

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

***WRIT PETITION NO.15506 OF 2025***

International Spirits and Wines  
Association of India ... Petitioner

*Versus*

The State of Maharashtra & Anr. ... Respondents

Mr. Darius Khambata, Sr. Advocate a/w Mr.Rohan Shah, Sr. Advocate, Mr. Darshan Bora, Mr. Chirag Shetty, Ms. Anchal Mundada, Ms. Kanika Birje, Ms. Surabhi Prabhudesai and Ms. Vidhi Shah i/b Economic Laws Practice for the Petitioner

Ms. Neha S. Bhide, G.P a/w Ms. Shruti D. Vyas, Addl. G.P and Mrs. G. R. Raghuwanshi, A.G.P for for the Respondents-State

***CORAM : REVATI MOHITE DERE &  
SANDESH D. PATIL, JJ.  
MONDAY, 24<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2025***

**P.C :**

- 1 Heard learned senior counsel for the petitioner.
- 2 Issue notice to the respondents. Learned G.P waives notice on behalf of both the respondents and seeks time to take instructions and file affidavit-in-reply. Time granted. The

affidavit-in-reply be filed in the Registry on or before 5<sup>th</sup> December 2025. An advance copy thereof be served on the other side. The study group report to be placed along with the affidavit to be filed by the learned A.G.P.

3 Stand over to **9<sup>th</sup> December 2025.**

4 Having heard learned senior counsel for the petitioner, in the meantime, till the aforesaid petition is heard, the parties are permitted, without prejudice, to take preparatory steps in terms of the Government decision dated 7<sup>th</sup> August 2025. Needless to state, the petitioner/parties shall not claim any equities.

**SANDESH D. PATIL, J.**

**REVATI MOHITE DERE, J.**