



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA, AT DHARWAD

DATED THIS THE 24TH DAY OF APRIL, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JYOTI M

WRIT PETITION NO. 100186 OF 2026 (S-KSRTC)

BETWEEN:

1. GAJANAN S/O. NARAYAN NAIK,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: MARANE HOUSE, SALEKANI, TQ: SIRSI-581 404,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
 2. CHANABASAPPA S/O. BASAVANNEPPA JAVOOR,
AGE: 63 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ARTESIAN,
R/O: "SOWKHYA" SHANTHI NAGAR, HUBLI ROAD,
TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
 3. BASANAGOUDA S/O. VEERANAGOUDA SOLABAGOUD,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
KASTURBA NAGAR, TQ: SIRSI-581 402,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
 4. MANGALDAS S/O. RAMA GUNAGA,
AGE: 63 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ASSISTANT,
R/O: SAKKALBENNA, POST: AVERSA-581 316,
TQ: ANKOLA, DIST: UTTAR KANNADA.
- GIRISH SIRSIKAR,
SINCE DECEASED BY LR.,
5. SHOBHA MOHAN BAILUR
W/O. LATE GIRISH SIRSIKAR,
AGE: 59 YEARS, OCC: HOUSE WIFE,
R/O: OPP. K.S.R.T.C. DEPOT,
TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.





6. SRIPATHI S/O. SHAMBHU HEGDE,
AGE: 68 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED SUPERVISOR,
R/O: KHB COLONY, POST: SIRSI,
TQ: SIRSI-581 334, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
7. THOMAS S/O. SALU PUOTADO,
AGE: 68 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: 118, IDOOR, POST: CHANDIA-581324,
KARWAR, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
8. MINGAL S/O. FRANCES GUDINO,
AGE: 68 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: P.O. # FATHERIBAG, NANDANGADA,
KARAWAR-581 304, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
9. H.M. SHIVANANDA SWAMY
S/O. H.M. CHANNAPPAYA,
AGE: 68 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ARTESIAN,
R/O: #1056/A, VIVEKANANDA NAGAR,
1ST CROSS, POST: CHIPPAI, TQ: SIRSI-581 401,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
10. SAJJAN S/O. CHALLA PUJARI,
AGE: 67 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED STORE KEEPER,
R/O: # M.I.G. 6, K.H.B. COLONY, HUBLI ROAD,
PO: NEW MARKET YARD, TQ: SIRSI-581 402,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
11. MAHADEVA S/O. TIMMAYYA PATAGAR,
AGE: 67 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ARTESIAN,
R/O: ABBI, URKERI KUMATA-581 332,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
12. MAHADEVAPPA S/O. RUDRAPPA SHINGANNAVAR,
AGE: 67 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: #829, NEAR SANNA MASIDI, KASTHURBA NAGAR,
N.M. YARD, TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
13. NARAYAN S/O. GOYDU PATAGAR,
AGE: 63 YEARS OCC: RETIRED ACCOUNT ASSISTANT,



R/O: GANDHI NAGAR, KALKUNI ROAD, NILEKANI,
TQ: SIRSI-581 403, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.

14. JAYARAM S/O. MADU NAIK,
AGE: 65 YEAR OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: MAKKIGADDE, HALDIPUR,
TQ: KUMAT-581 327, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
15. RAMESH S/O. SHIDRAY SUEGAONKAR,
AGE: 65 YEARS OCC: RETIRED ARTISION,
C/O: N.G. NAIK, NAIK CHAAL, NEAR K.S.R.T.C DEPOT,
TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
16. VINOD S/O. NARASIMH HONNAVAR,
AGE: 63 YEARS, OCC: RTD. ACCOUNT SUPERVISOR,
R/O: "VIMAL" 2ND CROSS, MARIKAMBA NAGAR,
TQ: SIRSI-581 401, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
17. NINGAPPA S/O. MALEYAPPA METRI,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: HUNAGUND, TQ: MUNDGOD-581 349,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
18. RAVINDRA S/O. PRABHAKAR PATHARPEKAR,
AGE: 65 YEARS,
OCC: RETIRED ASSISTANT TRAFIC MANGER,
R/O: #52, SHUBAM HANUMATTA, VANDIGE,
TQ: ANKOLA-581 357, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
19. MOHAN S/O. LAXMAN NAIK,
AGE: 65 YEARS OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: #133, NADAVAR KOPPA BARGI,
TQ: KUMATA-581 440, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
20. GANAPATI R/O: KAMU TANDEL,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED CONDUCTOR,
R/O: #684, NIRAKARAWAD ICE FACTORY CHENDIE,
KARWAR-581 324, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
21. WILSON S/O. ANTON DIAS,
AGE: 64 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ARTISION,



R/O: #552, 6TH CROSS, GANDHI NAGAR,
TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.

22. NAGESH S/O. GANAPTHI SHETTY,
AGE: 64 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: #190, PO: HUTTAR, GANESH NAGAR,
TQ: SIRSI-581401, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
23. NARAYAN S/O. RACHA JOGLEKAR,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ACCOUNT SUPERVISOR,
R/O: BAPUJI NAGAR, N.M. YARD, YALLAPUR ROAD,
TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
24. SHRIDHAR S/O. MABLU NAIK,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: #291, PO: HUBBANGERI,
TQ: KUMAT-581 351, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
25. VINAYAK S/O. SHANKAR BHAT,
AGE: 64 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: 105, ANNPURNA, AT: TALGOD, PO: URKERI,
NEAR L.P.S. TALGOD, TQ: KUMATA-581 332,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
26. GOVARDHAN S/O. RAMANNA BASARKOD,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: #1365/1149, VIVEKANANDA NAGAR, 1ST MAIN,
3RD CROS, PO: CHIPPAGI, TQ: SIRSI-581 402,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
27. SURYAKANTH S/O. TAKU DURGEKAR,
AGE: 64 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED CONDUCTOR,
R/O: #2009C/7, NEAR VIVEKANAND HIGH SCHOOL,
KODIBAG, KARAWAR-581 303, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
28. CHANDRASHEKAR S/O. RAMA NAYAK,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: SHIRGUNJI, VASARKUDRAGI, ANKOLA-581 357,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.



29. HANUMANTH S/O. KENCHAPPA MADGAONKAR,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ARTISAN,
R/O: #235 AYYAPPA NAGAR, 1ST CROSS,
HUBLI ROAD, TQ: SIRSI-581 402,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
30. HEMANTH S/O NARAYAN HANUMATHIKAR,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED STORE SUPERVISOR,
R/O: KEREGUNDI ROAD, NEHARU NAGAR,
TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
31. DEVID S/O. BASKAR FISHE,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ASST. ARTISION,
R/O: PO. #51-E GANDHI NAGAR, SIDDINABHAVI,
MANKI, BEHIND TRAINING COLLEGE,
TQ: KUMTA-581 332, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
32. BABU S/O. NARAYAN NAIK,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: PO. VANNALI, TQ: KUMATA-581 343,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
33. CHANDRASHEKAR S/O. BALA ANKOLEKAR,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ASSISTANT,
R/O: NEAR GOVT HIGH SCHOOL, KATHINKON,
SUNKERI, TQ: KARWAR-581 303,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
34. DAYANANDA S/O. GANAPATHI GUNGA,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED CONDUCTOR,
R/O: #650-E, OPP-CANARA HEALTH CARE CENTRE,
BAGGGON CROSS, PO: HERAWATTA,
TQ: KUMTA-581332, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
35. NANDABHUSHAN S/O. BHUSAN KUMARESH,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ARTISAN,
R/O: #1946B SAIKATTA ROAD, KODIBAG,
OPP. NARASHIMHA TEMPLE, KARWAR-581 302,
UTTARA KANNADA.



36. LAXMAN S/O. ISHWAR PATGAR,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: HALAKAR, HOLANAGADDE,
TQ: KUMTA-581 327, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
37. UDAY S/O. MAHABALESHWAR SHETTY,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED CONDUCTOR,
R/O: PO. BHAGONNA, TQ: KUMTA-581 343,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
38. PURUSHOTTAM S/O. TIMMANNA NAIK,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: PADUKERI, #505, HEGDE,
TQ: KUMTA-581 343, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
39. P. VENKATESH S/O. H. PERIYASWAMI,
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: #263, RAJEEV NAGAR, TQ: SIRSI-581 401,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
40. ZARINA W/O. GOUSE MAKANDAR,
AGE: 64 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ACCOUNT SUPERVISOR,
R/O: GUDDEMANE, HUBLI ROAD, TQ: SIRSI-581 402,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
41. LAKSHMISH S/O. MANJUNATH NAIK,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: "MANJULILA" SOKINAMAKKI,
PO: HEREVATTA, KALKERI-VALAGALLI,
TQ: KUMATA-581343, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
42. BASAVARAJ S/O. FAKKIRAPPA MANVI,
AGE: 63 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED SUPRAVISER,
R/O: NARAYANA GURU NAGAR, CHIPAGI,
TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
43. MANJUNATH S/O. SUBRYA NAIK,
AGE: 64 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: NILLEKANI, TQ: SIRSI-581 401,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.



44. PRAKASH S/O. BIKARO KADWAD,
AGE: 63 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED DRIVER,
R/O: CHARCH ROAD, NEAR RAYAPPA HULEKAL SCHOOL,
TQ: SIRSI-581 401, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
45. PARSHURAMA S/O. CHANDRU NAIK,
AGE: 64 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED ARTISION,
R/O: #MARATIKOPPA, PUTTANAMANE ROAD,
SIRSI MARKET, TQ: SIRSI-581 402,
DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
46. GANAPATI S/O. VENKAPPA NAIK,
AGE: 66 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: #107, MUDAKERI, KALKOD ROAD,
TQ: KUMTA-581 343, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.
47. PRAKASH S/O. PUTTAPPA MADIVAL,
AGE: 63 YEARS, OCC: RETIRED TRAFFIC CONTROLLER,
R/O: LIG 13, NEW KHB COLONY, CHIPAGI,
TQ: SIRSI-581 402, DIST: UTTARA KANNADA.

... PETITIONERS

(BY SRI. S.V. YAJI, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE MANAGING DIRECTOR,
NWKRTC, GOKUL ROAD,
HUBLI-580 023, DIST: DHARWAD.
2. THE DIVISIONAL CONTROLLER,
NWKRTC, UK DIVISION, SIRSI,
TQ: SIRSI, DIST: KARWAR-581 402.

... RESPONDENTS

(BY MS. H.R. RENUKA, ADVOCATE FOR
SRI. PRASHANT S. HOSAMANI, ADVOCATE)

THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND
227 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA, SEEKING CERTAIN
RELIEFS.



THIS WRIT PETITION IS LISTED FOR PRELIMINARY HEARING IN 'B' GROUP, THIS DAY, AN ORDER IS MADE AS UNDER:

ORAL ORDER

Sri.S.V.Yaji., counsel for the petitioners and Smt.H.R.Renuka., counsel on behalf of Sri. Prashant Hosamani, for the respondents have appeared in person.

2. Counsel for the respective parties urged several contentions. The arguments were heard and the papers perused with care.

3. Counsel appearing for the respective parties jointly submit that the issue involved in the present writ petition is squarely covered by the order passed by the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court in W.P. No.106898/2025 and connected matters, disposed of on 15.12.2025. Hence, this writ petition also requires to be disposed of in terms of the order passed in the aforesaid writ petitions.

4. The oral submission is placed on record.

5. Taking note of the said submission, the writ petition is disposed of in terms of the order passed by the Co-ordinate



Bench of this Court in W.P. No.106898/2025 and connected matters, disposed of on 15.12.2025. A mandamus is issued to the respondents-Corporation to pay interest on the delayed payment of leave encashment at 6% per annum within twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. In the event the Corporation fails to pay the said amount within twelve weeks, the petitioners shall become entitled to interest at 9% per annum from the date the payment fell due until the date of its realization.

6. With the above observations and directions, the writ petition stands ***disposed of***.

Sd/-
(JYOTI M)
JUDGE

MRP
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