

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

WRIT PETITION (LODGING) NO.17745 OF 2025

Gajanan T. Bhagat .. Petitioner
Vs.
The State of Maharashtra,
Through Public Health Department and Ors. .. Respondents

ALONG WITH

WRIT PETITION (LODGING) NO.20758 OF 2025

Shankar V. Rivankar .. Petitioner
Vs.
The State of Maharashtra,
Through Public Health Department and Ors. .. Respondents

Smt. Daksha Madhav Punghera with Mr. Karan Gajra, Mr. Vijay Singh,
Mr. Digvijay Kachare, i/by Ms. Mohini Rehpade, Advocates for the
Petitioner.

Ms. Usha Rahi, Assistant Government Pleader with Ms. Gauri Sawant,
Assistant Government Pleader for the Respondent-State of Maharashtra.

**CORAM : SHREE CHANDRASHEKHAR &
MANJUSHA DESHPANDE, JJ**

DATE : 24TH JULY 2025.

PC. :

1. Post the matter on 14th August 2025, as directed by a co-ordinate bench of this Court in Writ Petition (Lodging) No.20758 of 2025.
2. In the meantime, the protection granted to the petitioner in Writ Petition (Lodging) No.17745 of 2025, as recorded in paragraph 10 of the order dated 23rd June 2025, shall continue till disposal of the writ petition.

[MANJUSHA DESHPANDE, J.] [SHREE CHANDRASHEKHAR, J.]