



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE OF BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD**

928 WRIT PETITION NO. 3980 OF 2025

HANUMANT BALIRAM MANTRE AND OTHERS
VERSUS
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS SECRETARY AND
ANOTHER

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Mr. S. M. Vibhute, Advocate for the Petitioners
Mr. S. R. Wakale, AGP for the Respondents – State

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**CORAM : MANGESH S. PATIL &
Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, JJ.**

DATE : 25.03.2025

PER COURT :-

- . Leave granted to correct prayer clauses (B) and (C).

2. The petitioners who are blood relatives, *inter se*, are now questioning similar show cause notices issued by the respondent No.2 scrutiny committee of the same date i.e. 13.03.2025 calling upon them to explain as to why, for the reasons mentioned in the show cause notices, their certificates of validity of '*Koli Mahadev*' scheduled tribe be not recalled on the ground of alleged fraud perpetrated by them in the certificates of validity.

3. Issue notice to the respondents for final disposal, returnable on 15.07.2025. Learned AGP waives service of notice on behalf of both the respondents.

4. Since the show cause notices do not even hint at the circumstance which enables the committee to attribute knowledge on the part of the petitioners in respect of the contrary record which the committee has discovered, but was allegedly concealed by the petitioners, operation of the notices under challenge shall stand stayed till the next date.

[Y. G. KHOBRADE, J.]

[MANGESH S. PATIL, J.]

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