

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

**Writ Petition No.2473 of 2026**

*Radheshyam s/o Gopal Saha*

vs.

*The State of Maharashtra, through the Collector, Chandrapur and others*

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*Office notes, Office Memoranda of  
Coram, appearances, Court's orders  
or directions and Registrar's orders.*

*Court's or Judge's Orders*

*Mrs. S.P. Giratkar, Advocate for the Petitioner.*

*Mr. A.B. Badar, A.P.P. for Respondent No.1.*

**CORAM : ANIL L. PANSARE & NIVEDITA P. MEHTA, JJ.**

**DATE : 1<sup>st</sup> APRIL, 2026.**

The learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that despite seeking circulation, the matter was not listed on 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2026. We have accordingly gone through the circulation slip. We find that the circulation indeed was granted for 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2026. We are informed that the petition was not listed because the matter pertains to tax related subject and the Registry was of the view that the tax matters are taken only on Friday, therefore, petition was not listed on 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2026.

02. We find this approach of the Registry is in breach of the direction issued by the Court inasmuch as once the matter was circulated for 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2026, there was no occasion for the Registry to revisit the same at its level. That apart, if the petition was not listed on 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2026, the Registry ought to have listed it on 27<sup>th</sup> March, 2026, i.e. Friday, on which day, the Court takes up tax matters. Even this was not done. The petitioner's Counsel was, therefore, required to submit request for fresh circulation.

03. The Registrar (Judicial) shall enquire in to the matter and take appropriate action against the erring officials

04. The challenge is to the order dated 16/04/2025. The Counsel for the petitioner seeks interim relief.

05. Considering the fact that the order passed is challenged after about a year, we are not inclined to grant interim relief.
06. Issue notice to the respondents, returnable on **17<sup>th</sup> April, 2026**.
07. The learned A.G.P. waives service of notice on behalf of respondent No.1.
08. At this stage, the learned Counsel for the petitioner seeks permission to amend the prayer.
09. Permission, as sought, is granted. Amendment shall be carried out expeditiously.

**(Nivedita P. Mehta, J.)**

**(Anil L. Pansare, J.)**

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