



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA, AT DHARWAD

DATED THIS THE 26TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2026

**BEFORE
THE HON'BLE MRS JUSTICE K.S.HEMALEKHA**

WRIT PETITION NO.101542 OF 2026 (S-RES)

BETWEEN:

SMT. AKSHATA W/O. SIDDU MUDIYAPPANAVAR
AGE. 32 YEARS, OCC. HOUSE WIFE,
R/O. BANASHANKARI NAGAR,
TQ. RATTIHALLI, DIST. HAVERI-581116.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. JAYANT R.ITAGI, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
REP. BY ADDL. CHIEF SECRETARY,
WOMEN AND CHILD WELFARE DEPT.,
MULTI STORY BUILDING, 3RD FLOOR,
3RD GATE, BANGALORE, KARNATAKA-560001.
2. THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
DISTRICT ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLEX,
DEVAGIRI ROAD, DEVAGIRI,
DIST. HAVERI-581110.
3. DEPUTY DIRECTOR
WOMEN AND CHILD WELFARE DEPT. HAVERI,
AND MEMBER SECRETARY,
AM. KAKKA./AM.ASSISTANT
DIST. LEVEL SELECTION COMMITTEE,
HAVERI-581110, TQ. HAVERI.
4. CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROJECT OFFICER
(CDPO) AND MEMBER SECRETARY,
AM. KAKKA/ASSISTANT TALUK LEVEL
EVALUATION COMMITTEE,
HIREKERUR-581111,
TQ. HIREKERUR, DIST. HAVERI.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SMT. NANDINI B.SOMAPUR, AGA)





THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLE 226 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA PRAYING TO QUASH THE ORDER DATED 18.12.2025 BEARING NO.SHI AA YO HI KEE/AUM KAA KA/TA/AYAKE/PATTI;2025-26 PASSED BY THE RESPONDENT NO. 3 AND 4/ OF ANNEXURE A, AS ARBITRARY, ILLEGAL AND IN VIOLATION OF THE GOVT. ORDERS, CIRCULARS AND GUIDELINES, ARTICLE 14, 21 AND 311 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA IN THE INTEREST OF JUSTICE AND EQUITY; AND ETC.

THIS WRIT PETITION COMING ON FOR PRELIMINARY HEARING THIS DAY, ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: THE HON'BLE MRS JUSTICE K.S.HEMALEKHA

ORAL ORDER

1. Learned Additional Government Advocate accepts notice for respondents No.1 to 4.
2. The petitioner has approached this Court seeking the following reliefs;
 - i. *Grant writ or certiorari quashing the order dated 18.12.2025 bearing No.Shi Aa Yo Hi Kee/Aum Kaa Ka/Ta/Ayake/Patti;2025-26 passed by the respondent No. 3 and 4/ of Annexure A, as arbitrary, illegal and in violation of the govt. Orders, circulars and guidelines, article 14, 21 and 311 of the Constitution of India in the interest of justice and equity;*
 - ii. *Grant a writ of Mandamus, directions, writ or any orders to the Respondent No.1 to 4 as this Hon'ble Court deems fit in the facts and circumstances of the case as stated above, with exemplary costs in the interest of justice and equity.*



3. The grievance of the petitioner that could be seen from the records is that, pursuant to the temporary selection list dated 18.12.2025 (Annexure-A), she has submitted her objections and the final list is yet to be published.
4. Learned Additional Government Advocate appearing for the respondents-State submits that the objections filed by the petitioner would be considered before issuing of the final selection list and that the temporary list is only provisional in nature.
5. Having heard the learned counsel for the parties, and on perusal of material on record, this Court is of the view that at this stage, impugned notification is only temporary selection list. Without expressing any opinion on the merits and demerits of the case, respondents No.1 to 4 are directed to consider the objections submitted by the petitioner in



accordance with law and applicable guidelines,
before finalizing and publishing the final selection
list, if not already issued.

6. It is made clear that the temporary selection list
dated 18.12.2025 has not been quashed by this
Court and all contentions of the parties are kept
open to be urged at the appropriate stage.
7. With above observations, the writ petition stands
disposed of.

Sd/-
JUSTICE K.S.HEMALEKHA

AM/-
CT:VH
List No.: 1 Sl No.: 15