

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

**WRIT PETITION NO. 7477 OF 2016**

Idemitsu Lubed India Pvt. Ltd. ... Petitioner

Vs

1. The State of Maharashtra & Ors. ... Respondent

Mr. V. Sridharan, senior counsel with Mr. Rahul Thakar and Mr. Jas Sanghvi i/b PDS Legal for the Petitioner.

Mr. V.A. Sonpal, special counsel, with Ms. Sushma Bhende, AGP, or the Respondent Nos.1 to 3 & 5.)

**CORAM : S.C. DHARMADHIKARI &  
B.P. COLABAWALLA, JJ.**

**TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 2016**

**P.C. :**

1. Mr. Sridharan, learned senior counsel appearing for the petitioners submits that on account of the petitioners noticing a Division Bench judgment of this Court, they desire to add additional grounds and which raise a purely legal challenge. The draft of the amendments by which such grounds are to be introduced and after laying the factual foundation therefor, is tendered by Mr. Sridharan. . The same is taken on record and marked "X: for identification.

2. Mr. Sonpal states that he has no objection to the amendments being granted provided this Court clarifies that the merits of the amended pleas and contentions with regard thereto are not affected by the grant of the amendment.

3. After clarifying as above, we grant leave to amend. Amendment to be carried out on or before 12th October, 2016. List this matter on 25th October, 2016.

4. Let a copy of the amended Memo be served on the respondents.

***B.P. COLABAWALLA, J.***

***S.C. DHARMADHIKARI, J.***