

MHNG070022892025



**Succession Case No.4/2025
Pravin and others/-Nil**

ORDER BELOW EXH.1
(Passed on 23rd day of March, 2026)

The present application is filed under section 372 of the Indian Succession Act, 1925 for grant of succession certificate.

2. It is contention of the applicants that applicant no.1 is the son, applicant no.2 is the widow, applicant no.3 is the son-in-law and applicant no.4 is the grand-daughter of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut, r/o.Rathi Layout, Katol, Tah.Katol, Dist.Nagpur. Deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut died intestate on 29.03.2024 at Katol, Tah.Katol, Dist.Nagpur. Further, the mother of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut i.e. Bayanabai Mukundrao Raut also died on 21.12.2008. Further, the only daughter of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut i.e. Pratibha Panjab Dhote also died on 28.02.2024. After his death, deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut left behind the applicants as his legal heirs. Besides applicants, there is no other legal heir of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut.

3. It is further contention of applicants that, deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut was having bank account with the Bank of India, Branch Katol bearing account no. 871612100006572. Rs.2,14,347.72/- are lying in the said account. Besides applicants, there is

no one else to inherit the said bank amount of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut. The applicants being the legal heirs of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut are entitled to succeed the aforesaid amount. The applicants are permanent resident of Katol, Tah.Katol, Dist.Nagpur, hence this Court has jurisdiction to entertain, try and decide the application.

4. The applicants to support their contention has filed affidavit of applicant no.1 Pravin as AW-1 at Exh.8. AW-1 Pravin deposed in line with the main application. The applicants have filed and proved the verified copies of death certificates of deceased Mukundrao Raut, deceased Baynabai Raut and deceased Pratibha Dhote at Exh.09 to 11 respectively, verified copies of Aadhar Cards of applicant no.1 to 4 at Exh.12 to 15 respectively, verified bank extract of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut at Exh.16 and verified copy of the Ration Card extract at Exh.17. The applicants have also proved the copy of paper publication at Exh.18, whereby objections were called in respect of getting issued the succession certificate to the applicants. However, no objection is received till the date.

5. On perusal of these documents, it reveals that deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut died on 29.03.2024, leaving behind the applicants as his legal heirs. Applicant no.1 submitted on oath that the applicants are the only legal heirs of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut and there is no other legal heir to the deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut except the applicants. His evidence remained unchallenged. Contention of the applicants appear to be bonafide and trustworthy. As no objection received on the proclamation (Exh.18), I am

satisfied that the applicants are only legal heirs of the deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut. Hence, the following order-

OPERATIVE ORDER

- a) The application is allowed.
- b) Succession Certificate shall be issued in the name of applicant no.1 to 4 for amount of Rs.2,14,347.72/- of deceased Nilkanth Mukundrao @ Muktaji Raut lying with Bank of India, Branch, Katol, Dist.Nagpur bearing account no.871612100006572, as per rules.
- c) Applicants shall pay the Court fees as per Rules.

Date:- 23/03/2026.

(Sneha R. Jadhao)
Jt. Civil Judge (J.D.),
Katol, Dist.Nagpur

ENDORSEMENT

Case Argued on	:	23.03.2026
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CERTIFICATE

I affirm that the contents of the this PDF file of order are same word to word, as per the original order.

Name of the Stenographer :- A.Y.Kulkarni (Gr-III)