



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA, AT DHARWAD

DATED THIS THE 25TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2026

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

WRIT PETITION NO.107256 OF 2025 (EDN-RES)

BETWEEN:

NIRANJAN S/O. SHIVABASAPPA DASAMANI
R/O. KALLUMANTAPA ROAD,
BASTI ONI, HAVERI-581110.

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. NIRANJAN S.DASAMANI, PARTY-IN-PERSON)

AND:

1. THE REGISTRAR KARNATAKA STATE
LAW UNIVERSITY NAVANAGARA,
HUBBALLI-580025.
2. THE PRINCIPAL
R.T.E.S. LAW COLLEGE,
KSSIDC INDUSTRIAL AREA,
2ND STAGE, SPL-1, RANEBENNUR,
KARNATAKA-581115.
3. DISTRICT DISABLED PERSON'S
WELFARE OFFICER,
JILLA ADALITA BHAVANA,
DEVGIRI-581110,
4. BAR COUNCIL OF INDIA
21, ROUSE AVENUE INSTITUTIONAL AREA
NEAR BAR BHAWAN, NEW DHELI-110002.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI. K.L.PATIL, ADVOCATE FOR R1 AND R2;
SRI. PRAVEEN K.UPPAR, AGA FOR R3;
SRI. RAJASHEKHAR BURJI, ADVOCATE FOR R4)

THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND 227
OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA PRAYING TO DIRECT RESPONDENT
NO.1 TO IMMEDIATELY ADMIT THE PETITIONER TO 3 YEARS LLB
COURSE IN PRESENT ACADEMIC YEAR AND TO AMEND THE SEAT





MATRIX WHICH RESERVES THE NOT LESS THAN 5% OF SEATS TO SPECIALLY ABLED CANDIDATES AND ALSO DIRECT TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIP TO THE PETITIONER IN SUPPORT OF HIS HIGHER EDUCATION, IN THE INTEREST OF JUSTICE AND EQUITY.

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. The petitioner who is appearing party-in-person, has sought issuance of a writ of mandamus directing respondent No.1-University to admit him to the III year LLB Law course for the academic year 2025-2026 and to amend the seat matrix to provide not less than 5% reservation for specially abled candidates. Consequential reliefs were also sought against respondent Nos.2 and 3.
2. Learned counsel for respondent No.1 has filed a memo placing on record that the admission of the petitioner to the 1st Year of the 3 year LLB course has been approved by the university vide admission approval letter dated 24.02.2026. The said approval letter is taken on record.



3. In view of the subsequent development and approval of admission by the respondent No.1-University, the primary grievance of the petitioner does not survive for consideration.
4. However, having regard to the petitioner's disability and his entitlement under the statutory frame work governing inclusive education, it is observed that the petitioner is at liberty to submit an appropriate application to respondent No.1-university seeking assistive facilities, examination accommodation and other statutory benefits available to persons with Benchmark disabilities. If such representation is submitted, the same shall be considered in accordance with law and applicable regulations within a reasonable period.
5. With the above observations, the writ petition stands ***disposed of.***

**Sd/-
JUSTICE K.S.HEMALEKHA**

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