

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

CONTEMPT PETITION (L NO. 23642 OF 2025

IN

INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 606 OF 2020

Splendor Co-Operative Housing Society Ltd. & Ors ...Petitioners

Versus

Mohit Bhardwaj & Ors ...Respondents

WITH

INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 5372 OF 2022

IN

SUIT NO.444 OF 2022

WITH

CONTEMPT PETITION (L) NO. 16191 OF 2023

IN

INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 606 OF 2020

WITH

INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 5373 OF 2022

WITH

INTERIM APPLICATION (L) NO. 25058 OF 2022

IN

SUIT NO.444 OF 2022

WITH

CONTEMPT PETITION (L NO. 30061 OF 2021

IN

INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 606 OF 2020

Mr. Ashish Kamat, Senior Advocate, a/w Surabhi Agrawal, Apoorva Bhadang, Aayush Shah, Aditya Shinde, Mehreen Garg, i/b M/s Vesta Legal, for the Petitioners.

Mr. Mohit Bharadwaj, for Respondent Nos.2 & 3.

CORAM : SOMASEKHAR SUNDARESAN, J.

DATE : SEPTEMBER 29, 2025

ORDER :

1. Learned Senior Counsel for the Petitioners has taken me through the orders passed in the past by multiple Learned Single Judges of this Court as also Division Bench of this Court. He also points to a table summarizing a defamatory contempt published by the alleged contemnors after the passing of the orders which, he would contend, continues even after filing of the Contempt Petition.

2. Mr. Bharadwaj, Learned Advocate who is himself Respondent No.1 but today contends to appear as an advocate, only for Respondent No.2 and 3 has entered appearance and accepts notice. It would be appropriate to direct the alleged contemnors to file a reply to the Petitions within a week i.e. no later than October 6, 2025.

3. List on October 8, 2025. Respondent Nos.2 and 3 are also requested to remain present on the next date. Owing to health considerations, Respondent No.2 may appear virtually through the online link of this Court.

4. List on ***October 8, 2025*** on the ***Supplementary Board***.

5. All actions required to be taken pursuant to this order shall be taken upon receipt of a downloaded copy as available on this Court's website.

[SOMASEKHAR SUNDARESAN, J.]