) WRIT PETITION NO. 880 OF 2026

The University Of Mumbai
Through Registrar Dr Prasad
Karande

... Petitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra and Anr.

... Respondents

**ALONGWITH
(914) WRIT PETITION NO. 2292 OF 2026**

The University Of Mumbai
Versus

... Petitioner

The State of Maharashtra and Ors.

... Respondents

Mr. Rafiq Dada, Senior Advocate a/w Mr. Yuvraj Narwankar,
Ms. Radhika Kurdukar and Mr. Suraj Kaushik i/b Mr. Raviraj Parmane
for the Petitioner in WP/880/2026.

Mr. Rafiq Dada, Senior Advocate a/w Mr. Yuvraj Narwankar, i/b
Mr. Suraj Kaushik for the Petitioner in WP/2292/2026.

Mr. Mihir Desai, Senior Advocate a/w Ms. Sanskruti Yagnik for
Respondent No.5 in WP/880/2026

**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE AND
HITEN S. VENEGAVKAR, JJ.**

DATE : 30th APRIL, 2026

P.C. :

1. The learned Senior Advocate Shri. Desai has prevailed
upon Respondent No.5 and makes a statement on specific instructions
that the said Respondent would be leaving the Mumbai University

premises at Kalina, by 5.00 p.m. on Sunday 3rd May, 2026. Since a room that was allocated to him in the hostel is now under lock and key of the University, as his Ph. D. programme has been brought to an end, he has some belongings in the room and the University should facilitate the opening of the room so that he can collect his belongings, take a wash, get into his alternative clothing and leave the hostel on the same day 3rd May, 2026.

2. Since a statement is made on specific instructions, we are listing this Writ Petition on **4th May, 2026** in the urgent admissions category for disposal, at Sr. No. 1.

3. It is assured that the entire set up that the said Respondent had put up at a particular spot in the University below a tree, would be cleared up and cleaned up in all respects leaving no trace of his set up and leave.

4. List Writ Petition No. 2292 of 2026 as well, on **4th May, 2026**.

(HITEN S. VENEGAVKAR, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)