



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA

KALABURAGI BENCH

DATED THIS THE 27TH DAY OF MARCH, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.VISHWAJITH SHETTY
WRIT PETITION NO. 201392 OF 2026 (GM-POLICE)

BETWEEN:

SHIVAKUMAR S/O NIVATRIRAO METRE,
AGE ABOUT 53 YEARS, OCC: AGRICULTURE,
R/O BELKOND (B), TQ. AURAD,
DIST. BIDAR- 585443.

...PETITIONER

(BY SMT. LAKSHMI G.E., ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE
BIDAR, DIST. BIDAR-585401.
2. THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE
BHALKI, SUB DIVISION, BHALKI,
BIDAR- 585328.
3. THE PSI KAMAL NAGAR POLICE STATION,
KAMALANGAR, DIST. BIDAR-585417.

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI SHESHADRI JAISHANKAR M., AGA)



THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND 227 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA, PRAYING TO-a) ISSUE WRIT IN NATURE OF CERTIORARI OR ANY ORDER TO SET ASIDE THE IMPUGNED NOTICE ISSUED BY THE 2ND RESPONDENT, ಸಂ:03/ರೌ.ತೆ.ನೋ/ಎಸ್.ಡಿ.ಪಿ.ಓ/ಭಾ/2026 AT ANNEXURE-B ON DATED 09.03.2026. b) ISSUE WRIT IN NATURE OF MANDAMUS OF DIRECTION OR DIRECTING THE RESPONDENT TO CONSIDER THE REPRESENTATION FILED BY THE PETITIONER VIDE ANNEXURE-C ON DATED 23.03.2026. C) ISSUE ANY OTHER ORDER DIRECTIONS AS THIS HON'BLE COURT DEEMS FIT UNDER THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CASE INCLUDING AS TO THE COST OF THIS WRIT PETITION.

THIS PETITION, COMING ON FOR ORDERS, THIS DAY, ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.VISHWAJITH SHETTY

ORAL ORDER

Petitioner is before this Court under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India seeking the following reliefs:

"a) Issue writ in nature of certiorari or any order to set aside the impugned notice issued by the 2nd respondent, ಸಂ:03/ರೌ.ತೆ.ನೋ/ಎಸ್.ಡಿ.ಪಿ.ಓ/ಭಾ/2026 at Annexure-B on dated 09.03.2026.

b) Issue writ in nature of mandamus of direction or directing the respondent to consider the representation filed by the petitioner vide Annexure-C on dated 23.03.2026.



c) Issue any other order directions as this Hon'ble Court deems fit under the facts and circumstances of the case including as to the cost of this writ petition"

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Additional Government Advocate, who is directed to take notice for respondent Nos. 1 to 3.

3. Petitioner has questioned the police notice at Annexure-B dated 09.03.2026. Perusal of the impugned notice at Annexure-B would go to show that the same is a show cause notice issued to the petitioner. Petitioner has submitted his reply to the said show cause notice on 23.03.2026 and thereafter, he has approached this Court challenging the said show cause notice.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the show cause notice is bad in law as the same has been issued without following the guidelines set out in the order passed by the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court in WP No.4504/2021.



5. If the petitioner has any grievance that the impugned show cause notice has been issued without complying the requirement of law or without following the guidelines found in the order passed by the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court in WP No.4504/2021, it is for the petitioner to bring the same to the notice of competent authority, who has issued the notice at Annexure-B.

6. Under these circumstances, I do not find any good ground to entertain this petition.

7. Accordingly, the writ petition is ***disposed of*** reserving liberty to the petitioner to file additional reply to the impugned show cause notice at Annexure-B dated 09.03.2026, putting forward all the contentions that are urged in this petition.

Sd/-
(S.VISHWAJITH SHETTY)
JUDGE

NJ
List No.: 1 Sl No.: 52/Ct:pk