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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO. 2309 OF 2026

Britannia Industries Ltd. ...Petitioner

Versus

Union of India, Through Secretary, Ministry of
Finance, Department of Revenue & Ors. ...Respondents

Mr Rohan Shah, Senior Advocate, with Mayank Jain, Mohammed
Anaswalla & Murmik Kamdar, i/b Khainta & Co, for the
Petitioner.

Mr Ram Ochani, with Snageeta Yadav, for the Respondents.

**CORAM: SUMAN SHYAM &
ADVAIT M. SETHNA, JJ.**

DATED: 8th JUNE 2026.

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1. Mr Rohan Shah, learned senior counsel for the Petitioner tenders a copy of the order dated 17th April 2026 passed by the coordinate Bench in Writ Petition No. 16848 of 2025 and submits that the same issue which is involved in the present Writ Petition is subjudice in a batch of pending Writ Petitions, which have been fixed in July 2026 before the Larger Bench wherein, interim order of protection passed by this Court is operating. Therefore, similar ad-interim order be passed in the present case also and the present Petition be tagged with the similar matters.

2. We find from the material placed before us that an ad-interim order restraining the Revenue Authorities from taking any coercive action against the Petitioner(s) has been passed in the similar Writ petitions pending before this Court.

3. Mr. Ram Ochani, learned counsel appearing for the Respondent, has also fairly submitted that since the issue involved in all these proceedings is similar, the Petitioner would also be entitled for a similar interim order.

4. In view of the above, let this Writ Petition be tagged along with the group of Writ Petitions involving similar issue which have been referred to the Larger Bench.

5. The Respondents may file Reply within a period of three weeks from today.

6. As an ad-interim measure, it is provided that no coercive action shall be taken against the Petitioner until further orders.

(ADVAIT M. SETHNA, J.)

(SUMAN SHYAM, J.)