

Witness present and duly sworn on 15/02/2025.

Cross Examination by Sri. MS advocate for Defendant no. 1 to 4 :

6. K. Ashwathama was working as a foremen during his lifetime at R.V. College. K. Ashwathama was a Engineering Graduate. K. Ashwathama joined the service may be in the year 1952 or 1958. The witness volunteers that K. Ashwathama was her father. After the joining of service K. Ashwathama worked till his retirement. I do not know the date of the retirement of K. Ashwathama. I do not know the salary of K. Ashwathama during his service, but my mother had the knowledge of his salary. When it is questioned to the witness that in which year K. Ashwathama died ; the witness said she is not aware of the death of K. Ashwathama. I have produced the death certificate of K. Ashwathama to the court. I do not remember the date of death mentioned in death certificate Ex.P. 16 of K. Ashwathama produced to the court. It is true that K. Ashwathama died on 06-11-2009. K. Ashwathama was aged more than 85 years when he died.

7. I have seen the Item no. 1 of suit schedule property.

The said site is of society purchased by my father. The witness volunteers that her father purchased the property from her mother. My mother was illiterate and she had no job. The witness volunteers that her mother by giving her ornaments site has been purchased. It is true that said site has been formed and allotted by Karnataka Housing Board. I do not remember the exact date in which item no.1 of suit schedule property has been allotted, but may be in the year 1983. I do not know what is the document executed while allotting the said site. I came to know about the said site from my father. I came to know about the item no. 1 of suit schedule property in the year 1975. When I was in the matrimonial home in the year 1975, my father came and informed me about the purchasing of suit item no.1 property.

8. I do not know about the execution of gift deed by K. Ashwathama in favour of defendant no.1. When it is questioned to the witness that why you have filed this suit ; the witness said property belongs to her, hence, filed this suit. I have filed the suit claiming that I am the owner of suit item

no.1 along with other properties. It is false to suggest that I have filed this suit claiming 1/3rd share in the suit schedule property.

9. I have not filed any suit other than this suit against the defendant no.1 to 4. I have not filed any suit in respect of my contentions at para no.12 of my plaint. My mother died about 9 years back, but I can not say the exact date. I am not residing in the house number stated in plaint cause title. The witness volunteers that she was residing in the rented house, hence, she was compelled to change the houses. At present, I am residing in the rented house Judicial Layout, Hebbala. The defendant no.1 residing in the suit item no.1 property. It is false to suggest that defendant no.3 is also residing with defendant no.1 at suit item no.1. The witness volunteers that the defendant no.3 is residing at Banashankari. The defendant no.2 is residing in the address stated in plaint cause title. Defendant No. 2 is married and she is residing at Dubai as well as India. I do not know in which year defendant no.2 was married.

10. I have seen the suit item no.3 property. I do not know in whose name sale deed in respect of item no.3 property.

Further cross examination: Deferred on request.

(Typed to my dictation in open court, as the deposition is proceeded with).

R.O.I. & A.C.

(Padma Prasad)
II Addl. City Civil & Sessions
Judge, and Spl. Judge,
Bangalore City.