

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

WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 10020 OF 2025

Avenue Supermarts Ltd. .. Petitioner

V/s.

District Deputy Registrar Co-Operative Societies,
Mumbai City (4) & Competent Authority & Ors. .. Respondents

WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 10024 OF 2025
WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 10027 OF 2025
WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 10051 OF 2025
WITH
WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 10070 OF 2025

Mr. Aditya Shirlikar a/w. Mr. Manish Shukla for Petitioner in all Writ Petitions.

Mr. Himanshu Takke, AGP for Respondent no.1-State in WPL/10020/2025.

Mr. Mohit Jadhav, AGP for Respondent no.1-State in WPL/10024/2025.

Mr. Manish Upadhyay, AGP for Respondent no.1-State in WPL/10027/2025.

Mr. Prashant Kamble, AGP for Respondent no.1-State in WPL/10051/2025.

Mr. Rakesh Pathak, AGP for Respondent no.1-State in WPL/10070/2025.

Mr. Subhash G. Bane, for Respondent. Nos. 3 & 4 in WPL/10020/2025.

Mr. Bhavin Gada a/w. Mr. Chirag Desai i/b. Mr. Akshay Shukla for Respondent no. 2 in WPL/10020/2025, WPL/10027/2025 & WPL/10070/2025.

Mr. Mayur Khandeparkar a/w Ms. Vishaki Bhatia for Respondent no. 2 in WPL/10051/2025.

Mr. Mayur Khandeparkar a/w. Mr. Biswajeet Mukherjee, Mr. Naman Gupta, Mr. Omkar Mandarkar, Ms. Ami Oza, Ms. Humera Syed i/b. Mr. Hitesh Rajpurohit for Respondent no. 2 in WPL/10024/2025.

CORAM : FARHAN P. DUBASH, J.

DATE : 10th APRIL 2026

P. C.:

1. Mr. Mayur Khandeparkar, learned Counsel who appears on behalf of Respondent no. 2, tenders a reply in Writ Petition (L) no. 10051 of 2025 and the same is taken on record. It is agreed that the Writ Petition can be disposed of at the admission stage itself considering the limited issues that are raised therein.
2. Considering this, place the matter for hearing on **5th May 2026**.
3. Parties shall file and exchange their brief written submissions together with case laws that they intend to rely upon, on or before 27th April 2026.
4. Till then, interim reliefs granted earlier, if any, shall continue to operate.
5. Parties agreed that the lead Petition in the group of five Writ Petition will be Writ Petition (L) no. 10020 of 2025. The Petitioner will ensure that the office objections are removed before that date and the Writ Petition is duly numbered, failing which the Writ Petition will not be entertained.

(FARHAN P. DUBASH, J.)

Ajay Jadhav