

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION  
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 9502 OF 2025**

SBG Industries Private Limited ...Petitioner

***Versus***

The Board Of Trustees Of The Jawaharlal Nehru ...Respondent  
Port Trust JNPT Nhava Sheva Port

**WITH  
INTERIM APPLICATION (L) NO. 16261 OF 2025  
IN  
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 9502 OF 2025**

Mr. Arnab Ghosh, Manoj Khatri & Renuka Pandit, for the  
Petitioner.

Mr. Deepen Dixit, a/w Virendra Pandey, for the  
Applicant/Respondent No.2.

**CORAM : GAURI GODSE AND  
SOMASEKHAR SUNDARESAN, JJ.  
DATE : MAY 29, 2025  
(VACATION COURT)**

**PC :**

1. This Petition is based on an apprehension that the cargo  
(which belong to the Petitioner) lying with Respondent No.2, will be  
auctioned.

2. Learned Counsel for the Respondent No.2 submits that the Petitioner has not paid ground rent charges, leaving Respondent No.2 with no other option but to proceed for auction.
3. Learned Counsel for the Petitioner on instructions submits that to show his *bona fides* the Petitioner shall deposit an amount of Rs.45 Lakhs in this Court within a period of one week. The Petitioner is permitted to deposit such amount of Rs.45 Lakhs in this Court within a period of one week from today, based on which the Regular Bench may be approached for further relief.
4. Subject to such deposit, Respondent No.2 shall not proceed with auction until the next date.
5. List the Petition on June 17, 2025.

[ SOMASEKHAR SUNDARESAN, J.]

[GAURI GODSE, J.]