

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

[THE STATE OF KARNATAKA AND OTHERS VS. THE
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED CASTES AND
OTHERS]

24.02.2026

(VIDEO CONFERENCING / PHYSICAL HEARING)

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

ORAL ORDER

Mr. Kiran V. Ron, the learned Additional Advocate General, and Mr. D.L.N. Rao, the learned Senior Counsel for the third respondent, while inviting this Court's attention to the question that was framed on 12.02.2026, once again make the submissions on the factual matrix.

This Court is of the view that if there are recommendations by the Additional Chief Secretary after the report dated 25.11.2025, that report, the follow-up actions and the recommendations must also be placed on record for a complete adjudication.

While so permitting and stipulating that these shall be placed on record *lest* inferences be drawn otherwise, the office is directed to re-list this petition on **09.03.2026**.

(B M SHYAM PRASAD)
JUDGE