

BEFORE THE HON'BLE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL  
WESTERN ZONE BENCH, PUNE

Original Application No. 92/2024 (WZ)



IN THE MATTER OF:

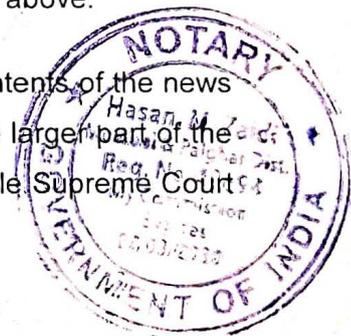
Suo Motu cognizance by the Hon'ble Tribunal based on news article dtd. 26.03.2024

**AFFIDAVIT IN REPLY ON BEHALF OF RESPONDENT NO.4 BMC :**

I, Shri.Jitendra V. Pardeshi, Indian Inhabitant, working as Superintendent of Gardens & Tree Officer with Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai, having office at 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Penguin Bldg., Veer Jijamata Bhosale Botanical Udyan, Byculla -27 Mumbai do hereby state on solemn affirmation as under:-

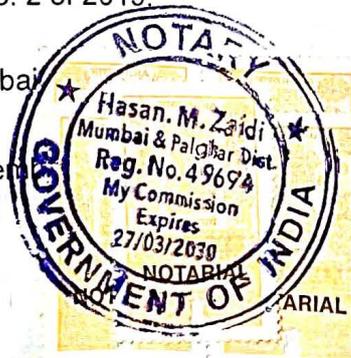
1. In the above matter the Respondent have already filed an affidavit dtd.17.06.2025. The Present affidavit is filed pursuant to the order dtd. 18.06.2025 passed by this Hon'ble Court. Pursuant to the directions issued by the aforesaid order a clear data explaining the number of trees planted (Yearwise & Wardwise) alongwith the survival percentage of the trees is mentioned in detail (Yearwise & Wardwise). Hereto annexed and marked as Annexure-A is the copy of the said Tabular data referred herein above.

2. This is to state that these respondents do not admit the contents of the news report as stated in the newspaper dtd. 26.03.2024. Further the larger part of the issue under reference is also under consideration in the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Suo moto W.P. (Civil) No. 2 of 2019.



Solemnly affirmed at Mumbai

Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Decem



Identified by me ;

Advocates for the Respondents No. 4

Before me,

*[Signature]*  
Respondents No. 4

**BEFORE ME**

*[Signature]*

**HASAN. M. ZAIDI**  
NOTARY  
Government of India  
Mumbai & Palghar Dist.  
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VERIFICATION

I, Jitendra.V.Pardeshi, aged 55 years, an Adult, Indian Inhabitant of Mumbai, working as the Supt. of Gardens ( ) of the Respondent BMC, having my Office at the office Byculla, Mumbai \_\_\_\_\_ Mumbai 400001, do hereby state on solemn affirmation as under: -

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Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Dec., 2025)

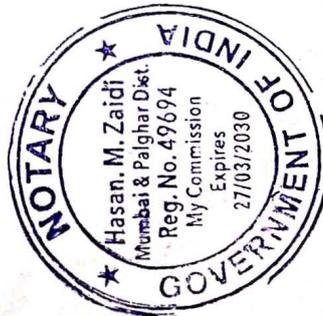
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## Plantation from 2020-21 to 2024-25

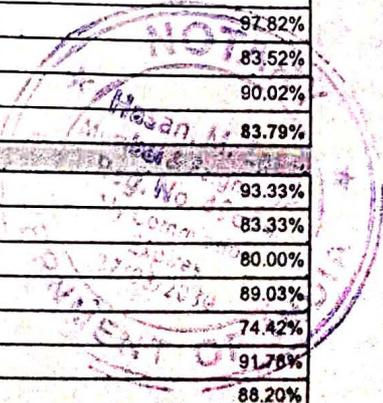
Year	Ward	No. of new trees planted by Garden department of MCGM			No. of trees survived	Survival percentage
		Traditional method	Miyawaki plantation	Total		
2020-21	A	45	0	45	36	80.00%
2020-21	B	0	0	0	0	0.00%
2020-21	C	10	0	10	7	70.00%
2020-21	D	30	0	30	24	80.00%
2020-21	E	35	0	35	27	77.14%
2020-21	F/S	1500	0	1500	1192	79.47%
2020-21	F/N	1521	0	1521	1348	88.63%
2020-21	G/S	800	0	800	748	93.50%
2020-21	G/N	2000	0	2000	1240	62.00%
2020-21	H/E	75	0	75	51	68.00%
2020-21	H/W	105	0	105	64	60.95%
2020-21	K/E	240	0	240	172	71.67%
2020-21	K/W	6300	0	6300	5220	82.86%
2020-21	P/S	328	8797	9125	7812	85.61%
2020-21	P/N	175	29000	29175	28650	98.20%
2020-21	R/S	2500	0	2500	1950	78.00%
2020-21	R/N	242	0	242	204	84.30%
2020-21	R/C	4870	0	4870	4383	90.00%
2020-21	L	0	27900	27900	22842	81.87%
2020-21	M/E	5524	6000	11524	8143	70.66%
2020-21	M/W	0	57310	57310	44701	78.00%
2020-21	N	2073	12815	14888	12864	0.00%
2020-21	S	0	15000	15000	12120	80.80%
2020-21	T	0	15000	15000	13706	91.37%
<b>Total:</b>		<b>28373</b>	<b>171822</b>	<b>200195</b>	<b>167504</b>	<b>73.04%</b>
2021-22	A	116	1100	1216	1065	87.58%
2021-22	B	38	0	38	35	92.11%
2021-22	C	45	0	45	36	80.00%
2021-22	D	95	0	95	83	87.37%
2021-22	E	102	0	102	63	61.76%
2021-22	F/S	450	13875	14325	12958	90.46%
2021-22	F/N	365	0	365	304	83.29%
2021-22	G/S	125	0	125	96	76.80%
2021-22	G/N	180	0	180	164	91.11%
2021-22	H/E	1305	0	1305	927	71.03%
2021-22	H/W	1700	0	1700	1159	68.18%
2021-22	K/E	1800	0	1800	1332	74.00%
2021-22	K/W	10963	0	10963	9415	85.88%
2021-22	P/S	2100	0	2100	1886	89.81%
2021-22	P/N	5105	5025	10130	7597	75.00%
2021-22	R/S	536	0	536	455	84.89%
2021-22	R/N	1506	0	1506	1305	86.65%
2021-22	R/C	1554	0	1554	1415	91.06%
2021-22	L	1962	43307	45269	34113	75.36%
2021-22	M/E	1907	13000	14907	10289	69.02%
2021-22	M/W	1711	103053	104764	78573	75.00%
2021-22	N	2007	15650	17657	15379	72.85%
2021-22	S	2152	15000	17152	14720	85.82%
2021-22	T	2199	15000	17199	16200	94.23%
<b>Total:</b>		<b>40023</b>	<b>225010</b>	<b>265033</b>	<b>209574</b>	<b>81.22%</b>
2022-23	A	88	1100	1188	925	77.86%
2022-23	B	46	0	46	46	89.13%



2022-23	C	45	0	45	34	75.56%
2022-23	D	110	75	185	162	87.57%
2022-23	E	92	0	92	67	72.83%
2022-23	F/S	200	0	200	154	77.00%
2022-23	F/N	130	1100	1230	1078	87.64%
2022-23	G/S	110	0	110	93	84.55%
2022-23	G/N	195	0	195	176	90.26%
2022-23	H/E	70	0	70	55	78.57%
2022-23	H/W	153	0	153	102	66.67%
2022-23	K/E	950	36000	36950	26975	73.00%
2022-23	K/W	150	2400	2550	2230	87.45%
2022-23	P/S	104	1500	1604	1375	85.72%
2022-23	P/N	327	0	327	313	95.72%
2022-23	R/S	701	4300	5001	4735	94.68%
2022-23	R/N	206	0	206	172	83.50%
2022-23	R/C	360	7500	7860	7415	94.34%
2022-23	L	280	11250	11530	9208	79.86%
2022-23	M/E	257	3500	3757	2958	78.73%
2022-23	M/W	120	0	120	108	90.00%
2022-23	N	262	50	312	281	90.06%
2022-23	S	606	1200	1806	1520	84.16%
2022-23	T	652	0	652	585	89.72%
<b>Total:</b>		<b>6214</b>	<b>69975</b>	<b>76189</b>	<b>60762</b>	<b>83.94%</b>

2023-24	A	35	0	35	30	85.71%
2023-24	B	46	0	46	40	86.96%
2023-24	C	55	0	55	43	78.18%
2023-24	D	115	150	265	186	70.19%
2023-24	E	78	0	78	56	71.79%
2023-24	F/S	112	13875	13987	12751	91.16%
2023-24	F/N	364	0	364	322	88.46%
2023-24	G/S	116	150	266	231	86.84%
2023-24	G/N	250	0	250	224	89.60%
2023-24	H/E	230	0	230	171	74.35%
2023-24	H/W	120	0	120	89	74.17%
2023-24	K/E	550	1400	1950	1445	74.10%
2023-24	K/W	8200	0	8200	7650	93.29%
2023-24	P/S	279	0	279	209	74.91%
2023-24	P/N	245	8500	8745	8400	96.05%
2023-24	R/S	347	1200	1547	1366	88.30%
2023-24	R/N	125	0	125	99	79.20%
2023-24	R/C	350	7500	7850	6880	87.64%
2023-24	L	107	5400	5507	4530	82.26%
2023-24	M/E	81	8550	8631	6479	75.07%
2023-24	M/W	210	10228	10438	9532	91.32%
2023-24	N	182	825	1007	985	97.82%
2023-24	S	105	1200	1305	1090	83.52%
2023-24	T	932	0	932	839	90.02%
<b>Total:</b>		<b>13234</b>	<b>58978</b>	<b>72212</b>	<b>63647</b>	<b>83.79%</b>

2024-25	A	15	0	15	44	93.33%
2024-25	B	18	0	18	15	83.33%
2024-25	C	45	0	45	36	80.00%
2024-25	D	145	165	310	276	89.03%
2024-25	E	43	0	43	32	74.42%
2024-25	F/S	292	0	292	268	91.78%
2024-25	F/N	763	0	763	673	88.20%



2024-25	G/S	736	0	736	701	95.24%
2024-25	G/N	384	0	384	340	88.54%
2024-25	H/E	225	0	225	195	86.67%
2024-25	H/W	122	0	122	85	69.67%
2024-25	K/E	330	800	1130	835	73.89%
2024-25	K/W	855	0	855	780	91.23%
2024-25	P/S	214	0	214	183	85.51%
2024-25	P/N	114	148	262	251	95.80%
2024-25	R/S	464	5500	5964	5775	96.83%
2024-25	R/N	206	0	206	185	89.81%
2024-25	R/C	471	3201	3672	3001	81.73%
2024-25	L	142	0	142	112	78.87%
2024-25	M/E	119	0	119	97	81.51%
2024-25	M/W	120	0	120	114	95.00%
2024-25	N	410	400	810	794	98.02%
2024-25	S	187	3200	3387	2920	86.21%
2024-25	T	210	0	210	181	86.19%
<b>Total:</b>		<b>6630</b>	<b>13414</b>	<b>20044</b>	<b>17863</b>	<b>86.70%</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>94474</b>	<b>539199</b>	<b>633673</b>	<b>519351</b>	<b>81.74%</b>

  
Superintendent of Gardens

