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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 5162 OF 2024

Sandeep Shivaji Shinde

...Petitioner

Versus

Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai & Ors. ...Respondents

Mr. Amay C. Sawant and Mr. Vikram N. Walawalkar for the Petitioner.
Mr. Chaitanya Chavan a/w Ms. Rupali Adhate i/by Komal Punjabi for
the Respondent-MCGM.

Mr. S.D. Sawant, Dy. Chief Fire Officer (Fire Dept).

CORAM : R.I. CHAGLA J
ADVAIT M. SETHNA, J
DATE : 24 February 2026

ORDER :

1. By this Petition, the Petitioner has impugned the suspension order dated 29th April 2024 issued by Respondent No. 3, which had suspended the Petitioner's service.

2. The impugned order dated 29th April 2024 appears to have come to an end by passing of the order dated 5th December 2024 and the suspension of the Petitioner in the service of Respondent No. 2 appears to have been cancelled and he has been

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reinstated at the post of Station Officer with the service of the Respondent-Corporation from the date of issuance of reinstatement order against him, subject to the final decision of the Court.

3. In view of the order dated 5th December 2024, having been passed by Respondent No. 3, the learned Counsel for the Petitioner on instructions has sought permission to withdraw the present Writ Petition with liberty to file a fresh Petition as had been prayed for in the Interim Application (L) No. 40701 of 2025, and which liberty had been granted by separate order bearing today's date disposing of the Interim Application as withdrawn.

4. Leave is granted.

5. Writ Petition No. 5162 of 2024 is disposed of as withdrawn with the liberty already granted to the Petitioner to file a fresh Petition vide separate order bearing today's date in Interim Application (L) No. 40701 of 2025, which has been disposed of as withdrawn.

[ADVAIT M. SETHNA, J.]

[R.I. CHAGLA J.]