

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD**R/SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 16693 of 2025**

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ASHVINKUMAR PRAHLADBHAI THAKOR

Versus

STATE OF GUJARAT & ANR.

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Appearance:

JITENDRAKUMAR S KOTAI(8608) for the Petitioner(s) No. 1

G H VIRK(7392) for the Respondent(s) No. 2

MR MAYANK CHAVDA, AGP for the Respondent(s) No. 1

KUSHAL A DESAI(9435) for the Respondent(s) No. 2

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CORAM:HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIRUDDHA P. MAYEE**Date : 19/01/2026****ORAL ORDER**

1. By the present writ petition, the petitioner is seeking a direction to the respondent authority to make necessary correction in the name of the son of the petitioner in the birth certificate.

2. Learned advocate Ms. Kiran Udasi appearing on behalf of learned advocate Mr. Jitendrakumar Kotai for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has preferred an application on 15.09.2025 to the respondent authority for change the name of the son of the petitioner, however the same is still pending consideration. She submits that appropriate direction may be passed.

3. Learned advocate Mr. Kushal Desai appearing for the respondent No. 2- Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation submits that the application of the petitioner at Annexure No. B does not show any inward number. Upon instructions, he submits that the said application has not been received by the competent authority. Learned advocate submits that if the petitioner prefers a fresh application, the same shall be decided on its own merits.

4. Considering the submissions, the petitioner is directed to make a fresh application to the respondent No.2 within a period of one week. Upon receipt of such an application, the competent authority of respondent No. 2 – Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation shall decide the said application of the petitioner with a period of four weeks thereafter, after giving due hearing to the petitioner and thereafter pass a reasoned order thereon.

5. With the aforesaid observation, the present writ petition is disposed of. No order as to costs.

(ANIRUDDHA P. MAYEE, J.)

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Original copy of this order has been signed by the Hon'ble Judge.
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