

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO.5340 OF 2025

Shubham Sharad Bawkar .. Petitioner
Vs.
Dental Council of India and Ors. .. Respondents

Mr. Nachiket Khaladkar, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. P.G. Sawant, Assistant Government Pleader for Respondent No.3.

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

DATE : 29TH APRIL 2025.

PC. :

1. The petitioner who is pursuing the Bachelor of Dental Surgery Course (BDS) seeks extension of time to complete the same on the ground that during academic years 2021-24, he suffered an accident and his two fingers of the right hand required treatment including amputation of middle finger. The request made by the petitioner has been turned down by the respondent no.1 on the ground that the petitioner's admission is governed by the Dental Council of India Revised BDS Course Regulations, 2007, which do not permit such extension.

2. Issue notice to the respondents, returnable on 24th June 2025. Learned Assistant Government Pleader waives notice for respondent no.3. In addition to court service, Respondent Nos.1 and 2 be served by speed post with acknowledgment. Necessary affidavit of service be filed before returnable date.

[M.M. SATHAYE, J.]

[A.S. CHANDURKAR, J.]