

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 11474 OF 2025

Shakur Akbar Mulani & Ors. ... Petitioners

versus

The State of Maharashtra & Anr. ... Respondents

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Mr.Arvind G. Ambetkar with Mr.K.D.Pote for the Petitioners.

Mr.K.S.Thorat, 'B' Panel Counsel with Mr.A.K.Naik, AGP for Respondent
No.1, State.

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**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE &
ASHWIN D. BHOBE, JJ.**

DATE : 23rd September, 2025

P.C.:-

1. Leave is granted to correct the address of Respondent No.2.

Correction be carried out forthwith.

2. The Petitioners rely upon the judgment delivered by this Court at the Aurangabad Bench, dated 9th May 2014, in Writ Petition No. 7106 of 2013 and connected matters (*Balaji s/o Kishan Ade & Ors. versus The State of Maharashtra & Ors.*). In the said judgment, this Court recorded that the State Government would formulate a policy document for Part-Time Instructors working in the streams of Art, Education, Health and Physical

Education, and Work Education, whereby their pay scales would not be less than half of the pay scales prescribed for Full-Time Teachers in such streams. The grievance is that the newly introduced Government Resolution dated 5th June, 2025 prescribes a stipend on clock-hour basis.

3. **Issue notice** to the Respondents, returnable on 17th November, 2025. The learned 'B' Panel Counsel waives service of notice on behalf of Respondent No.1, State.

4. Let the affidavit in reply be filed, on or before 6th November, 2025.

5. All office objections to be removed, on or before 15th October, 2025, failing which, the Petition would stand dismissed without reference to the Court, on 16th October, 2025.

(ASHWIN D. BHOBE, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)