



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA, AT DHARWAD

DATED THIS THE 3RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE SMT. JUSTICE LALITHA KANNEGANTI

WRIT PETITION NO.110062 OF 2025 (CS-EL/M)

BETWEEN:

1. SUBHADRA W/O BABAJI KALAL
AGE: 73 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
2. SANJU S/O YALLAPPA PIMPALKAR
AGE: 41 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
3. RUKMA W/O VITTAL GOUDA
AGE: 55 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
4. JAYAVANTI W/O SAHADEV WADDAR
AGE: 55 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
5. KAMALA W/O NARAYAN DALAVI
AGE: 78 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
6. RAMADAS S/O ADAPPA MACHAK
AGE: 36 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
7. KHALID ALI S/O MABUSAB NADAF
AGE: 54 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA





8. PARASHURAM S/O APPARAO GOUDA
AGE: 51 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

9. RESHMA W/O RAMADAS MACHAK
AGE: 35 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

10. INDUBAI W/O DEMANNA GOUDA
AGE: 68 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

11. VEERABHADRA S/O ARJUN GOUDA
AGE: 36 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

12. SAMBHAJI S/O GENAPPA GOUDA
AGE: 45 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

13. SHANTARAM S/O PAKEER KANKALI
AGE: 45 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

14. GOKULA W/O MARUTI MACHAK
AGE: 34 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

15. MANJUNATH S/O SIDDAPPA MAALAVI
AGE: 38 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

16. NAGULI W/O PARASHURAM GOUDA
AGE: 67 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA



17. KRISHNA S/O PARASHURAM GOUDA
AGE: 38 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
18. RENUKA W/O MANOHAR WADDAR
AGE: 54 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
19. PARASHURAM S/O RAMACHANDRA SULAGEKAR
AGE: 36 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
20. OMAN S/O FAKEER MACHAK
AGE: 46 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
21. SHOBHA W/O MADEV MACHAK
AGE: 54 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
22. MARUTI S/O DEVENDRA GOUDA
AGE: 69 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
23. SUBHADHRA W/O NAGENDRA MACHAK
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
24. ALTAF S/O GAPUR BANKAPUR
AGE: 35 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
25. PRAVEEN S/O SHIVAJI SHINDHE
AGE: 34 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA
26. SUBHADHRA W/O ARJUN GOUDA



AGE: 64 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

27. SUSHEELA W/O MARUTI GOUDA
AGE: 63 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

28. NINGAPPA S/O KRISHNA GOUDA
AGE: 40 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

29. UMESH S/O KRISHNA GOUDA
AGE: 39 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

30. SHAKUNTALA W/O AJJAPPA GOUDA
AGE: 68 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

31. KOUSALYA W/O MAHESH PATIL
AGE: 45 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

32. DEMAKKA W/O NARAYAN GUTTANNAVAR
AGE: 60 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

33. SURESH S/O LAXMAN SOMANNAVAR
AGE: 45 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

34. MANJUNATH S/O KRISHNA CHARADKAR
AGE: 43 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

35. SAHADEV S/O AMRUT MADIWAL
AGE: 42 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE



R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

36. MARUTI S/O DASHARATH KORVEKAR
AGE: 50 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

37. ASHOK S/O KALLAPPA GOUDA
AGE: 68 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

38. RAGHAVENDRA S/O DEVENDRA MACHAK
AGE: 34 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

39. ANITA W/O HONNAYYA NAIK
AGE: 39 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

40. SHEKHAVVA W/O BHARAMANNA WADDAR
AGE: 56 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

41. GURUPRASAD S/O MARUTI SADEKAR
AGE: 30 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

42. RUKMA W/O UDAY GOUDA
AGE: 45 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

43. MAHESH S/O NARAYAN GUTTENNAVAR
AGE: 40 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

44. DEEPAK S/O BOODAPPA KHOLAMBI
AGE: 48 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL



DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

45. MANJUNATH S/O MUNIYAPPA GOUDRU
AGE: 44 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

46. DEMANNA S/O NARAYAN GOUDA
AGE: 54 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

47. RATNAVVA W/O JAYAVANT MACHAK
AGE: 65 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

48. LOKURI S/O LAXMAN SOMANNAVAR
AGE: 62 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

49. SANDEEP S/O BALAKRISHNA SADEKAR
AGE: 42 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

50. SANCHITA W/O SANTOSH SADEKAR
AGE: 45 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

51. TEJASHREE W/O SANDEEP SADEKAR
AGE: 39 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

52. RAMESH S/O PARASHURAM KORVEKAR
AGE: 54 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

53. GANAPATI S/O PARASHURAM KORVEKAR
AGE: 54 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA



54. YALLARI S/O NARAYAN SHINDHE
AGE: 55 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

55. MAHADEV S/O NARAYAN GOUDA
AGE: 58 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

56. PANDURANG S/O ESHWAR GOUDA
AGE: 57 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

57. NAMDEV S/O BASAVANT DALAVI
AGE: 56 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

58. SHIVAJI S/O IRAPPA VADDAR
AGE: 58 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

59. VASUDEV S/O BASAVANT DALAVI
AGE: 68 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

60. JAMBUVATI (PARVATI) W/O ASHOK GOUDA
AGE: 58 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

61. MALLAVVA W/O SHIVAPUTRAYYA HIEMATH
AGE: 58 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

62. LOKURI S/O MANNAPPA KORVEKAR
AGE: 58 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA



63. LAXMAN S/O MANNAPPA KORVEKAR
AGE: 55 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

64. DEVENDRA S/O MANNAPPA KORVEKAR
AGE: 52 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

65. DEEPAK S/O BABU KALAL
AGE: 56 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

66. PARVATI W/O VITTAL WADDAR
AGE: 62 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

67. SHIVAJI S/O DASHARAT KORVEKAR
AGE: 49 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

68. ADAPPA S/O VASUDEV MACHAK
AGE: 57 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

69. KHEERAPPA S/O KRISHNA JAVALEKAR
AGE: 45 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

70. PUNDALEEK S/O NARAYAN SHINDHE
AGE: 59 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

71. KRISHNA S/O GANAPATI HALLURKAR
AGE: 39 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

72. PARASHURAM S/O LAXMAN SHINDHE



AGE: 52 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

73. UDAY S/O DEMANNA GOUDA
AGE: 54 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

74. NAMDEV S/O JAYAVANT KORVEKAR
AGE: 50 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

75. SAVAKKA W/O HULIGEPPA WADDAR
AGE: 49 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

76. DANAPPA S/O PUNDALEEK KANKALI
AGE: 44 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

77. SUMA W/O DANAPPA KANKALI
AGE: 40 YEARS, OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

78. TUKARAM S/O BHIMANNA SHINDHE
AGE: 52 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURE
R/O: MURKAWAD TALUK: HALIYAL
DISTRICT: UTTARA KANNADA

...PETITIONERS

(BY SRI. SRINIVAS B.NAIK, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE STATE CO- OPERATIVE ELECTION AUTHORITY
3RD FLOOR, A BLOCK SHANTI NAGAR,
TTMC BUILDING BENGALURU – 560002
REPRESENTED BY ITS COMMISSIONER
2. THE DEPUTY REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE
SOCIETIES, UTTARA KANNADA
DISTRICT-UTTARA KANNADA



3. THE ELECTION OFFICER TALUKA LEVEL
AND BELOW DISTRICT AREA OF OPERATION OF
ALL TYPES OF PRIMARY CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIS,
AND DEPUTY REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE
SOCIETIES, UTTARA KANNADA DISTRICT
4. THE RETURNING OFFICER
SHRI SATYA PURSHA VIVIDDODESHAGALA
PRATHAMIKA GRAMEENA KRUSHI
SAHAKARA SANGHA NIYAMITA
KHURD KANCHANHALLI (K K HALLI) 581329
TALUK-HALIYALA AND DISTRICT- UTTARA KANNADA
5. SHRI SATYA PURSHA VIVIDDODESHAGALA
PRATHAMIKA GRAMEENA KRUSHI
SAHAKARA SANGHA NIYAMITA
KHURD KANCHANHALLI (K K HALLI)
TALUK HALIYAL, DISTRICT- UTTARA KANNADA-581329
REPRESENTED BY CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SMT. GIRIJA S.HIREMATH, HCGP FOR R1 TO R3;
SRI. G.V. BHARAMAGAUDAR, ADVOCATE FOR R4;
NOTICE TO R5 IS SERVED)

THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND 227 OF CONSTITUTION OF INDIA, PRAYING TO 1. ISSUE A WRIT IN THE NATURE OF MANDAMUS DIRECTING THE RESPONDENTS TO INCLUDE THE NAMES OF THE PETITIONERS IN THE FINAL ELIGIBLE BORROWERS VOTER LIST AND TO PERMIT THE PETITIONERS TO CAST THE VOTE IN THE ELECTION TO THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF THE 5TH RESPONDENT SOCIETY SCHEDULE TO BE HELD ON 28/12/2025 AS PER THE CALENDAR OF EVENTS DATED 08/12/2025 PUBLISHED BY THE 4TH RESPONDENT VIDE ANNEXURE-A BY ALLOWING THIS WRIT PETITION IN THE INTEREST OF JUSTICE. 2. TO ISSUE WRIT IN THE NATURE OF MANDAMUS DIRECTING THE 4TH RESPONDENT TO DECLARE THE ELECTION RESULTS OF THE 5TH RESPONDENT SOCIETY AFTER COMPLETION OF THE ELECTION PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.

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

CORAM: THE HON'BLE SMT. JUSTICE LALITHA KANNEGANTI



ORAL ORDER

The present writ petition is filed seeking the following prayer:

"1. Issue a writ in the nature of Mandamus directing the respondents to include the names of the Petitioners in the final eligible borrowers voter list and to permit the petitioners to Cast the vote in the election to the committee of management of the 5th respondent society schedule to be held on 28/12/2025 as per the Calendar of events dated 08/12/2025 published by the 4th respondent vide ANNEXURE-A by allowing this writ Petition in the interest of justice.

2. To issue writ in the nature of mandamus directing the 4th respondent to declare the election results of the 5th respondent society after completion of the election process in accordance with law. "

2. The learned counsel appearing for respondent No.5/Officer submits that, as per the order dated 26.12.2025 passed by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court, the petitioners have been permitted to vote and now nothing remains to be adjudicated.

3. Accordingly, the writ petition is ***disposed of*** calling upon the Returning Officer/respondent No.4 to announce the result forthwith including the votes casted by the petitioners.



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4. All pending I.As. in this writ petition shall stand closed.

**Sd/-
JUSTICE LALITHA KANNEGANTI**

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CT: UMD
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