

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

WRIT PETITION NO.257 OF 2022 a/w. INTERIM APPLICATION NO.910 OF 2024
WRIT PETITION NO.259 OF 2022 a/w. INTERIM APPLICATION NO.918 OF 2024
WRIT PETITION NO.255 OF 2022 a/w. INTERIM APPLICATION NO.16602 OF 2023
WRIT PETITION NO.15527 OF 2022 a/w. INTERIM APPLICATION NO.17834 OF 2023
WRIT PETITION NO.12041 OF 2023
WRIT PETITION NO.12056 OF 2023
WRIT PETITION NO.12065 OF 2023
WRIT PETITION NO.12067 OF 2023
WRIT PETITION NO.13225 OF 2023
WRIT PETITION NO.256 OF 2022
WRIT PETITION NO.258 OF 2022
WRIT PETITION NO.15519 OF 2022
WRIT PETITION NO.15520 OF 2022
WRIT PETITION NO.15524 OF 2022
WRIT PETITION NO.2543 OF 2021

Association of the Managements of Unaided Engineering Colleges (Mah.), Nashik and Ors.]]	.. Petitioner/Applicant
The Association of the Managements of Agriculture and Agriculture Allied Colleges]]	.. Petitioner/Applicant
The Association of the Managements of Polytechnics]	.. Petitioner/Applicant
Association of the Management of Polytechnics]	.. Petitioner/Applicant
Association of Management of Polytechnics and Ors.]	.. Petitioners
Association of the Management of Agriculture and Agriculture Allied Colleges and Ors.]]	.. Petitioners
K.K. Wagh Education Society and Ors.]	.. Petitioners
Association of the Managements of Unaided Engineering Colleges and Ors.]]	.. Petitioners
Association of the Managements of Unaided Engineering Colleges and Ors.]]	.. Petitioners

Shri Sairaj Shikshan Pratishthan and Anr.] .. Petitioners
K.K. Wagh Education Society and Ors.] .. Petitioners
K.K. Wagh Education Society Hirabai Haridas
Vidyanagari and Ors.] .. Petitioners
Association of the Managements of Agriculture
and Agricultural Allied College and Ors.] .. Petitioners
Association of the Management of Aided
Engineering Colleges and Ors.] .. Petitioners
Vishwaniketan Trust and Ors.] .. Petitioners

Versus

Higher & Technical Education Department,]
State of Maharashtra and Ors.] .. Respondents

Mr. P.B. Shah with Ms. Gunjan Shah and Mr. Sandeep Waghmare,
Advocates for the Petitioner/s in Writ Petition Nos.257/2022, 258/2022,
12065/2023, 12067/2023, 15524/2022, 15519/2022 and 13225/2023.

Mr. Sandeep Waghmare, Advocate for the Petitioner/s in Writ Petition
Nos.255/2022, 259/2022, 256/2022, 2543/2021, 12056/2023 and
15520/2022.

Ms. Chandana Salgaonkar, i/by Mr. Sandeep Waghmare, Advocates for the
Petitioners in WP 12041/2023 and WP 15527/2022.

Mr. P.P. Kakade, Additional Government Pleader with Mr. B.V. Samant,
Additional Government Pleader, Mr. A.R. Deolekar, Assistant Government
Pleader and Mr. S.H. Kankal, Assistant Government Pleader for the
Respondent-State of Maharashtra.

Mr. Rui Rodrigues with Mr. Ashok R. Varma and Mr. P.J. Khosla, Advocates
for the Respondent-Union of India in all the Petitions.

Ms. Aarti Mallah with Mr. Balasaheb Yewale, Advocates for Respondent
No.3 in WP 15520/2022.

**CORAM : A.S. CHANDURKAR &
M.M. SATHAYE, JJ**

DATE : 6TH FEBRUARY 2025.

PC. :

1. Pursuant to the order dated 8th January 2025, the learned

Additional Government Pleader, on instructions from the Other Backward Class Welfare Department, submits that twelve proposals for an amount of Rs.12.04 crores have been sanctioned by the State Government. Insofar as the balance amount of Rs.20,42,307/- is concerned, it is stated that for want of requisite funds this amount could not be released. Since the claim to that extent is accepted, the aforesaid amount be released by 28th February 2025. Insofar as the pending proposals are concerned, it is submitted that on account of deficiencies therein, the same could not be cleared.

2. He submits that a joint meeting of all the stakeholders would be held to workout differences in that regard.
3. The learned counsel appearing for the Union of India submits that within a period of ten days, an affidavit indicating details of the amounts disbursed would be furnished.
4. List under the caption "For Directions" on 20th February 2025.
5. Parties to act on authenticated copy of this order.

[M.M. SATHAYE, J.]

[A.S. CHANDURKAR, J.]