



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 21ST DAY OF APRIL, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.R.KRISHNA KUMAR

WRIT PETITION NO. 1449 OF 2026 (S-RES)

BETWEEN:

1. SMT. INDIRAMMA
W/O LATE GURUBASAPPA P.B
AGED ABOUT 55 YEARS
2. SRI. MANJUNATHA
S/O LATE GURUBASAPPA P.B.
AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS
3. KUM. BHARATHI
D/O LATE GURUBASAPPA P.B
AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS

ALL ARE RESIDING AT
IGOORU AT POST
HANGUDU HOBLI,
DAVANGERE TALUK AND DISTRICT.

...PETITIONERS

(BY SRI. THYAGARAJA S, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
AND LITERACY, DR.B R AMBEDKAR ROAD
M.S. BUILDING, BENGALURU - 560 001.
2. THE COMMISSIONER
DEPARTMENT OF SCEHOOL
EDUCATION AND LITERACY,





NRUPATHUNGA ROAD
BENGALURU - 560 001.

3. THE DIRECTOR (SECONDARY EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT
OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
NRUPATHUNGA ROAD BENGALURU-560001
4. THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
DAVANGERE DISTRICT - 572 215.
5. THE BLOCK EDUCATION OFFICER
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
DAVANAGERE TALUK, NORTH RANGE,
DAVANGERE.
6. THE SECRETARY
SRI. JAYAPRAKASH NARAYANA EDUCATION
SOCIETY (REG), IGOORU,
DAVANGERE TALUK AND DISTRICT.
7. THE HEAD MASTER
SRI. R.G. NANJAPPA HIGH SCHOOL,
RAMPURA, DAVANAGERE TALUK AND DISTRICT.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI. SPOORTHY HEGDE, AGA)

THIS WP IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND 227 OF THE
CONSTITUTION OF INDIA PRAYING TO I) TO DIRECT THE 5TH
RESPONDENT TO CONSIDER AND DISPOSE OF THE REPRESENTATION
DATED 20-09-2021 VIDE ANNEXURE-D MADE BY THE 2ND PETITIONER
AND THE REPRESENTATION DATED 11-07-2023 VIDE ANNEXURE-G
MADE BY THE 1ST PETITIONER TO THE 4TH RESPONDENT AND ETC.,

THIS PETITION, COMING ON FOR ORDERS, THIS DAY, ORDER
WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.R.KRISHNA KUMAR



ORAL ORDER

In this petition, the petitioners have sought for the following reliefs:

"i) Issue a Writ in the nature of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, to direct the 5th respondent to consider and dispose of the representation dated 20-09-2021 vide Annexure-D made by the 2nd petitioner and the representation dated 11-07-2023 vide Annexure-G made by the 1st petitioner to the 4th respondent,

ii) Consequently direct the respondent No.6 to take necessary action on the application submitted by the 1st petitioner dated 11.11.2021 vide Annexure-H for providing compassionate appointment to the 3rd petitioner and submit the proposal to the competent authorities of the respondents for approval of said appointment in terms of the circular issued by the 2nd respondent dated 24.07.2023 vide Annexure-M and

iii) Consequently issue a writ of directing the respondents consider the case of the 3rd petitioner for appointment on compassionate grounds in a suitable post and approve the appointment of the 3rd petitioner with Grant-in-Aid and extend all benefits flowing thereof, or in the alternatively respondent No.1 to 5 to take necessary courses of action to appoint the 3rd petitioner on compassionate ground in any of the vacant post available in the State Aided Educational Institution and extend all benefits flowing thereof in the interest of justice and equity.



iv) Grant such other reliefs as may be deemed to be fit to the facts and circumstances of the case, in the interest of justice and equity.”

2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned AGA for the respondents and perused the material on record.

3. It is the grievance of the petitioners that their representations dated 20.09.2021 at Annexure - D and dated 11.07.2023 at Annexure - G submitted to the respondents has not been considered so far by them nor any order has been passed on the same. Under these circumstances, the petitioners are before this Court by way of the present petition.

4. *Per contra*, learned counsel for the respondents submits that if reasonable time is given, they would consider and pass necessary order on the said representation.

5. In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances and rival submissions, the respondents are hereby directed to address the grievances of the petitioners and consider their representations dated 20.09.2021 at Annexure - D and dated 11.07.2023 at Annexure - G and pass appropriate order / take appropriate



decision in accordance with law, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the petition stands *disposed of*.

Sd/-
(S.R.KRISHNA KUMAR)
JUDGE

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List No.: 1 SI No.: 64