

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY,
NAGPUR BENCH, AT NAGPUR.**

CONTEMPT PETITION NO. 71 OF 2026

IN

WRIT PETITION NO. 4722 OF 2019 (D)

(Pranali Ravindra Puttewar ..vs.. Union of India and others)

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. I.S. Charlewar, Counsel for the petitioner,
Mr. Kartik Shukul, DSGI for respondent No.1,
Mr. S.S. Doifode, Addl.G.P. for the respondents/State,
Mr. Sunil Manohar, Senior Counsel a/b. Mr. J.B. Kasat, Counsel for respondent No. 4,
Ms. Radhika Bajaj, Counsel for respondent No. 5,
Mr. S.V. Purohit, Counsel for respondent No. 6,
Mr. J.B. Kasat, Counsel for respondent Nos. 7 and 8.

**CORAM : URMILA JOSHI-PHALKE &
NIVEDITA P. MEHTA, JJ.**

DATED : 20-04-2026

On 06-04-2026, this Court has passed an order and observed in paragraphs 6 and 7 as follows :

“6. Considering the order passed by this Court and the role played by Mr. Vikas Raibole, Assistant Commissioner (Zone -5), who was a participant in the meeting, dated 14-03-2026 for site inspection, attended by the representatives of the respondents, wherein a decision was taken to maintain status quo, there is sufficient reason to record a prima facie satisfaction that Mr. Raibole has willfully disobeyed the order dated 29-04-2025 passed by this Court. The respondents shall place on record the correspondence/ notice calling upon all concerned to attend the meeting for site inspection.

7. Issue notice to newly added respondent No.8-Mr. Vikas Raibole in Form-I of Chapter XXXIV of the Bombay High Court (Appellate Side) Rules, 1960.”

2. In view of the said order, the learned Counsel Mr. J.B. Kasat submitted that he has instructions to appear on behalf of Mr. Vikas

Raibole, Assistant Commissioner (Zone – 5), Nagpur and requested for some time to place on record response on his behalf.

3. We have also heard learned Senior Counsel Mr. Sunil Manohar to some extent as well as the role of the Municipal Commissioner is concerned, we will hear the matter in detail at the relevant time.

4. Ms. Radhika Bajaj, learned Counsel for respondent No. 5 submitted that she has already filed an affidavit on 05-04-2026, in view of the order passed by this Court. She further submitted that the maximum work is already completed and only the relocation work is remained to be done.

5. Mr. S.V. Purohit, learned Counsel for respondent No. 6 submitted that in view of the last order, he is filing an affidavit during the course of the day. He shall file an affidavit and copy thereof be supplied to the petitioner as well as the other respondents.

6. Stand over on 23-04-2026.

(Nivedita P. Mehta, J.)

(Urmila Joshi-Phalke, J.)