

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU
[SHRIKANT HARIRAM DEOKAR VS. INCOME TAX OFFICER AND
OTHERS]

09.06.2026

(VIDEO CONFERENCING / PHYSICAL HEARING)

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

ORAL ORDER

Mr. Shashi Kiran Shetty, a learned Senior counsel for the petitioner, submits that the petitioner has called in question an Assessment Order [which is an *ex-parte* order] contending that the petitioner was not aware of the Notices sent or the impugned Order dated 16.12.2019 until recently. The learned Senior Counsel presents a brief question, *viz.*, whether *this Court must intervene and restore the proceedings with liberty to the petitioner to file a response to the Show Cause Notices enabling a fresh assessment.*

Mr. M Thirumalesh, a learned senior standing counsel for the respondents, is called upon to accept notice and secure instructions for disposal of the petition in the light of the afore.

The office is directed to re-list this petition on
16.06.2026 as part of **List No.3**.

(B M SHYAM PRASAD)
JUDGE

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List No.: 2 Sl No.: 4