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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA
PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION WP NO.1025 OF 2025 (F)

ADITYA DATTU RAUT DESSAI

... PETITIONER

Versus

THE STATE OF GOA, THR. ITS CHIEF
SECRETARY AND 8 ORS

... RESPONDENTS

Mr. Vineet Surlakar, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Ms. Sapna Mordekar, Additional Government Advocate for
Respondent Nos. 1, 3, 4 and 7.

Mr. Yash Naik, Advocate for Respondent No. 6.

Mr. Terrance Vaz, Advocate for Respondent No. 8.

Mr. Ivan Santimano, Advocate holding for Mr. Rohan Dessai,
Advocate for Respondent No. 9.

**CORAM:- VALMIKI MENEZES &
AMIT S. JAMSANDEKAR, JJ.**

DATED :- 28th April, 2026

P.C:

1. Affidavit in reply filed on behalf of Respondent No. 4-Director of Archaeology has been taken on record.
2. The learned Counsel for Respondent No. 6 seeks a week's time to file the affidavit in reply.
3. Respondent Nos. 8 and 9, if they so desire, shall also file their reply by 04.05.2026.
4. List on 05.05.2026.

AMIT S. JAMSANDEKAR, J.

VALMIKI MENEZES, J.