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

**WRIT PETITION NO. 4039 OF 2018**

**NANDKISHOR SHESHRAO SONWANE**

**VERSUS**

**THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA AND OTHERS**

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Shri Deshpande Ram B., Advocate for the Petitioner.

Smt. V.P. Dama, AGP for the Respondents/ State.

Shri Dheple Shantaram Ravji, Advocate for Respondent No.2.

Shri Mewara Rajesh H., advocate for respondent Nos.3 and 4  
(through VC).

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**CORAM : KISHORE C. SANT**

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**SUSHIL M. GHODESWAR, JJ.**

**DATE : 08 May 2026**

**P. C. :-**

1. Respondent No.2/ Education Officer was saddled with costs of Rs.5000/- by order dated 18.04.2019 for not filing reply in time.

2. Now, though the reply is filed, however, no cost is paid by the then Education Officer, who was working in 2019.

3. It is now more than seven years, cost is not deposited. The then Education Officer, who was working as on 18.04.2019, shall deposit the said cost before the next date.

4. Stand over to 03.07.2026.
5. It is informed to the parties that if time permits, the petition would be heard finally on the next date.

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(SUSHIL M. GHODESWAR, J.)

(KISHORE C. SANT, J.)