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**IN THE COURT OF 7th JT. CIVIL JUDGE JUNIOR DIVISION, PIMPRI,
PUNE.**

(Presided over by G. G. Auti)

CNR NO. MHPU090069182025

Civil M.A.No. 313/2025

Exh.1.

- 1] **Harshal Gangaram Goswami,** }
Age - 30 year, Occu. : Business, }
R/at : H B 6/2, Shagun Chowk }
Near Railway Station, Pimpri }
Pune Maharashtra-411017 }
- 2] **Komal Jitendra Wadhwani** }
Age - 35 years, Occu. : Service/Housewife, }
R/at : D Ward, Block No. 3/6 and 7 }
Sai Chowk, Pimpri, Pune }
Maharashtra-411017 }.. **Applicants.**

.....**VERSUS**.....

Nil.

}.. **Non applicant.**

Application under Indian Succession Act.

Shri. V. S. Jagdale, learned Advocate for applicants.

JUDGMENT

(Delivered on 16th March, 2026)

Applicants have filed an application under section 372 of the Indian Succession Act.

2. The brief facts of applicants case as under :

The present application has filed for issuance of a Succession Certificate in respect of the deceased late Gangaram Vishingir Goswami, who demised on 05/11/2024. Late Ganagram Vishingir Goswami was married to late Shri. Bhavana Gangaram Goswami, who predeceased him on 15/03/2025. They had one son and one daughter from their wedlock Harshal Gangaram Goswami (Applicant No. 1) and Komal Jitendra Wadhvani (Applicant No. 2). Applicants have survived after the demise of late Gangaram Vishinagar Goswami. Hence, applicants are only legal heirs. Applicants family includes deceased late Bhaghubai Vishingir Goswami(Grandmother), late Bhavana Gangaram Goswami(mother). All of them are deceased, and applicants are unable to provide death certificate for late Bhaghubai Vishingir Goswami. They are only legal heirs of late Gangaram Vishingir Goswami with no other legal heirs. Applicants are filing this present application for Succession certificate which are more particularly mentioned in the Schedule A, which are in the name of deceased late Gangaram Vishingir Goswami as under.

SCHEDULE A

Details of License jointly granted to Hitesh Prakash Motwani, late Gangaram Vishingir Goswami and Umesh Dilip Goswami.

Sr. No.	License No.	Renewed
1.	293/2021-22	293/2024-2029

3. Applicants are prayed for grant of succession certificate, in respect of schedule A, which is in the name of deceased Gangaram Vishingir Goswami.

4. In view of pleading of applicants following points arises for my determination and I have recorded my finding with the reasons thereon :

	<u>Points for determination</u>	<u>Findings</u>
1.	Is it proved by applicants that they are entitled for succession certificate of the deceased Ganagram Vishingir Goswami for liquor license No. 293/2021-22?	Yes.
2.	What Order?	As per Final Order.

Reasons for Finding.

4. In order to prove their claim applicant no.1 has himself entered into witness box and relied on following documents :
- a. Copy of death certificate of Bhavana Gangaram Goswami (Exh.11).
 - b. Copy of death certificate of Gangaram Vishingir Goswami (Exh.12).
 - c. Original copy of Liquor License No. 293/2021-2022(Exh.13)
 - d. Original copies of Adhar and Pan cards respectively (Exh.14 and Exh. 15)
 - e. Paper Proclamation (Exh.7).
 - f. Citation Notice (Exh.6).

Point no.1 and 2 :

5. Applicant Harshal (PW 1) repeated the entire contents of the application in his evidence on affidavit (Exh.08), in lieu of his examination in chief. According to him, he along with applicant No. 2 are the legal heirs of deceased. He also relied on the death certificate (Exh.11) of his mother Bhavana Gangaram Goswami and death certificate (Exh. 12) of father deceased Gangaram Vishingir Goswami. On perusal of these documents it seems that his mother demise on 15/03/2025 and his father demise on 05/11/2024. They are only legal heirs of the deceased Gangaram Vishingir Goswami.

6. No doubt after perusal of document filed along with list Exh. 3 it is seen that, applicants are legal heirs of deceased Gangaram

Goswami. However, Section 372 of Indian Succession Act, allow the court to issue a succession certificate only for debts and securities of deceased person. It may be issued for deceased bank account, fix deposit, shares or bonds, insurance or money receivable. A liquor license issued under excise law is considered a personal privilege granted by the Government and it is not inheritable property. Hence, issuance of succession certificate to applicants who legal heirs of deceased for liquor licnese not comes in purview of section 372 of Indian Succession Act. Therefore, this application is not maintainable as per law. Thus, I pass the following Order.

ORDER

Application is rejected.

Dated : 16.03.2026

(G. G. Auti)
7th Jt. Civil Judge Junior Division,
Pimpri, Pune.

CERTIFICATE

I affirm that the contents of this P.D.F. file Order are the same, word to word, as per the original Order.

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Name of the Court	:-	G G Auti 7 th Jt. C.J.J.D. and J.M.F.C, Pimpri, Pune
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CERTIFICATE

I affirm that the contents of this P.D.F. file Order/ Judgment are the same, word to word, as per the original Order.

Name of the Stenographer	:- P. B. Jadhav
Name of the Court	:- Jt. C.J.J.D. and J.M.F.C. Pune.
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