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Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s). 3100/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 09-12-2025 in WP No. 1577/2022 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay]

MANOJ SANJAY DESHPANDE

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

RAJENDRA DHARMA JADHAV & ORS.

Respondent(s)

IA No. 20264/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No. 20265/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 27-01-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ MISRA

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANMOHAN

For Petitioner(s) :

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For Respondent(s) :

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

1. The submission of the learned counsel for the petitioner is that the High Court did not decide the issue on merits as 3 years' period for which the election was held had already lapsed. However, while disposing of the writ petition, the High Court directed the Joint Charity Commissioner to conduct a fresh

inquiry under Section 22 and appoint nine members Managing Committee of the Trust. It is submitted that in the interregnum fresh elections had been held and the change report was also accepted and, therefore, there was no occasion to direct the Joint Charity Commissioner to conduct an inquiry under Section 22 and appoint nine members Managing Committee of the Trust.

2. Issue notice, returnable in six weeks.
3. In the meantime, the direction of the High Court to the Joint Charity Commissioner to conduct an inquiry under Section 22 and appoint nine members Managing Committee shall remain stayed.

(CHETAN ARORA)  
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(SAPNA BANSAL)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)