

## Maharashtra State Human Rights Commission (MSHRC) Mumbai

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#### SUO MOTU CASE NO: 4517/13/30/2022

News item appeared in Marathi Newspaper (Pudhari) on

141H November, 2022 "भिवंडीत आयजीएम इगणालयच्या हलगीर्जीपणाविरोधात आंदोलन", Thane.

:- Hon'ble, Justice K.K.Tated, (Retd.). Case to Date of allotment: - 15.11.2022

SUMMARY

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# भिवंडीत आयजीएम रुग्णालयाच्या हलगर्जीपणाविरोधात आंदोलन

भिवंडी : पुढारी वृत्तसेवा

भिवंडी शहरातील एकमात्र शासकीय रुग्णालय म्हणून ओळख असलेल्या स्व. इंदिरा गांधी स्मृती रुग्णालय या ठिकाणी भिवंडीसह ग्रामीण भागातून मोठ्या प्रमाणावर उपचारांसाठी येत असताना त्यांच्यावर फक्त थातुरमातुर मलमपट्टी करून पुढीलं उपचारासाठी कळवा अथवा मुंबई येथील रुग्णालयात पाठवून दिले जात आहे. याविरोधात नागरिकांमध्ये मोठ्या प्रमाणावर संताप असून या विरोधात अखील भारतीय नौजवान सभाच्या कार्यकर्त्यांनी कॉम्रेड विजय कांबळे यांच्या नेतृत्वाखाली रुग्णालय प्रशासना विरोधात तहसीलदार कार्यालया समोर प्रशासनाच्या भोंगळ कारभाराविरोधात जोरदार निदर्शन केली.

रुग्णालय सुरू करण्यासाठी किंवा चालविण्यासाठी केंद्र सरकारने



नियमावली तयार केली आहे. त्या प्रमाणे रुग्णालय चालविले जात नसून रुग्णालयात अनुभवी डॉक्टर, परिचारीका नसल्याने रुग्णालयात प्रसुतीसाठी आलेल्या स्त्रियांच्या नातेवाईकांना जाणूनबुजुन प्रसुती स्वभाविक होणार असे सांगून भयभीत करून रुग्णाला कळवा अथवा मुंबई येथे प्रसूतीसाठी न्यावे लागत असून यामध्ये अनेकवेळा बाळ व रुग्ण महिला यांच्या जीवाला घोका पोहचत असल्याचा आरोप निवेदनात केला

महाराष्ट्र राज्य इकबाल हुसेन खान, ठाणे जिल्हा कौन्सिल अध्यक्ष विजय लोलेवार, भिवंडी शहरअध्यक्ष सैंफ एजाज मोमीन सचिव शहजाद कलीम, जावेद खान, जैद अन्सारी आदी पदाधिकारी यांच्या शिष्टमंडळाने रुग्णालय प्रशासनास दिलेल्या निवेदनात रुग्णालयात असलेले एक्सरे व सोनोग्राफी मशीन चंद्राल्या टेक्नीशिअन मार्फत जनतेसाठी नियमितपणे सुरु करण्यात यावे रुग्णालयामधील सर्व विभागाची साफ-सफाई आदि मागण्या केल्या.





### MAHARASHTRA STATE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

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#### KKT/Suo Moto Case No.- 4517/13/30/2022

Name of Respondent

The Collector Palghar

The Chief Executive Officer

Zilla Parishad Palghar

The Tahshildar Palghar

Date

16th November 2022

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Justice K.K. Tated, Chairperson

#### PROCEEDING

Not on board. Taken on board.

- 2. We noticed news in Marathi news paper in Pudhari dated 14.11.2022 on page 7 with title "भिवंडीत आयजीएम रुग्णालयाचया हलगर्जीपणाविरोधात आंदोलन".
- 3. It is stated in the said news item that the Government as well as Corporation failed and neglected to provide proper services in IGM Hospital. It is also stated in the said news that maximum peoples in Bhiwandi are suffering from mismanagement of the said Hospital. Neither the said hospital have Doctors nor staffs to attend the patient. Usually for want of technicians and doctors the Hospital is referring to the some other Hospital at Thane or Mumbai. Even for delivery purpose they are referring the women's to Kalwa or Mumbai Hospital.
- 4. Considering these facts the following order is passed:

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- a) Office is directed to issue Summons to Addl. Chief Secretary, Public Health Department, Collector, Thane, Tahshildar, Bhiwandi, Thane, Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Bhiwandi to file affidavit in reply on or before 30.11.2022 on following points:
  - i. What is the sanctioned strength of the Doctors and staff in the said Hospital?
  - ii. Is there any vacancy of the Doctors and sfaff?
  - iii. Is there any machinery not working which is useful for day to day purpose?
  - iv. Whether technician is available to operate all the machinery in the said Hospital?
- b) Matter to appear on board before Division Bench of Justice K.K. Tated and Shri. Bhagwantrao D. More, Member in Court No.1 on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2022 at 11.00 a.m.

(Justice K. K. Tated) Chairperson

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#### DIVISION BENCH Suo Motu Case No.- 4517/13/30/2022 3428

Name of Respondent

Additional Chief Secretary, Public Health Department Mantralaya, Mumbai

Collector Thane

Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Bhiwandi Thane

Tahsildar, Bhiwandi

Date

15<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Coram

Justice K.K. Tated, Chairperson M.A.Sayeed, Member

#### <u>ORDER</u>

(Per: M. A. Sayeed, Hon'ble Member)

Marathi newspaper 'Pudhari' of 14.11.2022 highlighted on the crunch and paucity of the medical and nursing staff in government hospitals resulting into great inconvenience to the incoming patients.

2. A suo motu cognizance u/s. 12 of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993 came to be taken by us and notices to the respondent authorities were issued, pursuant to which reports on affidavits at Ex. 'A' & Ex. 'B' came to be submitted on record. On the scrutiny of the record and

materials tendered on record by the respondent, appropriate directions from time to time came to be passed, resulting into filing of proper compliance affidavit in reply vide Ex. 'C' dated 12.06.2023 duly affirmed by Dr. Kailash Pawar, Dist. Civil Surgeon, District Hospital Thane affirming in para 6 & 7 as under:

"6. The grant of Rs.1,36,11,000 has been forwarded by The Civil Surgeon Thane to P. W. Department on dated 21/03/2022 for the purpose of fire System at Indira Gandhi Memorable (Sub District) Hospital, Bhiwandi. The Fire System work has been started by the said department. The Letter of fund transfer dated 21/03/2022 is attached herewith and marked as Exh. D. I say and submit that on dated 16/12/2022 contractual Gynaecologist has been appointed and on dated 29/11/2022 work order of 3 days a week has been given to Radiologist and same has been extended on 31/01/2023, at Indira Gandhi Memorable (Sub District) Hospital, Bhiwandi. The order's dated 16/12/2022 & 29/11/2022 are attached herewith and marked as Exh. E colly.

7. Further I say and submit that at Indira Gandhi Memorable (Sub District) Hospital, Bhiwandi the temporary order has been given to the X ray Technicians on dated 26/12/2022 till 07/01/2023 and thereafter said temporary order has been extended by the order dated 06/01/2023. The Order's dated 26/12/2022 & 06/1/2023 are attached herewith and marked as Exh. F colly.

On dated 03/01/2023 & 17/01/2023 Medical officer (MBBS) and Medical Officer (MD Medicine) have been appointed on contract basis for the period of 11 months, thereafter continuation will be given after application received by said Medical Officers. The Order's dated 16/1/2023 is attached herewith and marked as Exh. F colly."

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- 3. The aforesaid contentions are substantiated with the relevant documents and government GRs issued from time to time indicating about resolving of all the issues raised in the news article. Therefore, with the issues having attended finality due to the prompt and timely action by Civil Surgeon Dr. Pawar, we have no hesitation to pass an order of the closure of the present matter. Hence following order: "ORDER"
  - a) Present suo motu matter closed and disposed off with no order as to cost.

(M.A. Sayeed) Member (Justice K. K. Tated) Chairperson