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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA**  
**WRIT PETITION NO.1468 OF 2026 (F)**

SANTOSH YESHWANT DICHOLKAR @  
BICHOLKAR AND ORS.

... PETITIONER

Versus

PRAKASH RAMAKANT NAVELKAR AND 2  
ORS.

... RESPONDENT

Mr. Siddharth Naik, Advocate for the Petitioner.  
Mr. Vasudev Shiroadkar, Advocate for Respondent no. 1.

**CORAM:- ASHISH S. CHAVAN, J.**  
**(VACATION BENCH)**

**DATED :- 20th May, 2026**

P.C.

1. By way of the present Petition, the Petitioner invokes the supervisory jurisdiction of this Court to quash and set aside the order dated 06.05.2026 passed by the Administrative Tribunal, Panaji, Goa, in Land Revenue Appeal no. 48/2024.

2. Learned Advocate appearing for the Petitioners submitted that the urgency in filing the Petition and seeking interim relief arises from paragraph 15 of the impugned order, which directs the Petitioner to file the appeal within a period of 30 days from the return of the appeal memo to the Petitioner. In other words, the Petitioner is directed to file the appeal before the Collector or the Additional Collector of North

Goa within a period of 30 days from 06.05.2026. Learned Counsel submits that the period expires on 06.06.2026. Hence the urgency.

3. Learned Counsel Mr. Vasudev Shirodkar appears on behalf of the private party i.e. Respondent No. 1. He waives notice and seeks some time to file a reply dealing with the contentions of the Petitioner in the Petition on merits. He also seeks some time to advance his submissions on the grant of interim relief.

4. Time as prayed for is granted. Reply to be filed by the Respondent no. 1 before the next date of hearing with an advance copy to the Petitioner. Since it is a common ground that the impugned order directs the Petitioner herein to prefer the appeal before 06.06.2026, I find force in the submission of learned Counsel for the Petitioner that the Petition is required to be heard on the grant of interim relief prior thereto.

5. In view thereof, list the matter before the Vacation Bench on 03.06.2026.

**ASHISH S. CHAVAN, J.**