



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

**939 WRIT PETITION NO. 5254 OF 2026**

BALAJI SADASHIV KOLAMWAD AND ANOTHER  
VERSUS  
THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA THROUGH ITS PRINCIPAL  
SECRETARY AND ANOTHER

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Mr. Chandrakant R. Thorat, Advocate for the Petitioners  
Mr. N. B. Patil, AGP for Respondent-State

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

**DATED : 07/05/2026**

**P. C. :**

1. Heard.
2. The petitioner is challenging the show cause notice dated 02/07/2024 seeking to reopen the petitioner's tribe claim. Issue notice to respondents. Learned AGP waives service for both the respondents.
3. Stand over to 02/07/2026.
4. The enquiry in respect of reopening of the petitioner's tribe claims may proceed; however, respondent No.-2 Committee shall not pass a final order till the next date.

**( ABASAHEB D. SHINDE, J. ) ( SANDIPKUMAR C. MORE, J. )**