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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION**

**CONTEMPT PETITION NO.2 OF 2024
IN
PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO.60 OF 2023**

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Dharma Rajaram Vallakati & Ors. ... Petitioners

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra

Through Government Pleader & Ors. ... Respondents

Mr. S. M. Seegarla for Petitioner.

Mr. Manish Upadhye, AGP for State – respondent
No.1.

Mr. Anoop Patil a/w Ms. Oorja Dhond i/by Mr. S. K.
Sonawane for respondent Nos.2 to 4.

**CORAM : DEVENDRA KUMAR UPADHYAYA, CJ &
AMIT BORKAR, J.**

DATED : AUGUST 16, 2024

P.C.:

1. The learned counsel representing respondent No.2 -
Municipal Corporation prays for and is granted two weeks'
time to file affidavit-in-reply. Two weeks' time thereafter shall
be available to the learned counsel for the petitioners to file
rejoinder-affidavit, if any.

2. Stand over to **20 September 2024**.

3. The affidavit-in-reply to be filed by the Municipal
Corporation shall be sworn in by the Officer concerned.



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4. Mr. Anoop Patil, learned counsel representing respondent Nos.2 and 3 states that the action for removal of illegal encroachments has already been taken by respondent No.4, namely Mrs. Tapasya Dhamne (Senior Inspector (License) Encroachment). Accordingly, affidavit-in reply on behalf of Corporation shall be filed by respondent No.4.

5. We make it clear that no further time will be granted to the respondent – Corporation to file affidavit-in-reply.

(AMIT BORKAR, J.)

(CHIEF JUSTICE)