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

PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO. 26 OF 2024

Sandeep S. Thakur**.. Petitioner****Versus****The State of Maharashtra & Ors.****.. Respondents**

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Mr. Sandeep Thakur, petitioner in-person

Mr. P. P. Kakade, Government Pleader a/w. Mr. O. A. Chandurkar, Additional G.P. with Mrs. G. R. Raghuwanshi, AGP for respondent No.1

Mr. Tejas Dande for respondent No.2

Mr. Saket Mone a/w. Ms. Anchita Nair a/w. Mr. Devansh Shah i/b Vidhi Partners for respondent No.3

Mr. Girish S. Godbole, Senior Advocate a/w. Mr. Parag Kabadi and Ms. Anshita Sethi i/b. DSK Legal for respondent No.4

Dr. Milind Sathe, Senior Advocate a/w. Mr. H. K. Sudhakara i/b. HKS Legal for respondent No.5

Mr. Chetan Kapadia, Senior Advocate a/w. Ms. Virakthi S. Hegde for respondent No.6

Mr. Rahul Sarda a/w. Ms. Atithi Abhay for respondent No.7

**CORAM: DEVENDRA KUMAR UPADHYAYA, CJ. &
AMIT BORKAR, J.**

DATE: 18th JUNE, 2024

P.C.:

1. Some of the respondents have filed their affidavits in reply, however, some of the learned Counsel representing the respondents are in the process of filing the same.

2. Let affidavits in reply be filed by all the respondents within two weeks, including the reply to the affidavit filed by the petitioners subsequently.
3. The petitioners who appear in-person will have 12 days time thereafter to file rejoinder affidavit.
4. Stand over to **18th July 2024.**

(AMIT BORKAR, J.)

(CHIEF JUSTICE)