**CIRCULAR NO. 17 / 2026**
**Dated : 19.11.2026**
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(1) Rule 6 Sub Rule (ii) of Maharashtra Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1979 reads as ;

– No Government Servant shall --

(i) .....

(ii) resort to, or in any way abet, any form of strike in connection with any matter pertaining to his service or the service of any other Government servant :

Provided that, nothing in this sub-clause shall be deemed to be prohibit those Government servants from resorting to any strike who are expressly permitted to resort to such a strike under any law for the time being in force.

(2) Hon'ble High Court Circular No.B(Gen)-1001/2026/2041, dated 02.11.2026 reads as ;

The Hon'ble High Court in Writ Petition No. 1392 of 2011 decided on 21.10.2011 has directed that the Employees and their Union/Confederation must note that the law laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of **T.K. Rangarajan Vs. Government of Tamil Nadu, 2003 AIR SCW 3807**, does not allow them to resort to any form of strike.

The above directions should be followed scrupulously.

(3) However, in Contravention of the service rules as stated in para No.1 and the Circular of Hon'ble High Court as stated in para No.2, the Court employees of Dhule Judicial District had gone on strike on 17.11.2026 and 18.11.2026. Thus,

there is breach of Rule 6(ii) of The Maharashtra Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1979 and the Circular of Hon'ble High Court dated 02.11.2026, hence, the employees who participated in the strike are not entitled for salary and allowances dated 17.11.2026 and 18.11.2026. The said deduction shall be made from the salary of month of November 2026 paid in December 2026. The concerned Drawing and Disbursing Officers of Dhule Judicial District shall scrupulously follow the directions in the said Circular.

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(S.S.Bhishma)
Principal District and Sessions Judge,Dhule.