

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY****ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION****INTERIM APPLICATION NO.2380 OF 2026****IN****PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO.25 OF 2022**

Shahaji Nanai Thorat @  
Shahajirao Dhondiba Thorat

... Applicant

**V/s.**

The State of Maharashtra & Ors.

... Respondents

Ms. Prachiti Naik i/by Adv. Vishal Kanade (Appointed through Legal Aid)  
for the Applicant.

Mr. Milind More, Addl. GP for the Respondent-State.

**CORAM : A. S. GADKARI AND  
KAMAL KHATA, JJ.**

**DATE : 10<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

**P.C.:-**

- 1) Heard Ms. Naik, learned Advocate representing the Applicant.
- 2) Perusal of Application indicates that, the SRA is a necessary party to the Petition for its proper adjudication.
- 3) In view thereof and for the reasons stated in the Application, it is allowed in terms of prayer clause (b).
- 4) Necessary amendment in the record of Court and simultaneously in the copies served upon the learned Advocates for Respondents be carried out within a period of two weeks from today.

**(KAMAL KHATA, J.)**

**(A.S. GADKARI, J.)**