



JVS.

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

**WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 10684 OF 2026**

Winifred Warren Fernandes } Petitioner  
Versus  
The Union of India & Ors. } Respondents

Mr. Ryan D'souza with Mr. Shivam Laturiya  
i/b. Shivam Laturiya for Petitioner.

Mr. Viraaaj Y. Bhate, Advocate for Respondents.

**CORAM: SHREE CHANDRASHEKHAR, C.J. &  
GAUTAM A. ANKHAD, J.**

**DATE: 30<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2026**

**P.C.:**

Mr. Ryan D'souza, the learned counsel for the petitioner tenders a copy of the affidavit dated 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026 wherein the petitioner has stated that he has obtained a fresh birth certificate issued by the Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai wherein the correct name of his mother has been recorded. Along with the affidavit, a copy of the birth certificate issued on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2026 has been appended.

2. Writ Petition (L) No. 10684 of 2026 is disposed of with a direction to the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent-Regional Passport Officer, Mumbai to process the application of the petitioner for issuing a fresh passport if he complies with all the requirements in law. Let this exercise be conducted within next two weeks.

**[GAUTAM A ANKHAD, J.]**

**[CHIEF JUSTICE]**