

WP NO. 6708/2026 (GM - POLICE)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

**[DR PUTTA RAVI KUMAR VS. STATE OF KARNATAKA AND
OTHERS]**

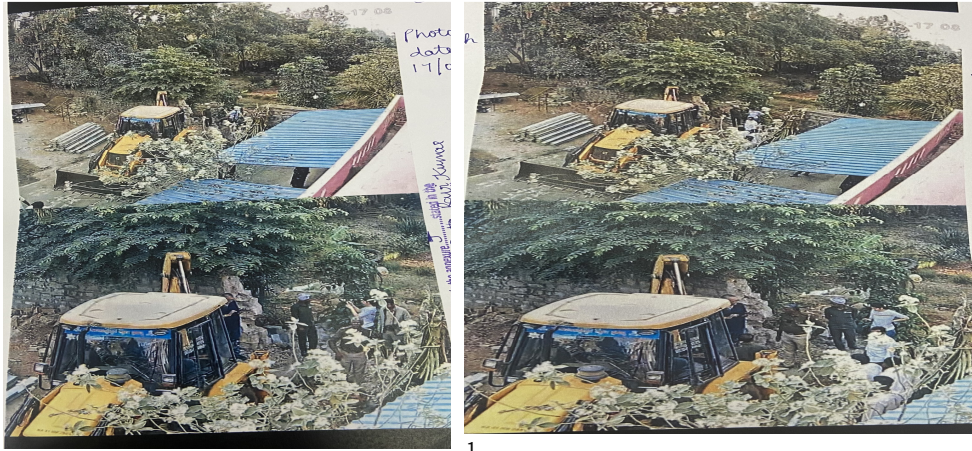
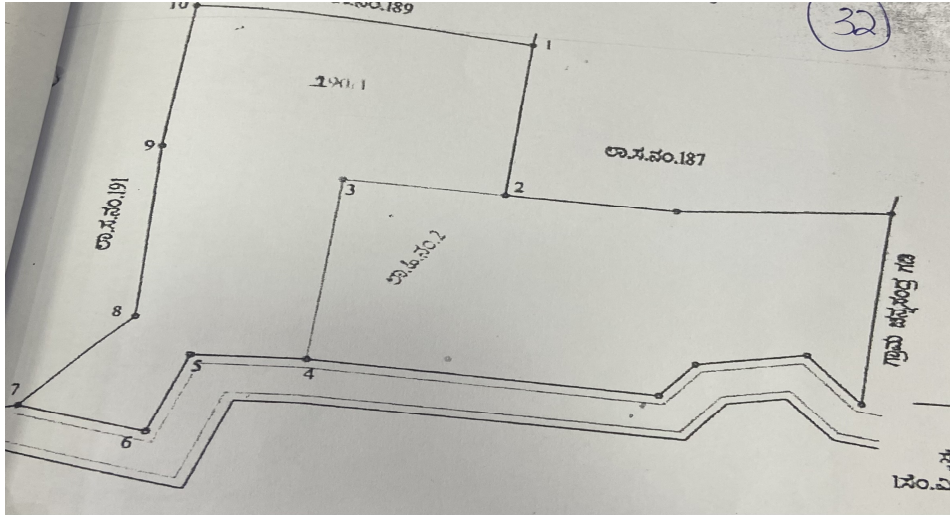
27.02.2026

(VIDEO CONFERENCING / PHYSICAL HEARING)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B M SHYAM PRASAD

ORAL ORDER

The petitioner alleges that Police Officers associated with Rajarajeshwari Nagar Police Station have supported the ninth respondent to constrain the petitioner, and because of such support, the ninth respondent has constructed a compound blocking access to the petitioner's property. Mr. B. C. Thiruvengadam, the learned Senior Counsel for the petitioner, relying upon, amongst other documents, a sketch of the subject land and photographs, asserts that the petitioner is constrained because the Police Officers have acted notwithstanding the civil nature of the dispute and the civil proceedings. The sketch and photographs read as under.



The dispute is obviously over an access to the property purchased by the petitioner from the seventh respondent, who is present. When queried, the seventh respondent submits that the ninth respondent has filed information on 17.02.2026 and a *Hoysala* is dispatched to verify and that

¹ These photographs show the police presence

other than this, there is no other intervention by the Police. This Court must observe that petitions of this nature are one too many, and this is notwithstanding specific Circulars issued which are cited before this Court day in and day out.

This Court, when it is not in dispute that the ninth respondent is the vendor under whom the petitioner claims title and that he has withdrawn an earlier suit in O.S.No.456/2026, to file another suit in O.S.No.25201/2026, the Commissioner of Police must secure all the details and after such enquiry as is deemed fit, including securing the versions of the concerned Police Officers and the Hoysala team, must file a report into this Court which dispels all doubts about Police intervention in a civil dispute.

This Court also observes that the petitioner's case is that he is being brought under duress to re-transfer the property and therefore, the ninth respondent intends upon the Police intervention. The Commissioner of Police is called upon to enquire as aforesaid and file a report into this Court by the next date of hearing. The Registry is directed to forward a copy of this order to the office of the

Commissioner of Police and also Mr. B. Ravindranath, the learned Additional Government Advocate, who is heard for the first to eighth respondents.

The office is directed to re-list this petition on **16.03.2026.**

(B M SHYAM PRASAD)
JUDGE

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