

ITEM NO.501

COURT NO.1

SECTION X

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Writ Petition (Civil) No.493/2022

SUBHASH DESAI

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY, GOVERNOR OF
MAHARASHTRA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With IA No.92215/2022-STAY APPLICATION and IA No.92217/2022-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. and IA No.92216/2022-PERMISSION TO FILE LENGTHY LIST OF DATES, IA No.101777/2022 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS, IA No.100297/2022 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS, IA No.108739/2022 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA No. 92217/2022 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA No.101776/2022 - INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT, IA No.92216/2022 - PERMISSION TO FILE LENGTHY LIST OF DATES and IA No.92215/2022 - STAY APPLICATION)

WITH W.P.(C) No.469/2022 (X)

(With IA No.88601/2022-STAY APPLICATION and IA No.88602/2022-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. and IA No.88964/2022-APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS, IA No.88964/2022 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS, IA No. 88602/2022 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA No. 89960/2022 - INTERVENTION APPLICATION and IA No. 88601/2022 - STAY APPLICATION)

W.P.(C) No.468/2022 (X)

(With IA No.88604/2022 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. and IA No.88603/2022 - STAY APPLICATION)

W.P.(C) No.479/2022 (X)

(With IA No.90188/2022 - EX-PARTE STAY and IA No.90189/2022 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

W.P.(C) No.470/2022 (X)

(With IA No.88697/2022 - EX-PARTE STAY)

W.P.(C) No.538/2022 (X)

(With IA No.100285/2022 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS, IA No.98578/2022 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. and IA No.98577/2022 - STAY APPLICATION)

Date : 28-02-2023 These matters were called on for hearing today.

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**UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
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- 1 Arguments heard in-part.
- 2 Put up for further hearing tomorrow (1 March 2023) as part heard matter.

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