



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

**PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO. 20 OF 2025**

Ganesh Madhukar Ghumare

...Petitioner

**Versus**

The State of Maharashtra & Ors.

...Respondents

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- Mr. V. D. Sapkal i/b Mr. Sapkal Sandip R. and Jadhav Yash A., for Petitioner.
- Mr. A. B. Girase, GP for Respondent to 6.
- Mr. Nikhil V. Jagtap, for Respondent No.14.

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**CORAM : MANISH PITALE AND  
Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, JJ.**

**DATE : 23<sup>rd</sup> JULY 2025.**

**P. C. :**

1. Considering the statements made in the petition, which has been registered as Public Interest Litigation, we invoke Rule 7-A of the Bombay High Court Public Interest Litigation Rules 2010, and direct the petitioner to deposit an amount of ₹ 5 Lakhs in this Court as security deposit, to show his *bona fide*, which shall be subject to final or interim order to be passed by this Court.

2. The said amount be deposited within four weeks from today.

3. List the petition for further consideration on **20<sup>th</sup> August 2025.**

**(Y. G. KHOBRAGADE, J.)**

**(MANISH PITALE, J.)**