



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

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 1380 OF 2025

Mahendra Chandrasing Rathod & Ors.

...Petitioners

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Anr.

...Respondents

Mr. Bhosale Mahesh Kalidas, Advocate for the Petitioners.

Mr. P. M. Kulkarni, APP for Respondent – State.

Mr. Harshal Prakash Randhir, Advocate for Respondent No.2.

CORAM : ABHAY J. MANTRI, J.

DATE : DECEMBER 03, 2025

PER COURT :

1. Having considered the nature of the dispute, in my view, this case deserves to be referred to Mediation to resolve the dispute between the parties. Hence, at the request of the learned advocates for both parties, the matter is referred to the Mediation Centre to explore the possibility of settling the dispute.

2. The parties have suggested the appointment of Mr. S. K. Kadam, learned advocate, as a Mediator by consent. As such, the Coordinator of the Subcommittee is requested to appoint **Mr. S. K. Kadam** as a Mediator to resolve the dispute between the parties.

3. The parties are directed to appear before the Mediator at the Mediation Centre on 10th December 2025, at 12:00 noon without fail.

4. The Mediator is requested to submit the report on or before 05th January 2026. No further time will be granted.
5. List the matter on 07th January 2026.

(ABHAY J. MANTRI, J.)