

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU
[MISS VIBHA BALASUBRAMANIAN VS. UNION OF INDIA AND
OTHERS]

29.06.2026
(VIDEO CONFERENCING / PHYSICAL HEARING)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURAJ GOVINDARAJ

ORAL ORDER

1. Since the relief sought for is for reading down of Section 2(1)(s) of the Surrogacy (Regulation) Act, 2021, issue notice to the Learned Attorney General. Learned Additional Solicitor General accepts notice on his behalf.
2. Ms. Sadhana Desai, learned counsel accepts notice for respondent No.1.
3. Learned AGA accepts notice for respondent No.2 and 3.
4. Considering that there is urgency in the matter in respect to the petitioner's medical condition, respondents are directed to secure instruction at the earliest and make their submission.
5. Re-list on **03.07.2026**.
6. The submission of learned counsel for the petitioner that the issue in the present matter is not the subject matter of the other batch of matters heard by another Co-ordinate Bench is placed on record.

(SURAJ GOVINDARAJ)
JUDGE