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

WRIT PETITION NO. 1739 OF 2022

Gerald Michael Misquitta

... Petitioner

V/s.

The State of Maharashtra and Ors.

... Respondents

Mr. Jeetendra Ranawat a/w. Ken Anderson Misquitta for the Petitioner

Ms. Usha Rahi, AGP for Respondent nos. 1 and 2

Mr. U.S. Samudrala a/w. Vaishnavi Ugale a/w. Vardhraj Singh for
Respondent no.3

Mr. Yatin R. Shah for Respondent no.12

CORAM : FARHAN P. DUBASH, J.

DATE : 05th MAY 2026

P.C. :

1. By an order dated 25th February 2026, this Court had directed the Competent Authority to make an endeavour to hear and decide the Application as expeditiously as possible and preferably within a period of two months from the date on which the parties communicate the present judgment and order to it.
2. The matter has been circulated today by the learned AGP. Parties state that the matter is fixed tomorrow for the purposes of filing of rejoinder and that the two months' time period is scheduled to expire on 9th May



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2026. Therefore, a request is made by the learned AGP who seeks an extension of two months' time to hear and decide the Application of the Petitioner.

3. As and by way of a last chance, an extension of additional two months' is granted and the Competent Authority shall hear and decide the said Application on or before 9th July 2026.

(FARHAN P. DUBASH, J.)

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