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

**WRIT PETITION NO.3170 OF 2026**

Pruthviraj S/o Rajesh Thakur

Vs.

District Caste Certificate Verification Committee, Akola and another

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

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Shri P.B. Patil, Advocate for petitioner  
Ms M.S. Naik, AGP for respondent/State

**CORAM : SMT. M.S. JAWALKAR AND  
NANDESH S. DESHPANDE, JJ.**

**DATED : 17.04.2026**

Shri Patil, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks oral leave to add State Common Entrance Test Cell as a party respondent No. 3 in the matter.

2. Permission is granted.
3. The amendment to be carried out forthwith.
4. After carrying out such amendment, issue notice to the respondents, returnable on 08.06.2026.
5. Learned Assistant Government Pleader waives notice for respondent No.1.

6. The learned counsel for the petitioner places across the bar a copy of the notice received by the petitioner by the newly added respondent No. 3. He further submits that he is pursuing a Bachelor of Engineering with respondent No.2 College and has received a notice for cancellation. Going through the said notice, we are of the *prima facie* view that ongoing education of the petitioner should not be disturbed.

7. In that view of the matter, by an interim order, we direct the respondent Nos. 2 and 3 not to cancel the admission of the petitioner till further orders.

(NANDESH S. DESHPANDE, J.)

(SMT. M.S. JAWALKAR, J.)

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