

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO.3143 OF 2022

Arsheesh Jamshed Wadia & Anr. ... Petitioner

Versus

The Board of Mumbai Port Authority &
Ors. ... Respondents

***WITH
TPAC (LODGING) NO. 17694 OF 2025
IN
WRIT PETITION NO.3143 OF 2022***

Benett Coleman & Co. Ltd. ... Applicant

IN THE MATTER BETWEEN :

Arsheesh Jamshed Wadia & Anr. ... Petitioner

Versus

The Board of Mumbai Port Authority &
Ors. ... Respondents

***WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 1271 OF 2023
IN
WRIT PETITION NO.3143 OF 2022***

The Indian Hotels Company ... Applicant

IN THE MATTER BETWEEN :

Arsheesh Jamshed Wadia & Anr. ... Petitioner

Versus

The Board of Mumbai Port Authority &
Ors.

... Respondents

WITH
WRIT PETITION NO.646 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 464 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 282 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 749 OF 2025
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 305 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 156 OF 2024
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WRIT PETITION NO. 2835 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 587 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 350 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 1878 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 3146 OF 2022
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WRIT PETITION NO. 1228 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 629 OF 2023
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WRIT PETITION NO. 809 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1046 OF 2023

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WRIT PETITION NO. 1346 OF 2023
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WRIT PETITION NO. 697 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1129 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 606 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1092 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 3222 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 991 OF 2022
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 3306 OF 2022
WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 4083 OF 2025
WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 4236 OF 2025
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 997 OF 2024
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 1293 OF 2025
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 869 OF 2023
WITH
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WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 5398 OF 2022
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WRIT PETITION NO. 3256 OF 2022
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WITH
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IN
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WITH
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WRIT PETITION NO. 139 OF 2023
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WRIT PETITION NO. 1135 OF 2023
WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 214 OF 2023

Mr. Viren Asar a/w Mr. Farid Karachiwala, Mr. Ahuramazda Postwala, Ms. Anushka Panchmatia, Ms. Divya Philip i/by J. Sagar Associates, Advocate for the Petitioner in WP/3143/2022, WP/3256/2022, 2883/2023, 2415/2023, 521/2023, 3363/2022, 531/2023, 582/2023, 2146/2023, 1697/2023, 3530/2022, 2381/2023, 3359/2022, 3558/2022, 668/2023, 2886/2023, 1850/2023, 2892/2023, 6/2023, 1846/2023, 214/2023, 1228/2023, 156/2024, 3101/2023, 315/2024, 3256/2023, 2792/2023, 69/2025, WPL/1878/2023, WPL/18153/2023, WPL/22835/2023, WPL/3222/2024, WPL/17578/2024

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Mr. Viren Asar a/w Mr. Ahuramazada Postwala, Mr. Rohan Gupta, Mr. Shubham Kalbere i/by Legasis Partners, Advocate for the Petitioner in WPL/35870/2023

Mr. Viren Asar a/w Ms. Sonali Aggarwal i/by Dhruv Liladhar and Co., Advocate for Petitioner in WPL/4701/2024 and WP/2394/2023

Mr. Viren Asar i/by Bilawala and Company for the Petitioner in WPL/18778/2025, WPL/18779/2025, WPL/18787/2025, WPL/18797/2025 and WPL/18870-2025

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Mr. Amol Bavare a/w Mr. R.V.Pawar i/by Pragnya Legal, Advocate for the Petitioner in WP/143/2023

Mr. Jay Zaveri a/w Ms. Rhea Prakash, Ms. Tavleen Saini i/by Crawford Bayley and Co., Advocate for the Petitioner in WPL/39499/2024 and WPL/4083/2025

Mr. Jehaan Dastur, Mr. Dikshat Mehta and Mr. Homy C. i/by Rajani Associate, Advocate for the Petitioner in WPL/12725/2025

Mr. Viren Asar a/w Mr. Alizain Patel, Advocate for the Petitioner in WP/3714/2023

Ms. Khushi Agarwal i/by Vashi and Vashi, Advocate for the Petitioner in WP/1177/2024

Mr. Darshan Furia, Mr. Yash More i/by Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, Advocate for Petitioner in WP/2481/2023

Mr. Jehaan Mehta a/w Ms. Drishti Bhidnora i/by Manilal Kher Ambalal and Co., Advocate for the Petitioner in WPL/31364/2024

Mr. Nadeem Shama a/w Mr. Sahil Sayyed and Mr. Hubab Sayyed i/by Sayyed Associates, Advocate for the Petitioner in WPL/39869/2022

Mr. Nirav B. i/by Maneksha and Sethna, Advocate for the Applicant in IA/1271/2023

Mr. Shankar V. Mhatre, Advocate for the Petitioner in WP/3273/2023

Mr. Mehul Rathod, Advocate for Petitioner in WP/901/2024

Mr. Ankit Tiwari i/by Mr. Shashipal Shankar, Advocate for the Petitioner in WPL/4236/2025

Ms. Aishwarya Shinde, Advocate for the Petitioner in WP/1016/2022

Mr. Siddharth Shitole i/by Sarthak Diwan, Advocate for Petitioner in WPL/4931/2023

Mr. Prerak Choudhary a/w Ms. Anisha Balse, Ms. Trisha Ranka and Ms. Rucha Bhole i/b Mr. Prerak Choudhary, Advocate for the Petitioner in WP/135/2023, WP/1557/2023, WP/357/2023, WP/991/2022, WP/3617/2022, WP/3608/2022, WP/3959/2022, WP/4099/2022, WP/4119/2022, WP/3653/2022, WP/84/2023, WP/4102/2022, WP/57/2023, WP/58/2023, WP/5245/2022, WP/62/2023, WP/5186/2022, WP/5235/2022, WPL/ 29070/2022, WP/5279/2022, WP/4023/2022, WP/5335/2022, WP/5356/2022, WP/577/2023, WP/345/2023, WP/5339/2022, WP/282/2023, WP/5019/2022, WP/79/2023, WP/5373/2022, WP/3146/2022, WP/610/2023, WP/5154/2022, WP/646/2023, WP/1135/2023, WP/139/2023, WP/769/2023, WP/1342/2023, WP/5325/2022, WP/5151/2022, WP/1092/2023, WP/606/2023, WP/1346/2023, WP/697/2023, WP/1046/2023, WP/1129/2023, WP/809/2023, WP/1050/2023, WP/629/2023,

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WP/2936/2023, WP/2742/2023, WP/4586/2024, WP/4113/2024,
WP/135/2023, WP/3747/2022

Mr. Pranil Sonawane a/w Mr. Deepak H., Advocate for the Respondent No.3

Mr. Ashutosh Mishra for the Respondent-UOI in WPL/31364/2024

Mr. Darius Shroff a/w Mr. Shanay Shah, Ms. Faranaaz Karbhari, Mr. Rahul Jain a/w Ms. Khushboo Rupani, Mr. Shrey Mehta and Mr. Sharan Shetty i/by HSA Advocates, Advocate for the Respondent No.1 in WP/3143/2022, WPL/18778/2025, WPL/18779/2025, WPL/18787/2025, WPL/18797/2025 and WPL/18870/2025

Mr. Roopdarsha basu a/w Heenal Wadhwa i/by The Law Point, Advocate for Respondent No. 1 in WPL/2325/2023

Mr. Ramchandra Apte, Sr. Advocate a/w Mr. Sagar Ambedkar, Ms. Disha Nidre, Advocate for the Respondent-UOI in WP/156/2024, WPL/1878/2023, WP/1228/2023, WPL/10515/2023, WPL/11801/2023, WPL/11813/2023, WP/2500/2023, WPL/13775/2023, WP/211/2024, WP/3714/2023, WPL/38570/2023 and WP/2394/2023

Mrs. Shehnaz V. Bharucha i/by Mr. A. A. Ansari, Advocate for Respondent No.3-UOI in WP/997/2024, WPL/4701/2024, WP/2481/2023, WP/3101/2023, WPL/18153/2023, WP/315/2024, WP/3256/2023, WPL/22835/2023, WP/3273/2023

Ms. Savita Ganoo a/w Mr. D.P. Singh, Mr. N.R. Bubna, Advocate for Respondent-UOI in WP/2892/2023, 6/2023, 1846/2023, 42/2023, 1850/2023, 135/2023, 531/2023, 582/2023, 2416/2023, 1697/2023, 143/2023, 2381/2023, 668/2023, 2886/2023, 2883/2023, 2415/2023 and 521/2023

**CORAM : REVATI MOHITE DERE &
DR. NEELA GOKHALE, JJ.
THURSDAY, 3rd JULY 2025**

P.C :

1 Mentioned out of turn.

2 **Mr. Asar, learned counsel appearing for the petitioners in some of the petitions submits that the petitioners in those petitions have no objection to the proceedings continuing before the Estate Officer. However, learned counsel requests that the statement made by the learned counsel for the respondent No.1 on 17th April 2025, which was continued till today, be continued till the next date.**

3 **Stand over to 13th August 2025.**

4 Statement made by the learned counsel for the respondent No.1 on 17th April 2025, to continue till the next date.

DR. NEELA GOKHALE, J.

REVATI MOHITE DERE, J.