



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

WRIT PETITION NO.3269 OF 2026

SURYAKANTA GANGADHAR GADE

VS

STATE OF MAHARASHTRA, THR. SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,
MUMBAI AND OTHERS

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appearances, Court's orders or directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. M.G. Bhangde, Sr. Advocate a/b Mr. A.G. Baheti, Advocate for the petitioner/s
Mr. N.S. Rao, AGP for the respondent Nos.1 to 3/State

CORAM : ANIL S. KILOR AND RAJ D. WAKODE, JJ.

DATE : 05.05.2026

1. Heard.
2. Mr. Bhangde, learned Senior Advocate for the petitioner, presses for interim relief and seeks stay on further acquisition proceedings. According to him, although objections were raised at the stage of the notification issued under Section 11 of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 on 21.07.2025, on the ground that alternative Government land is available, and despite a request for grant of personal hearing was made, no hearing was afforded to the petitioner.
3. Today, the learned AGP produced the record, however, he seeks some time to go through the record and to satisfy this Court, as to whether the compliances, as sought for in relation to which the challenge is raised, were

made.

4. The AGP, on instructions of Mr. Shekhar Gawai, Senior Clerk, Land Acquisition Office, further makes a statement that in next one month there will be no much progress in the acquisition proceedings.

5. Considering the statement made by the learned AGP that there is no likelihood of much progress in the acquisition proceedings in next one month, we are of the opinion that the matter can be posted for final disposal on **10.06.2026 at 3:30 p.m.**

(RAJ D. WAKODE, J.)

(ANIL S. KILOR, J.)