



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
BENCH AT AURANGABAD

938 WRIT PETITION NO. 5085 OF 2026

BALASAHEB BALWANTRAO NIKAM

VERSUS

**THE UNION OF INDIA THR. ITS SECRETARY MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE AND ORS.**

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Mr. V. P. Narwade, Advocate for the Petitioner

Mr. S. B. Pulkundwar, AGP for Respondent Nos.2 and 3 – State

Ms. Mayuri G. Kasturkar (Kulkarni), Advocate for Respondent No.1

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**CORAM : SMT. VIBHA KANKANWADI AND
AJIT B. KADETHANKAR, JJ.**

DATE : 06.05.2026

PER COURT :-

. Issue notice to the respondent. Learned AGP waives notice for respondent Nos.2 and 3 – State. Ms. Mayuri G. Kasturkar, learned Standing Counsel waives notice for respondent No.1.

2. There shall be affidavit-in-reply to be filed on behalf of respondent Nos.2 and 3 on or before 11.06.2026. Copy of the same be given to the other side in advance.

3. Place the matter First on Board on 17.06.2026.

(AJIT B. KADETHANKAR, J.)

(SMT. VIBHA KANKANWADI, J.)