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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA
WRIT PETITION NO.369 OF 2026

SEBASTIAO DIAS

... PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF GOA THR. THE CHIEF
SECRETARY AND 3 ORS.

... RESPONDENTS

Mr. Chaitanya Padgaonkar with Ms. Vaishali Mahato and Ms.
Anushri Naik Dessai, Advocates for the Petitioner.

Mr. Neehal Vernekar, Additional Government Advocate for
Respondent Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

**CORAM:- VALMIKI MENEZES &
HITEN S. VENEGAVKAR, JJ.**

DATED :- 9th June, 2026

P.C.:

1. Mr. Vernekar, learned Additional Government Advocate, puts in appearance for Respondent Nos. 1, 2 and 3.
2. Issue notice to Respondent No. 4 returnable on 21.07.2026. In the meantime, Respondent Nos. 1, 2 and 3 to file their affidavit in reply within four weeks.

HITEN S. VENEGAVKAR, J.

VALMIKI MENEZES, J.