



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

960 WRIT PETITION NO. 5113 OF 2026

NARAYAN SANTOSH JADHAV

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THR SECRETARY AND ORS

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Advocate for the Petitioner : Mr. Deepak D Choudhari And Mr. Ramesh B More
AGP/APP for Respondent/State : Ms. Ashlesha S. Deshmukh

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961 WRIT PETITION NO. 5114 OF 2026

ANKIT POSHETTI LAKHMAWAD

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS SECRETARY AND OTHERS

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Advocate for the Petitioner : Mr. Jadhavar Pratap V.
AGP/APP for Respondent/State : Ms. Chaitali Choudhari Kutti

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962 WRIT PETITION NO. 5115 OF 2026

SANDEEP SAHEBRAO CHANDOL

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THR SECRETARY AND ORS

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Advocate for the Petitioner : Mr. Deepak D Choudhari And Mr. Ramesh B More
AGP/APP for Respondent/State : Mr. P.S. Patil

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970 WRIT PETITION NO. 5143 OF 2026

DEELIP ANANDA JADHAV

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THR SECRETARY AND ORS

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Advocate for the Petitioner : Mr. Deepak D Choudhari And Mr. Ramesh B More
AGP/APP for Respondent/State : Ms. Chaitali Choudhari Kutti

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**CORAM : SANDIPKUMAR C. MORE AND
ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, JJ.**

DATE : 06.05.2026

PER COURT :

. Heard. Issue notice to the respondents returnable on 24.06.2026.
Learned AGP waives service for respondent/State.

2. Till the returnable date, the Employer/s of the Petitioners shall not take any coercive action against the petitioners solely on the ground that the petitioners caste claims have been invalidated, subject to the petitioners filing an undertaking within a period of 15 days before this Court as well as before the Employer/s that, pending this Writ Petition they will not claim any service benefits like Promotion, Seniority, Confirmation, Increment, Pay fixation etc.

(ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, J.)

(SANDIPKUMAR C. MORE, J.)

vsj..