

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD

R/SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 4145 of 2026

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JETHABHAI JAGABHAI GORA
Versus
RANGE FOREST OFFICER

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Appearance:

MR DIPAK R DAVE(1232) for the Petitioner(s) No. 1

MR VAIBHAVKUMAR I BHOI(12030) for the Petitioner(s) No. 1

MS SWEETY SAMARA AGP for the Respondent(s) No. 1

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIRUDDHA P. MAYEE

Date : 27/03/2026

ORAL ORDER

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that while coming to a finding that the termination of the petitioner was illegal, the learned Labour court, Godhra has denied reinstatement only on the ground that there is six years delay and awarded a sum of Rs.70,000/- as lumpsum compensation, which is inadequate.

The learned AGP submits that the petitioner had since attained the age of superannuation and therefore, there was no question of reinstatement in the present case.

Issue Notice, returnable on 16.06.2026.

Affidavit-in-reply, if any, shall be filed before the next date of hearing.

(ANIRUDDHA P. MAYEE, J.)

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