

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU**

[NEW INDIA ASSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED VS. SMT.  
KUSUMA AND OTHERS]

12.06.2026

(VIDEO CONFERENCING / PHYSICAL HEARING)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHIVASHANKAR  
AMARANNAVAR

**ORAL ORDER on IA No.2/2026**

Heard learned counsel for the appellant.

Learned counsel for the appellant submits that accident has taken place after amendment of Act and therefore, the Tribunal has erred in ordering pay and recovery. Considering the same, pending consideration of application seeking condonation of delay, the following

ORDER

- i) IA No.2/2026 is ***allowed.***
- ii) Execution of judgment and award dated 08.12.2025 passed in MVC No.658/2023 by Senior Civil Judge and MACT, Belur is stayed subject to following conditions:

- a) The appellant shall deposit 50% of the award amount with interest within a period of 06 weeks for this.
- b) The Tribunal shall keep the said amount in fixed deposit in any nationalized bank for a period of one year with auto renewal instructions.

Issue notice on IA No.1/2026 and appeal to respondents.

List this matter on 05.10.2026.

**(SHIVASHANKAR AMARANNAVAR)**  
**JUDGE**

DSP  
List No.: 1 SI No.: 30