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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

WRIT PETITION NO. 15519 OF 2022

K. K. Wagh Education Society
Hirabai Haridas Vidyanagari, thr. its Secretary & Ors.... Petitioners
Vs.
Union of India Thr. its Secretary
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Department, New Delhi & Ors. ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 15520 OF 2022**

Association of the Managements
of Agriculture & Agriculture Allied
College Thr. Chief Executive Officer & Ors. ... Petitioners
Vs.
Union of India Thr. its Secretary
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Department, New Delhi & Ors. ... Respondents

**WITH
WRIT PETITION NO. 15524 OF 2022**

Association of the Management
of Aided Engineering Colleges (Mah) & Ors. ... Petitioners
Vs.
Union of India Thr. its Secretary
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Department, New Delhi & Ors. ... Respondents

WRIT PETITION NO. 15527 OF 2022

Association of the Management
of Polytechnics ... Petitioner
Vs.

Union of India Thr. its Secretary
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Department, New Delhi & Ors.

... Respondents

Mr. P. B. Shah Shah @ Gunjan Shah i/b Mr. Sandeep Waghmare for the Petitioner in Writ Petition No.5519 of 2022 and Writ Petition No.15524 of 2022.

Mr. Shrinivas Deshmukh i/b Sandeep Waghmare for the Petitioner in Writ Petition No.15520 of 2022.

Ms. Chandana Salgaonkar i/b Sandeep Waghmare for the Petitioner in Writ Petition No.15527 of 2022.

Smt. A.A. Purav, AGP for State in all the above Writ Petitions.

Mr. Rui Rodrigues a/w Mr. Ashok Varma for Respondent No.1-UOI in all the above Writ Petitions.

**CORAM: NITIN W. SAMBRE &
SHARMILA U. DESHMUKH, JJ.**

DATE: DECEMBER 19, 2022

PC.:-

1] Heard Mr. Shah, learned Counsel appearing for the Petitioners in in Writ Petition No.5519 of 2022 and in Writ Petition No.15524 of 2022.

2] Issue notice to Respondents in all the above Writ Petitions, returnable on 06/02/2023.

3] Mr. Rui Rodrigues, learned Counsel waives service of notice on behalf of Respondent No.1 in all the above Writ Petitions.

4] Smt. Purav, learned AGP waives service of notice on behalf of

Respondent Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 9 in all the above Writ Petitions except Respondent No.8.

5] In addition to Court notice, Petitioners are at liberty to serve Respondent No.8 by private notice through registered AD/Speed Post and file affidavit of service before the returnable date.

[SHARMILA U. DESHMUKH, J.]

[NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.]