

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

CONTEMPT PETITION NO.744 OF 2022 IN WRIT PETITION NO.6877 OF 2021
CONTEMPT PETITION NO.745 OF 2022 IN WRIT PETITION NO.6867 OF 2021
CONTEMPT PETITION NO.743 OF 2022 IN WRIT PETITION NO.6880 OF 2021
CONTEMPT PETITION NO.742 OF 2022 IN WRIT PETITION NO.6873 OF 2021
CONTEMPT PETITION NO.741 OF 2022 IN WRIT PETITION NO.6875 OF 2021
CONTEMPT PETITION (STAMP) NO.913 OF 2023 IN WRIT PETITION NO.6878 OF 2021
CONTEMPT PETITION (STAMP) NO.27292 OF 2022 IN WRIT PETITION NO.6872 OF 2021
CONTEMPT PETITION (STAMP) NO.27296 OF 2022 IN WRIT PETITION NO.6919 OF 2021

Asad Anwar Khatau	.. Petitioner
Ansari Mohammed Zaki	.. Petitioner
K. Ashrafuddin	.. Petitioner
Sagar Ashok Bhosle and Anr.	.. Petitioners
Vasant Rohidas Lotlikar	.. Petitioner
Ashok Gokaldas Gurnani	.. Petitioner
Shekhar K. Mahalaxmikar	.. Petitioner
Rahul Vivek Nadkarni and Anr.	.. Petitioners
Vs.	
State of Maharashtra and Ors.	.. Respondents

Mr. Manish Gala, Advocate, i/by Law Square, for the Petitioner/s in all Petitions.

Mr. B.V. Samant, Additional Government Pleader, with Ms. Kavita N. Solunke, Assistant Government Pleader, for the Respondent-State of Maharashtra.

Mr. Makarand V. Raut with Mr. Ketan Shah, Advocates for Respondent Nos.5 to 8.

**CORAM : A.S. CHANDURKAR &
RAJESH S. PATIL, JJ**

DATE : 18TH JUNE, 2024.

PC. :

1. By the order dated 21st March 2023, respondent nos.5 to 8 in the present proceedings were directed to show cause as to why action under the provisions of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 read with Article 215 of the Constitution of India for violation of the orders dated 27th April 2022, 22nd December 2022, 13th February 2023 and 8th March 2023 should not be taken. Till date, such affidavit has not been filed.

2. Only by way of an indulgence, time of two weeks is granted to respondent nos.5 to 8 to show cause in terms of the order dated 21st March 2023.

3. Put up for further consideration on 2nd July 2024, on which date respondent nos.5 to 8 shall remain present in Court.

[RAJESH S. PATIL, J.]

[A.S. CHANDURKAR, J.]