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

WRIT PETITION NO.3829 OF 1993

Mrs. Avice Misquitta (deceased) and Others. ...Petitioners
Versus
Smt. Christabelle D'silva (Since deceased thr.
Legal heirs) and Ors. ...Respondents

**WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION (ST) NO. 7169 OF 2023
WITH
CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 3437 OF 1997
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 15518 OF 2023
WITH
CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 3122 OF 2005
WITH
CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 2149 OF 2017
WITH
CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 1896 OF 2005
WITH
CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 2150 OF 2017
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 38631 OF 2025**

Mr. S. Menon (through VC) for the Petitioners.
Mr. Vincent E. Pereira for the Respondent No. 2(d)
Mr. Clive D'souza for the Respondent Nos. 2(a), 2(c), 2(e), 2(f) & 2(h)

CORAM : M. M. SATHAYE, J.

DATED : 6th JANUARY 2026

P.C.:

1. Learned Advocate Mr. Menon appears and undertakes to file Vakalatnama on behalf of the Writ-Petitioners within a period of two weeks



from today. After Vakalatnama of Advocate Menon is filed, earlier Advocate Mr. Tripathi will be discharged. Adv. Menon on filing of Vakalatnama, shall be at liberty to inspect the papers and proceedings.

2. The petition is of the year 1993 and the Advocate is being changed at a stage when the petition itself can be heard for final disposal. If the Vakaltanama is not filed within the stipulated time for any reason, on the next date i.e. 05/02/2026, the Petition may be dismissed for want of prosecution.

3. Issue notice in IA/38631/2025 to the proposed Respondent Nos. 3(aa) and 3(bb) mentioned in the schedule of the said Application, returnable on 05/02/2026.

(M. M. SATHAYE, J.)