

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY  
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION**

**WRIT PETITION NO. 1038 OF 2016**

M/s. Bharat Petroleum Corpn. Ltd. ... Petitioner

Vs

The State of Maharashtra. ... Respondent

Mr. N.V. Tapare for the Petitioner.

Mr. V.A. Sonpal, special counsel, for the Respondent-State.

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

**TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 2016.**

**P.C. :**

1. Mr. Tapare appearing on behalf of the petitioner fairly states that on 29th September, 2016, Reference Application No.5 of 2016 was disposed off by the Tribunal. The Tribunal was pleased to forward questions of law for opinion and answer by this Court.

2. In the circumstances, we do not think that the Writ Petition should be kept pending. By clarifying that all contentions of both sides are kept open and will be considered

as and when the questions of law are answered, the Writ  
Petition is disposed of.

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

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

Bombay High Court