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Crl.Misc./820/2025

IN THE COURT OF PRL. CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC.,
AT: HUNSUR

:PRESENT:

SMT.AYISHABI.P.MAJID., B.A., L.L.B.,
Prl. Civil Judge & JMFC,
Hunsur.

DATED THIS THE 13th DAY OF MARCH, 2026

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<i>Petitioners :-</i>	<p>1. Smt. Huchamma W/o Late. Puttaswamygowda Aged about 80 years</p> <p>2. Smt. Gowramma W/o Late. Swamygowda Aged about 50 years</p> <p>3. Sri. Devaraju W/o Late. Puttaswamygowda Aged about 47 years</p> <p>4. Smt. Naveena Kumari W/o Ramu Aged about 29 years</p>
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	<p>5. Sri.Gaveesha S/o Swamygowda Aged about 27 years</p> <p>6. Smt. Keerthi W/o Kumara Aged about 25 years</p> <p>All are R/at : Moduru M Koppalu Village, Moduru Post, Gavadagere Hobli, Hunsur Taluk.</p> <p>(Rep., by Sri.R.P., – Adv)</p>
	V/s
<u>Respondent:-</u>	<p>The Tahashildar, Registrar of Birth and Death, Hunsur Taluk, Hunsur.</p> <p>(Absent)</p>

ORDERS

The present petition is filed by the Petitioners U/Sec.13(3) of The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969.

2. The Petitioners have prayed for issuance of direction to the respondent to register the death event of Late.Mahadevamma W/o Basavarajegowda, who died on 08.09.2020 at Moduru M Koppalu Village, Hunsur Taluk, Mysuru District.

3. In spite of service of notice, the Respondent remained absent before the Court and as such his objection was considered as nil. The matter was posted for enquiry of the Petitioners.

4. In order to substantiate their case, the Petitioner No.5 got himself examined as P.W.1 and got marked 10 documents at Ex.P.1 to Ex.P.10. Thereafter, the Petitioners closed evidence on their side.
5. Heard the arguments advanced by the learned counsel for the Petitioners. Perused materials on record.
6. The points that arise for the consideration of the court are:

P O I N T S

1. Point No.1: Whether Petitioners made out grounds under section 13(3) of Birth and Death registration Act to seek for direction to the Respondent for entering the date of death of Late.Mahadevamma W/o Basavarajegowda in the concerned register?

2. What order?

7. On consideration of the materials placed on record, this court answers the aforesaid points as hereunder:

Point No.1: In the *Affirmative*

Point No.2: As per final order
for the following:

R E A S O N S

8. **Point No.1:** As aforesaid the Petitioner No.5 got himself examined as P.W.1 and reiterated the petition averments in his examination-in-chief. He has further deposed that, Late.Mahadevamma W/o Basavarajegowda, is no more. P.W.1 has specifically deposed that, his Mother-in-law (father's sister) died on 08.09.2020 at Moduru M Koppalu Village, Hunsur Taluk, Mysuru

District. Further he has deposed that, death certificate is required for the purposes of change of khata and other legal purposes.

9. The Petitioners in support of their case has relied upon Ex.P.1 which is the Notarized copy of the Genealogical tree, Ex.P.2 is the non-availability certificate issued by the office of the respondent, Ex.P.3 to Ex.P.8 are the Notarized copy of Aadhar Card of the petitioners, Ex.P.9 and Ex.P.10 are the Paper Publications.

10. As stated supra, the Respondent has remained absent before the court. The evidence of P.W.1 has thus remained unchallenged and unrebutted. Ex.P.2 which is non-availability certificate clearly goes to show that, the death event of Late.Mahadevamma W/o Basavarajegowda is unregistered. Ex.P.9 and Ex.P.10 goes to show that, the date of death of Late.Mahadevamma W/o Basavarajegowda is not disputed by any other person. Now after applying for the death certificate with Respondent, the Respondent has pleaded his inability to furnish the death extract on the ground that the death of Late.Mahadevamma W/o Basavarajegowda was not entered in the concerned register. Therefore, if the relief sought by the Petitioners is declined, they will be put to hardship. Apart from this, there is nothing on record to disbelieve the evidence lead by the Petitioners. Under these circumstances, this Court has no other alternative than to accept the evidence of P.W.1. Accordingly, this Court answers **Point No.1 in the Affirmative.**

11. **Point No.2:** In the light of foregoing discussions, this court proceeds to pass the following:

ORDER

The petition filed U/s 13(3) of The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969 is hereby *allowed*.

The respondent is hereby directed to make proper entry in respect of date of death of Late.Mahadevamma W/o Basavarajegowda as 08.09.2020 at Moduru M Koppalu Village, Hunsur Taluk, Mysuru District.

The Respondent shall collect the prescribed fee from the Petitioners.

No order as to cost.

(Dictated directly to the Stenographer-III on computer, typed by her, corrected, signed and then pronounced by me in the open court this 13th day of March, 2026)

(AYISHABI.P.MAJID)
Prl. Civil Judge & JMFC.,
Hunsur.

ANNEXURES

1. List of witness examined on behalf of Petitioners:

P.W.1 : Sri.Gaveesh

2. List of documents examined on behalf of Petitioners:

Ex.P.1 : Notarized copy of the Genealogical tree
Ex.P.2 : Non-availability Certificate
Ex.P.3 to 8 : Notarized copy of Aadhar Card of the petitioners
Ex.P.9 & 10 : Paper Publications.

3. **List of witness examined on behalf of Respondent:**

- N I L -

4. **List of documents examined on behalf of Respondent :**

- N I L -

**Prl. Civil Judge & JMFC.,
Hunsur.**