

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO. 421 of 2026****In R/SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION/7565/2026**

With
CIVIL APPLICATION (FOR INTERIM RELIEF) NO. 1 of 2026
In R/LETTERS PATENT APPEAL NO. 421 of 2026

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VISMAY SON OF SHRI RAJNIKANT PATEL

Versus
UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

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Appearance:

MR MAHESH BHAVSAR(1781) for the Appellant(s) No. 1

MRS HM BHAVSAR(5340) for the Appellant(s) No. 1

MR HJ TRIVEDI FOR MR PRADIP D BHATE(1523) for the Respondent(s)
No. 1

MR MITUL SHELAT SENIOR ADVOCATE WITH MS DISHA NANAVALY for
the Respondent(s) No. 2

MR KILLOL SHELAT for the Respondent(s) No. 3

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE L. S. PIRZADA

Date : 01/06/2026

ORAL ORDER

1. Heard learned advocate Mr. Mahesh Bhavsar appearing for the appellant extensively.

2. Issue NOTICE returnable on 17.06.2026. Learned advocate Mr. HJ Trivedi waives service of notice on behalf of respondent no. 1, learned senior advocate Mr. Mitul Shelat waives service of notice on behalf of respondent no. 2 and learned advocate Mr. Killol Shelat waives service of notice on behalf of respondent no. 3.

3. Learned advocate Mr. Bhavsar appearing for the appellant has submitted that Special Civil Application No. 7565 of 2026

was moved before the Vacation Bench of this Court and the same was rejected by order dated 25.05.2026 and against that the present appellant has preferred Letters Patent Appeal No. 421 of 2026 in Special Civil Application No. 7565 of 2026 under Clause 15 of Letters Patent Appeal and the Vacation Bench vide order dated 29.05.2026 has protected the present appellant and granted interim relief in terms of paragraph 6(D)(i) till 01.06.2026. He has submitted that the said interim relief may be extended.

4. On the other hand, learned senior advocate Mr. Mitul Shelat assisted by learned advocate Ms. Disha Nanavaty appearing for respondent no. 2 has submitted that the interim relief pertains to direction against respondent no.2 - Indian Institute of Technology (for short "IIT"), Roorkee but IIT, Roorkee has no authority to change the category and he has further submitted that the result for JEE (Advanced) Examination is going to be declared today i.e. 01.06.2026. Learned senior advocate Mr. Mitul Shelat has submitted that as on today the appellant's category has been shown as General and they will declare the result as per the data available from the National Testing Agency today i.e. 01.06.2026.

5. Learned advocate Mr. Killol Shelat appearing for respondent no. 3 has submitted that the Special Civil Application No. 7565 of 2026 came to be rejected summarily without issuing notice to the other respondents and the order of 29.05.2026 passed by this Court has not been served to respondent no. 3. It is submitted that the public notice was issued by the National Testing Agency regarding to change the category in the month of

February from 21.02.2026 to 28.02.2026 for all the candidates but this document has not been produced by the appellant and he has not applied for the change of category.

6. Considering the submissions of the learned advocates for the parties, the present Letters Patent Appeal requires consideration, hence, the interim relief granted earlier by order dated 29.05.2026 in terms of paragraph 6(D)(i) to be extended till 17.06.2026.

7. Further, respondent no. 2 - IIT, Roorkee has to declare the result of JEE (Advanced) which is scheduled today i.e. on 01.06.2026.

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(L. S. PIRZADA, J)