



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 25TH DAY OF MARCH, 2026

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAYANT BANERJI

AND

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH RAI K

WRIT APPEAL NO.404 OF 2020 (KLR-RES)

IN

WRIT PETITION NOS.02-05/2019 (KLR-RES)

C/W

WRIT PETITION NO.28454/2019 (KLR-RES)

BETWEEN:

THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
BY ITS TAHSILDAR
BENGALURU EAST TALUK
TALUK OFFICE, NEAR BMTC BUS STOP
KRISHNARAJAPURAM
BENGALURU-560 036

...APPELLANT

(BY SRI.I.THARANATH POOJARY, AAG A/W
SMT.PRATHIBHA.K, AGA)

AND:

1. MR.G.N.MOHAN RAJU
S/O SHRI G S N RAJU
AGED ABOUT 40 YEARS
R/AT KHAJIPALEM POST
PITTANAVARI PALLYAM,BAPATLA TALUK
GUNTUR DISTRICT, ANDHRA PRADESH-522 311
REP. BY HIS GPA HOLDER
SRI R DINESH
S/O SRI B RAMACHANDRA
AGED ABOUT 41 YEARS
R/AT NO.117-120, FIRST FLOOR
4TH BLOCK, GREEN LEAF LAYOUT
KORAMANGALA, BENGALURU-560 034
2. SMT PARIMALA S H
D/O SHRI S V HANUMANATHA GOWDA





AGED ABOUT 65 YEARS
R/AT NO.72/32, 80 FEET ROAD
4TH BLOCK, KORAMANGALA
BENGALURU-560 034

3. SHRI V VENUGOPALA REDDY
S/O V VENKATA REDDY
AGED ABOUT 84 YEARS
R/AT NO.110/2, A-3 'VARS RESIDENCY'
2ND FLOOR, NGEF LAYOUT
C V RAMAN NAGAR
BENGALURU-560 093
4. SHRI V NARSIMHA REDDY
S/O MR M RAMAKRISHNA REDDY
SINCE DEAD BY HIS LRS.
- 4(a) SMT.MAHASAMUDRAM PRAMEELAMMA
AGED ABOUT 77 YEARS
R/AT PULIKALLUR
PENUMURU, CHITTOOR
ANDHRA PRADESH-517 126.
- 4(b) SRI.MAHASAMUDRAM DAYASAGAR REDDY
AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS
R/AT PULIKALLU
PENUMURU, CHITTOOR
ANDHRA PRADESH-517 126.
- 4(c). SRI.KIRAN KUMAR MAHASAMUDRAM
AGED ABOUT 62 YEARS
R/AT NO.899, 1ST CROSS
1ST MAIN, GEETANJILI LAYOUT
BENGALURU NORTH
NEW THIPPASANDRA
BENGALURU-560 075
5. SHRI DHASARATH REDDY @ PAPIREDDY
AVALAHALLI GRAMA
BIDARHALLI HOBLI
BENGALURU EAST TALUK-560 049
6. THE SPECIAL DEPUTY COMMISSIONER -I
BENGALURU NORTH SUB DIVISION
KANDAYA BHAVAN



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KEMPEGOWDA ROAD
BENGALURU-560 001

7. SHRI G.ASHWATHREDDY
R/AT AVALAHALLI GRAMA
BIDARAHALLI HOBLI
BENGALURU EAST TALUK
BENGALURU
8. SHRI DHAMODAHARREDDY
R/AT AVALAHALLI GRAMA
BIDARAHALLI HOBLI
BENGALURU EAST TALUK
BENGALURU
9. PRABHAKAR REDDY
R/AT AVALAHALLI GRAMA
BIDARAHALLI HOBLI
BENGALURU EAST TALUK
BENGALURU

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI DHYAN CHINNAPPA, SENIOR COUNSEL FOR
SRI ARJUN RAO, ADVOCATE FOR R1-R3, R4 (a TO c), R5, R7-R9)

THIS WRIT APPEAL IS FILED UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE
KARNATAKA HIGH COURT ACT PRAYING TO (a) SET ASIDE THE
ORDER DATED 11.07.2019 PASSED BY THE LEARNED SINGLE JUDGE
IN W.P.NOS.02-05/2019 C/W W.P.NO.28454/2019 ETC.

THIS WRIT APPEAL, COMING ON FOR ORDERS, THIS DAY,
JUDGMENT WAS DELIVERED THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAYANT BANERJI
and
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH RAI K

ORAL JUDGMENT

(PER: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAYANT BANERJI)

There is a memo on record filed by the learned Additional
Government Advocate in which it is stated that the copy of the
acknowledgment for having served copy of the entire writ



appeal to respondent No.6 is produced. The acknowledgment which bears the stamp of the Deputy Commissioner Office, Bengaluru Rural District, Bengaluru of having received a copy of the statement of objections/ applications/ counter-affidavit/ memo in W.A.No.404/2020 is filed. However, there is no acknowledgment of receiving the summons of the Court. Therefore it is not known whether the Authority-respondent No.6 has knowledge of the date fixed in the instant case, which could have been done had summons been duly served after due issuance of the same on taking steps by the appellant pursuant to the order of this Court.

2. We note that despite the previous order of the Court, the appellant-State has not bothered to comply with the order. We also note that the office has recorded receipt of the memo dated 05.03.2026 and has not recorded that the appeal would stand dismissed without further reference to the Court in terms of the order dated 04.03.2026.

3. Office report is therefore contrary to the order passed by this Court on 04.03.2026 inasmuch as the appeal stood dismissed within 48 hours as no steps were taken. The



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appeal therefore stands dismissed. Interim order, if any stands vacated.

**Sd/-
(JAYANT BANERJI)
JUDGE**

**Sd/-
(RAJESH RAI K)
JUDGE**