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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 12TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2023

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MR. PRASANNA B. VARALE, CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.G.S. KAMAL

WRIT APPEAL No.305 OF 2023 (GM-CC)

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WRIT APPEAL No.300 OF 2023 (GM-CC) WRIT APPEAL No. 337 OF 2023 (GM-CC) WRIT APPEAL No.482 OF 2023 (GM-CC) WRIT APPEAL No.591 OF 2023 (GM-CC) WRIT APPEAL No.886 OF 2023 (GM-CC) WRIT APPEAL No.939 OF 2023 (GM-CC)

IN WA NO. 305 OF 2023

BETWEEN:

- NARENDRA BABU G.V. S/O K.V. VENKATESHAPPA AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/AT GUDIBANDE TOWN, A BLOCK HOUSING BOARD COLONY CHIKKABALLAPUR-561 209.
- 2 . YALLAPPA BAGALI S/O RAVUTAPPA AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT CHIKKABEVANUR INDI TALUK, VIJAYAPURA - 586 211.

- 3 . VANI R S W/O SUBRAMANI B G AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/A CHINNAMMA LAYOUT 1ST CROSS, CHOLANAYAKANAHALLI R T NAGAR POST HEBBALA, BENGALURU - 560 032.
- 4 . CHAITHRA A.J. W/O BASAVARAJU B N AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/A 18 HONGIRANA 17TH CROSS 17TH MAIN ROAD ANDRAHALLI BENGALURU - 560 091.
- 5 . ASHWINI S., W/O PRAKASH T T AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/A 31, NANDA GOKULA APARTMENT 1ST MAIN ROAD PALACE GUTTAHALLI BENGALURU - 560 003.
- 6. SIDDALINGESHWARA PATTANASHETTI S/O SOMALINGAPPA AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT 35, VIJAYA COLONY NAVARASAPURA VIJAYAPURA - 586 108.
- 7. BASAVARAJ HALAKI
 S/O SATAPPA
 AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS
 R/A GOTYAL, JEVOOR POST
 CHADACHAN TALUK
 VIJAYAPURA 586 204.
- 8 . NANDISH S., S/O SIDDARAMAIAH AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS

R/A JODIPURA VILLAGE BAVANAHALLI POST MALUR TQ KOLAR - 563 130.

- 9. VASEEM A S/O AMEER AHAMAD AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/A TAMARIND MERCHANT JAYANAGAR MAIN ROAD SHIKARIPURA TALUK SHIMOGHA - 577 427.
- 10 . PARVATIBAI SANGANNA BIDARI W/O MALLIKARJUNA K SAJJAN AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A TANGADAGI POST MUDEEBIHAL TALUK BIJAPURA - 586 129.
- MALLIKARJUN B RAKKASAGI S/O BASAVARAJ AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A HAVARAGI POST HUNAGUND TALUK BAGALKOTE - 587 118.
- 12 . DADAKHALANADAR DHAVANAKATTI S/O IBRAHIMSAB AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT KADUR HIREKERUR HAVERI - 581 116.
- 13 . SHRUTHI B W/O SATHISHA N AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT D.NO.9 BASAWESHWARA TEMPLE ROAD MUTTHUR VILLAGE AND POST PIRIYAPATTANA TALUK MYSORE - 571 107.

- 14 . SUMA B M W/O SHIVKUMAR H S AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A HONNEMADU VILLAGE DODDA HOBALI G MALLIGERE MANDYA - 571 416.
- 15 . SAVITA MASKANAL W/O RAJ KUMAR BANNI AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/A GANESHNAGAR, TALIKOTI MUDDEBIHALA TALUK VIJAYAPURA - 586 214.
- 16 . ANITHA R W/O PRAMOD REDDY M B AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/A MARENAHALLI HOLUR POST KOLAR - 563126.
- 17 . SHWETA PUTTANNAVAR W/O MAHAVEER SHEBANNANAVAR AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A 189A, BASTI ONI, DEVARASHIGEHALLI BELAGAVI - 591 153.
- 18 . MANJUNATH P MENEDAL S/O PARASHURAM MENEDAL AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/A 153, NEKAR COLONY ILKAL HUNAGUND TALUK BAGALKOTE DISTRICT - 587 125.
- 19 . SANTOSH MALLIGAWAD S/O HONNAPPA MALLIGAWAD AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/A GANGADHAR NAGAR SHIGLI POST, LAXMESHWARA TALUK GADAG - 582 210.

- 20 . GANGADHARAIAH K C S/O CHANDRASHEKARAIAH AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS R/A BANNIKODI POST HONNALLI TALUK DAVANAGERE - 577 516.
- 21 . RAVI MALLAPPA BEVINAGIDAD S/O MALLAPPA PANCHAPPA BEVINAGIDAD AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/A MANOLLI, PARASGAD BELAGAVI - 591 117.
- 22 . HURAN BI KHAZI D/O ALLAHUDDIN AGED ABOUT 25 YEARS R/A ISLAMPURA STREET RANEBENNUR TALUK HAVERI - 581 115.
- 23 . SAVITHA KORI D/O SOMANINGA AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/A 205, YATNAL BIJAPURA - 586 104.
- 24 . MAMATHA M I W/O MALLIKARJUNA H N AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS R/A 311, V R GOKULUM NEAR MILANA CONVENTION HALLI KANNUR HALLI MAIN ROAD HOSKOTE - 562 114.
- 25 . LEELAVATHI N., W/O SUBRAMANYA G AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/A 87, 1ST MAIN ROAD JC NAGAR MAHALAKSHMIPURAM BENGALURU - 560 086.

- 26 . RASHMI B N W/O GANESH K., AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/AT NO. 60 BELAKU 1ST FLOOR, 6TH MAIN, 6TH CROSS BAIRAVESHWARA NAGAR NAGARBHAVI MAIN ROAD BENGALURU -560 072.
- 27 . MUBEEN LALMIYA W/O IMAMASAB KILLEDAR AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/AT SIDDANABHAVI ONI NARAGUND TALUK GADAG-582 207.
- 28 . NISHA RANI D/O DIGAMBER RAO AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT HAJNAL BHALKI TALUK BIDAR DISTRICT-585 444.
- 29 . MANJULA B., W/O SANTOSH U N AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/AT MYLARPATTANA ROAD SANTHOSH NILAYA, UPPARAHALLI, NAGAMANGALA TALUK MANDYA -571 432.
- 30 . UMESH BALLUR S/O SHREESHAIL AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS R/AT INGALIGE POST MUDHOL TALUK BAGALKOTE -587 313.
- 31 . LOKESH TUKARAM BHANGER S/O TUKARAM AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/AT SAUNDATTI PARASAGAD BELGAVI-591 224.

- 32 . JAYADHEEP T PARUTAGALE S/O TUKARAM AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/AT NO. 1701, BASAVANAGAR SHEDBAI, KAGWAD CHIKKODI TALUK BELAGAVI -591 315.
- 33 . SACHIN JUNJARAWAD S/O SURESH JUNJARAWAD AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT SAUNDATTI, PARASAGAD BELAGAVI-591 126.
- 34 . AMBARISH ONTETEEN S/O IRANNA, AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS DEVARA HIPPARAGI POST SINDHAGI TALUK VIJAYAPURA-586 115.
- 35 . LAVANYA R W/O LOKESH H AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS KABBALA VILLAGE AND POST HOSADURGA TALUK CHITRADURGA-577 597.
- 36 . RENUKA HADAPAD W/O IRANNA AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/AT AB NAGARA MUNDARGI GADAG-582 118.
- 37 . CHANDRASHEKARAGOUDA KAREGOUDA S/O FHAKKIRAGOUDAR NINGANGOIUDAR AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/AT KUSAGUR, RANEBENNUR HAVERI-581208.

- 38 . RUBIYA BEGUM KOPPAL
 D/O BASHUSAB
 AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS
 R/AT MUNDARGI, GADAG-582 118.
- 39 . SUBHASGOUDA PATIL S/O LINGANAGOUDA AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS R/AT MARADUR POST HALAGI HAVERI-581 213.
- 40 . MANJUNATH ANDAVAGOL S/O APPASAHEB AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/AT POST TONASHYAL VIJAYAPURA RURAL -586 121.
- 41 . MANJULA T K W/O CHIRANJEEVE B AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT KALAMMANA GUDI BEEDI CHIKKANAYAKANAHALLI TUMKUR -572 214.
- 42 . BASAPPA KURI C/O CHUNAPPA N. SARVI AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS R/AT SHARADA NILAYA, 13TH CROSS GOKUL NAGAR, MUTAGA BELAGAVI-591 124.
- 43 . SHEETAL SAVADI SAJJAN
 S/O NAGARAJ SAVADI
 AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
 R/AT PLOT NO. 3, 1ST CROSS
 BESIDE CHAITRA APARTMENT SHRINAGAR
 DHARWAD-580 003.

...APPELLANTS

(BY SRI. V. LAKSHMINARAYANA SR. ADVOCATE FOR SMT. ANUSHA L., ADVOCATES)

AND

- 1. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA REP BY UNDER SECRETARY DEPT. OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION 2ND GATE, 6TH FLOOR M.S. BUILDING DR. AMBEDKAR ROAD BENGALURU-560 001.
- 2 . DEPARTMENT OF PERSONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT ROOM NO.245, 2ND FLOOR VIDHANA SOUDHA BENGALURU-560 001.
- 3 . CENTRALISED ADMISSION CELL SPECIAL OFFICER OPP. CAUVERY BHAVAN BENGALURU-560 002.
- 4 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPT CHIKKODI-591 232.
- 5. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI CHIKKODI-591 232.
- 6 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPT MYSORE-570 007.
- 7. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI MYSURU-570 007.

- 8. THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPT KALABURAGI-585103.
- 9. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI KALABURAGI-585 103.
- 10 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPT DAKSHINA KANNADA-575 003.
- 11 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI DAKSHINA KANNADA-575003.
- 12 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPT RAMANAGAR-562 159.
- 13 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI RAMANAGARA-562 159.
- 14 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPT BENGALURU NORTH-560 026.
- 15 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BENGALURU NORTH-560 026.
- 16 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPT BENGALURU SOUTH- 562 106.

- 17 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BENGALURU SOUTH-562 106.
- 18 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION HAVERI-581 110.
- 19 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI HAVERI-581 110.
- 20 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT SIRSI UTTAR KANNADA-581 401.
- 21 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI SIRSI-581 401.
- 22 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAICHUR-584101.
- 23 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION RAICHUR-584 101.
- 24 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BAGALKOTE-587101.
- 25 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BAGALKOTE-587 101.

- 26 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI VIJAYAPURA-586 101.
- 27 . AKSHATA CHOUGALA W/O BHARAMU P TEERTH AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT PARAMANANDAWADI POST RAIBAG TALUK BELGAVI BELAGAVI-591 311.
- 28 . PRIYANKA W/O MANJESH AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/A B R KAVAL VILLAGE HANAGODU POST AND HOBLI HUNSUR, MYSORE-571 105.
- 29 . JYOTHI A., W/O MAHESHA P. AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/AT NO.4718 NEELAKANTA NAGAR NANJANGUD MYSURU-571 301.
- 30 . RANI H N W/O NANJESHA AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A NO.307, NAGAWALA POST ILVALA HOBLI MYSURU-571 130.
- 31 . JYOTHI CHANDRASHEKHAR KARIKAL W/O VISHWANATH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A SEDAM ROAD RTO OFFICE SAI NAGAR KALABURAGI-585 105.

- 32 . CHAITRA V.Y. W/O RAGHU K.S. AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/A VADDARAHALLI VILLAGE BELAVADI POST CHIKKAMAGALURU-577 146.
- 33. GURULAKSHMI N
 W/O THIMMAPPA RAJU
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/A SADARAHALLI VILLAGE
 AKKUR POST
 CHANNAPATNA
 RAMANAGARA-562 138.
- 34 . SUNEETHA R W/O JAGADEESHA AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A DODDA YERAMGERE VILLAGE BIJJAHALLI POST KODIHALLI HOBLI KANAKAPURA TALUK.
- 35 . KALPANA BEERAPPA NAIK W/O MAHESH G NAIK AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/A VANNALLI POST KUMTA UTTARA KANNADA-581 343.
- 36 . GAYATHRI NAIK W/O SHIVARAJ SHANTAPPA NAIK AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A ARAMANEKOPPA POST KODKANI, KUMTA UTTARAKANNADA-581 440.
- 37 . NISHA W/O SATHISH AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A 5-155, THAREMAR HOUSE

DKOLAVOOR, MURTHUR VILLAGE KOLAVAR POST, MANGALORE NORTH DAKSHINA KANNADA - 574 144.

- 38 . SAVITHA HOSATTI W/O MAHESH MALI AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A POAIGALI, ATHANI, CHIKKODI - 591 248.
- 39 . PRATHIBA BEERAPPA YANKANCHI W/O MURASIDDA GAVADE AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A SHIVANUR POST, ATHANI CHIKKODI - 591232.
- 40 . RAMYARANI W/O PRABHAKAR RAJU POOJARY AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/A 1-218, SAPTHAGIRI BELAVE POST AND VILLAGE UDUPI - 576 212.
- 41 . NANDA B GOUDAR W/O MANJUNATH N GHATTI AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A 2408, SIMHASAN PLOT GAJENDRAGAD GADAG - 582 114.
- 42 . SHEEBA ANJUM W/O MOHAMMED ETHESHAM ULLA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/A 778/222 BEHIND POLICE STATION BUR ROAD, BANGARPET KOLAR - 563 114.
- 43 . ASHA S., W/O VINAYAKUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS

R/A 1/9, REDDI LINGAYATH ONI DOOPADAHALLI POST KOTTUR, VIJAYANAGAR KARNATAKA - 583 134.

PRAMILA T.,
W/O GOPALA R
AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS
R/AT# 97, SWAMIVIVEKANANDA
BADAVANE, BAHADURPURA
ANEKAL, BENGALURU - 562 106.

- 45 . PATIMA BABAKKANAVAR W/O ABDUL KHADAR R/A JILANI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT # 2579, SAVALA BAVIONI MULGUND RURAL GADAG - 582117.
- 46 . SHRUTHI W/O VEERAREDDY AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/A 92, CHINTAKUNTA POST YADGIRI - 585 214.
- 47 . LEELA HIREMATH W/O SANTOSH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A PLOT NO.2, 10-934/21/2A/2 OPP. VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE NEAR FIRE STATION MAHALAXMI LAYOUT KALABURAGI - 585 101.
- 48. SMT. RUKIYA BANU M.V. D/O MUSHTAK AHMED W/O LIYAKATH AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: No. 14/1287, JAYANAGAR JANATHA QUATRESS

DHARWAD - 580 001.

- 49. SMT. NAJAMOON MULLA D/O IBRAHIMSAB MULLA W/O SUBHANI AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: NADUVINAPETH, MANIHAL POST SUREBAN TALUK RAMANAGARA DISTRICT - 591 127.
- 50. SMT. SHAILA LAKSHMAN KABBUR D/O LAKSHMAN W/O DATTATREYA BIRAJADAR AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: PETKARCHAWL MARUTHI GALLI GATAPRABHA MALLAPURA POST GOKAK BELGAUM - 591 306.
- 51. SMT. THARA G.E., D/O ESHAWARAPPA G.S., W/O MOHAN KUMAR N., AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O CHIKKANAHALLI SIRA, TUMKURU - 572 125.
- 52. SMT. ARPITHA S., D/O SURENDRA S.K., W/O B.M. VARANESH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS No.136, HALLIKERE BALLUR MUDIGERE CHIKKAMAGALRU - 577 122.
- 53. SMT. TRIVENI M.G., D/O GIRIJA MAHESH W/O YOGESHA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS

PERMANENT R/O WARD No.02 BEHIND APMC NAIDU LAYOUT NEHRUNAGAR BELUR, HASSAN - 573 115.

- 54. SMT. NAVEEDA KHANNUM D/O ASSADULLA KHAN W/O HAYATH BASHA S., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O NEAR JAMIYA MASJID KERE BILACHI POST CHENNAGIRI, DAVANAGERE - 577 218.
- 55. SMT. VIDYA G., D/O GHANARAJ D., W/O VASU R., AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O HUNASINAKERE LAYOUT BEHIND SANTHEPETE SCHOOL HASSAN - 573 201.
- 56. SMT. SALMA JABEEN D/O NUSRATH ALI W/O RAVI M.L., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O B-1, 21, ANTHARIKSHA NAGAR MCF HOUSING COLONY HARALAHALLI HASSAN - 573 202.
- 57. SMT. SHILPA H.R., D/O RAJASHEKAR H.K., W/O SHREE HARSHA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O HEBBALE VILLAGE SOMAVARPET TALUK

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KODAGU - 571 232.

- 58. SMT. MEENAKSHI M., D/O MAYAPPA W/O SHIVARAJA K., AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.111, HOSABEEDI HINKAL, MYSURU RURAL KARNATAKA - 570 017.
- 59. SMT. SARASWATHI TIWARI D/O KESHAVA TIWARI W/O RAGHAVENDRA RAJAPUT AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.3278, 4TH CROSS SARASWATHI NAGAR GANESHPURA, HINDALAGA BELGAVI - 591 108.
- 60. SMT. NETRA P., D/O PUTTASWAMY W/O VIJAYA SHANKAR M., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.518, 18TH CROSS 4TH MAIN, VIDYARANYAPURA MYSORE - 570 008.
- 61. SMT. MADUSHREE NAIK D/O MAHABALESHWAR W/O NAGARAJ BEERAPPA NAIK AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.42/B, MIRJA KUMATA UTTARAKANNADA - 581 440.
- 62. SMT. NOORAIN SULTANA W/O KAFEEL AHMED AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O 10TH CROSS, 1ST STAGE

BEHIND QUBAMASJID RML NAGAR, SHIVAMOGGA - 577 201.

- 63. SMT. S. SHAHWAR UNNISA D/O SANULLA SHARIFF S., W/O ASLAM SAIKALGAR AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O CHENNAGIRI DAVANGERE - 577 213.
- 64. SMT. KANEEZ FATTIMA D/O GHOUSE PASHA W/O MOHAMMED I AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS PERMANENT R/O SECOND STAGE COTTON PETE MG ROAD KOLAR - 517 247.
- 65. SMT. SHAMALA A.S., D/O. SHIVANNA GOWDA K., W/O GAJENDRA L., AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.10,11 WARD 1564 GEETHASHALA ROAD VTC PEENYA DASARAHALLI BANGALORE - 560 057.
- 66. SMT. TABASSUM JHA D/O SHIVAPUTRAPPA MALGI W/O MAHALINGAPPA TALUK AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.340, NEAR POST OFFICE DOTHIHAL, KUSTAGI KOPPAL - 583 287.
- 67. SMT. GULFAM D/O PEERKHAN T.M., W/O AASIF PASHA AGED ABOUT 26 YEARS

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PERMANENT R/O TALAGUNDHA VILLAGE MEDIHALA POST KOLAR - 563 101.

68. SMT. VARSHA PATIL W/O FHAKKIR @ TRISHUL HIRAGANNAVAR AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O HIRAGANNAVAR BUILDING UNDER RAIWAY BRIDGE HAVERI - 581 110.

- 69. SMT. SMEETHA SUBEDAR D/O ASHOK W/O RAWUTH KANAKANA WADI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O HALEPET GALLI, TERADHAL RABAKAVI TALUK BANNAHATTI BAGALKOT - 587 315.
- 70. SMT. SOUMYA N.S., D/O SHEKARAPPA N.H., W/O SUDHARSHANA R.V., AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS PERMANENT R/O ULLASA NILAYA KUVEMPU NAGAR T.H. ROAD, RIPPANPET HOSANAGARA TALUK SHIVAMOGGA - 577 426.
- 71. SMT. SNEHALATHA DEVAREDDY D/O MALLANAGOUDA W/O SANTOSH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.1227, BADAVADAGI STREET WARD No.03, HUNGUND BAGALKOT - 587 118.

- 72. SMT. SWELEHA NAZNEEN D/O NAZEER AHMED W/O FAYAAZ AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O SAGARA, SHIVAMOGGA - 577 401.
- 73. SMT. SANDHYARANI B
 D/O BABU
 W/O RAMESH S.,
 AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS
 PERMANENT R/O
 10TH WARD, BEHIND JUNIOR COLLEGE
 PLD BANK ROAD
 BAGEPALLI, CHIKKABALLAPURA 561 207.
- 74. SMT. NAGARATHNA VENKANNA NAYAK D/O VENKANNA NAYAK W/O ASHWIN KUMAR AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O SAGADA GIRI, ANKOLA TALUK UTTARAKANNADA - 581 319.
- 75. SMT. JYOTHI H.N., D/O NAGARAJU W/O SHASHI KUMAR AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O CHINNADA GUDI HUNDI VILLAGE AND POST NANJANAGUD, MYSORE - 571 312.
- 76. SMT. DIVYASHREE K., D/O B. KRISHNA
 W/O ADITYA NAIRY
 AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS
 PERMANENT R/O
 3-131, HERANJE 5 SENSE 52 HEROOR
 KUNJALU POST
 UDUPI - 576 213.

- 77. SMT. VATSALA R.G., D/O LATE GANGANNA W/O NAGARAJU H.A., AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O ROPPADA PALYA SWANDENA HALLI POST TUMAKUR - 572 104. 78. SMT. SUDHARANI D/O YALAGUNDAPPA BEERADAR W/O SHRI AMARESHA AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS PERMANENT R/O JAYABHAVANI NILAYA SARASWATHI VIDYA MANDIR COTNOOR, KALABURGI - 585 102. SMT. USHA C.M., 79. D/O SHREE MALLIKARJUNAPPA W/O SANDEEP H.E., AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O CHIKKABANUR, BANUR POST SAKARAYANAPATNA HOBLI, KADUR CHIKKAMAGALURU - 577 135. 80. SMT. SHWETHA V., D/O VENKATESHAPPA V.C., W/O VENKATESH N., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O A BLOCK, NEAR KAUVERY HARDWARE SHOP NARASAPURA ROAD VEMGAL, KOLAR - 563 101. 81. SMT. LAKSHMI S.,
 - D/O SUBRAMANI W/O JAGADEESH E., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O BANNAHATTI VILLAGE TEKALE POSE, MALUR TALUK KOLAR - 563 137.

- 82. SMT. SHAILA KAKHANADAKI D/O KASHINATH KAKANADAKI W/O SHREE SHAILA M., AMBALAL AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O CHELUVANARAYANA SWAMY NILAYA RANGAPPA ROAD BANASHANKARI BANGALORE - 560 085.
- 83. SMT. SAVITHA V., D/O VENTAKESH R., W/O KOTESHWARA REDDY C., AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.07/58, R VENKATESHA NILAYA KOLAR - 563 101.
- 84. SMT. RAMYA S., D/O SURESH W/O MAHESH P., AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O KENCHAMMANA HALLI SASALA KUNTE PAVAGADA MUDUGIRI - 561 202.
- 85. SMT. SHAHANAZ A., D/O ABDUL KALEEL
 W/O SYED MAOHAMMED AKEEL HUSSAIN AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O
 No.50 PALANAJOGI HALLI
 DODDABALLAPUR
 BENGALURU - 561 203.
- 86 SMT. SANGEETHA A.N., D/O NINGEGOWDA W/O RADHAKRISHNA AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS

PERMANENT R/O AKKUR VILLAGE & POST CHENNAPATNA RAMANAGARA - 562 138.

- 87 SMT. DIVYASHREE B.J., D/O JAYARAMAIAH B., W/O CHANDRASHEKAR H.A., AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O GUBBI, TUMKUR - 572 216.
- 88. SMT. ZAIBA TARANNUM W/O MUKTHIYA BASHA PERMANENT R/O HELE MEDARKERI NEW CHAMPA BUILDING SHIKARIPURA SHIVAMOGGA - 577 427.
- 89. SMT. KALAVATHI B.M., D/O MAHADEVAIAH W/O NAGABHUSHAN AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.84, 3RD CROSS SARASWATIPURAM WAVERS COLONY NELAMANGALA BENGALURU RURAL- 562 123.
- 90. SMT. KALPANA T.G., D/O SHREE GOPALAPPA A W/O SHREE SANTHOSH N., AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/No.7322, RAMA MANDIR TEMPLE ROAD WEAVERS COLONY NELAMANGALA BANGALORE RURAL - 562 123.
- 91 SMT. SUMA B.L., W/O VIJAYAKUMAR N.D.,

AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS PERMANENT R/O BILEKAL HALLI VILLAGE UDDEBORANHALLI POST CHIKKABALLAPURA - 577 168.

92. SMT. SAVITHA
D/O SHREE SIVAPUTRAPPA MALAGI
W/O MAHALLINGAPPA TIRAKI
AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
PERMANENT R/O
No.340, NEAR POST OFFICE, DOTHIHAL
KUSTAGI, KOPPALA - 583 278.

- 93. SMT. GANGUBHAI JALAPUR D/O SHREE BASANNA W/O SHREE MAHANTESH AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O KONNUR TALIKOTE, MUDDEBIHAL VIJAPUR - 586 208.
- 94. SMT. SEEMA SORAGANVI W/O ANNA SAAB BELAGALI AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O POST SATTI, TALUK ATANI BELGAVI, CHIKKODI - 591 240.
- 95. SMT. ARCHANA B.P. D/O PUTTASWAMY W/O ROHITH K., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O No.9, ADARSH NAGAR KOLLEGALA CHAMARAJ NAGAR - 571 440.
- 96. SMT. VIJAYALAKSHMI D/O RAJKUAR W/O VISHWANATH B.,

AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O 3-113/688 NAGONDANAHALLI BENGALORE NORTH WHITE FIELD BANGALORE - 560 066.

97. SMT. JYOTHI N., W/O LOKESH N.R., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O 61 SANTHE BEEDI OPPOSITE PARIYAPPA SWAMY MATHA DOMMASANDRA ANEKAL TALUK BENGALORE SOUTH - 562 125.

- 98. SMT. BASIRA BEGUM D/O SRI. MALLIKSAB MULLA W/O SRI. JAKEER HUSSAIN AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O BALASHETTY HALLI POST KAMANATAGI HUNSAGI SHORAPUR, YADGIRI - 585 291.
- 99. SMT. RATHNA K.P., D/O PARAMESHWARAPPA W/O MAHANTHESH AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: 123/10 NARASIMHA COMPOUND 1ST MAIN ROAD T. DASARAHALLI BANGALORE - 560 057.
- 100. SMT. MALA M., D/O SRI. MALLAIAH W/O SRI. SHIVANNA AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/I 1/20 2ND MAIN ROAD MARENAHALLI

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VIJAYANAGAR BANGALORE - 560 040.

- 101. SMT. DEEKSHITHA Y.E., D/O EKAMBARACHAR W/O CHANDRASHEKAR P., AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O 60/61 NEXT TO BBMP OFFICE DEVASANDRA KRISHNARAJA PURAM BANGALORE NORTH - 560 036.
- 102. SMT. SUDHA S.R., D/O RAMA AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O DEVIPURA TEMPLE ROAD SRI. RAMA NAGARA TALAPADI POST MANGALORE - 575 023.
- 103. SMT. JYOTHI G.,
 D/O GANAPATHY ACHARYA
 W/O CHANDRASHEKARA
 AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS
 PERMANENT R/O:
 R/O YERMAL THAENKA KAAPU TALUK
 UDUPI 574 119.
- 104. SMT. SUMALATHA D/O KOTYAPPA SALIAN W/O SANTHOSH U., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O 4-23, PULLITHADI HOUSE NAARINGANA, BANTWALA DAKSHINA KANNADA - 575 018.
- 105. SMT. VIJAYALAKSHMI ARALIKATTI D/O CHANDRASHEKAR ARALIKATTI W/O JAGADEESH HANDADAKATTI AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS

PERMANENT R/O: R/O 2ND CROSS, NEAR DTC GANCHI NAGAR DHARWAD - 580 004.

- 106. SMT. JAYAPADMA DESAI D/O SANATH KUMAR DESAI W/O BRAMHA SUHAS MUTTIN AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O MARKET ROAD UPPINABELAGERI DHARWAD - 581 206.
- 107. SMT. ASHABI BHASHASAB MEERANNAVAR D/O BHASHASAB W/O MOULALI NASHIKUDI AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O KALAS POST KUNDAGOL DHARWAD - 581 107.
- 108. SMT. SUMA KRISHNAPPA SAWUKAR D/O KRISHNAPPA SAWUKAR W/O RAMESH AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O HEBSUR POST HUBLI TALUK DHARWAD DISTRICT - 581 209.
- 109. SMT. SHYAMALA D/O NARAYANA KULAL W/O SURESH KULAL AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O No.2-87, HANIGADDE MUDDUMANE POST SHIRURMANDATTI UDUPI - 576 223.

- 110. SMT. PRIYA N. KARADIN D/O SRI. NAMADEVAPPA KARADIN W/O AMRUT KARAJAGI AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O S.P. KARAJAGI HOUSE No.1/2, HDMC BELAMKAR ONI HUBBALI - 580 024.
- 111. SMT. JAYASHREE D/O RAMACHANDRA W/O SANTHOSH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O LACHINCHOLI POST ALAND TQ KALABURGI DISTRICT - 585 302.
- 112. SMT. KAVYA B.R. D/O RAVEENDRA D., W/O JYOTHISH K., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O NERTHANE HOUSE DHARMASTALA BELTANGADI TALUK DAKSHINA KANNADA - 574 216.
- 113. SMT. TAJASWINI TANVASHI D/O SIDDALINGAPPA W/O SUNIL JAGATI AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O No.5659, MALLAMMA NAGAR NEAR DURGADEVI TEMPLE MUDHOL BAGALKOT - 587 313.
- 114. SMT. ANITHA Y.V., D/O VENKATARAVANAPPA W/O MURALIDHAR H.,

AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/A VYACHAPURA HALLI GOWRIBIDANUR CHIKKABALLAPUR - 561 210.

- SMT. SAVITHRI BASAPPA GEDAGERI D/O BASAPPA W/O CHANDRASHWKAR HOSMANI AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/A No.27, BEVOOR POST YALBURGA TALUK KOPPALA - 583 237.
- 116. SMT. HARSHA KAMATE D/O BHEEMAPPA W/O SANTHOSH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: C/O G.S. SAMANI H.NO.140 NEAR J J HOSPITAL HUKKERI ROAD GHATAPRABHA GOKAK, BALAGHAVI - 591 306.
- 117. SMT. RAMYA H.M., D/O MANCHE GOWDA W/O KIRAN KUMAR R., AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O No.111, 5TH CROSS ULLAL MAIN ROAD JJ NAGAR JNANBHARATHI BANGALORE - 560 056.
- 118. SMT. SHEETHAL RAMACHANDRA NAIK D/O RAMCHANDRA NAIK W/O TIRUMALA NAIK AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O:

R/O ELUMUDI HAKLU HADEEN POST, BELAKE TQ UTTARA KANNADA - 581 320.

- 119. SMT. PRIYANKA DESAI D/O BASANGOUDA W/O MANOJ KUMAR BIDARI AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O KHANAPUR VIJAYAPURA SINDAGI BIJAPUR - 586 128.
- 120. SMT. NAYANA NAIK D/O VENKAPPA S. NAIK W/O VIDYADHARA R NAIK AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O BAAD POST KUMUTA TQ UTTARAKANNADA - 581 351.
- 121. SMT. DIVYA Y., D/O YALLAPPA POOJARI W/O HARISHCHANDRA AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O RANGANAPAL BILAKALI VILLAGE MUDIGERE TQ CHIKMAGALURU - 577 121.
- 122. SMT. SOWMYA D/O SHOBANANDA KUMAR H., W/O SHRIKANTH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O SRI. SAI KRUPA NERALAKATTE KUVETTU, DAKSHINA KANNADA - 574 224.
- 123. SMT. SULOCHANA S., D/O SANJEEVA POOJARI

W/O NAVEEN K., AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O No.2-57, NEAR CHAARMADI SCHOOL CHAARMADI, BELTANGADI DAKSHINA KANNADA - 574 228.

- 124. SMT. PARVEEN M., PATEL D/O MOULALI PATEL W/O ABDUL RAHIM BABAR M. DAKHANI AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O BADI KAMAN JM ROAD VIJAYAPURA - 586 101.
- 125. SMT. SHRUTHI BELLUNDAGI D/O KALLAPPA BELLUNDAGI W/O SHANKREPPA P. MASALI AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O KANNUR POST VIJAYAPURA TQ & DISTRICT - 586 101.
- 126. SMT. SAMEENA KOUSAR MAISTRY D/O FAQRUDDIN MAISTRY W/O MOHAMMED YASIN HAVALAGI AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O J.M. ROAD BEHIND JAMIYA MASJID PATEL GARDEN, VIJAYAPURA - 586 104.
- 127. SMT. ASHA D.M.
 D/O MANJAPPA
 W/O GOVINDARAJU S.D.,
 AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS
 PERMANENT R/O:
 R/O KUMBALLURU, HONNALI
 DAVANAGERE 577 219.
- 128. SMT. KRIPA HEGDE K., D/O RAGHU HEGDE K.,

W/O AJITH HEGDE AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O SRI. VINAYAK KRUPA KAADUBETTAMALA KAARKALA UDUPI - 574 122.

- 129. SMT. ASHWINI KEMMPANNAVAR D/O NEELAPPA W/O GURU SIDDANAGOUDA POLICE PATIL AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O HIRE MYAGERI KOPPAL - 583 236.
- 130. SMT. SHREEDEVI D/O SATHYANARAYAN BHATT W/O ANANTH K., AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O ANANTH DHAMA NEAR NET COLLEGE NITTE, KAARKALA UDUPI DISTRICT - 574 110.
- 131. SMT. SWATHI D/O NITHYANANDA SHETTY W/O DEEPAK SHETTY PERMANENT R/O: R/O ANANDA NILAYA GOLIYADI, MELMANE PADU ANJAR, HIRIYADKA POST UDUPI - 576 113.
- 132. SMT. JAYASHRI SIDARAY LANGOT D/O SIDARAY LANGOT W/O MAHANTESH METRI AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O KURUBA GALLI, ATHANI CHIKKODI - 591 304.

- 133. SMT. CHANDRKANTHI HEGDE D/O RAGHAV HEGDE W/O RANJITH HEGDE AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O HARAVATTLU HOUSE KADATALA KAARKALA UDUPI - 574 108.
- 134. SMT. SHRI. SHANKARI W/O SANDEEP PADMASALI AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O SANGABITTU VILLAGE BANTWALA TQ DAKSHINAKANNADA - 574 237.
- 135. SMT. POORNIMA D/O MANJUNATHA W/O SUBHASH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O BIJOOR BYNDDOR TQ UDUPI - 576 232.
- 136. SMT. RAJANI KUMARI M.G., W/O VINAY KUMAR L., AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: MALLAPUR VILLAGE MADEHALLI CHITRADURGA - 515 281.
- 137. SMT. SUNITHA KOLLI W/O CHANDRANATH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O KIMS QUATRESS BLOCK No.2 HOUSE No.15, VIDYANAGARA HUBBLI, DHARWAD - 580 031.

- 138. SMT. LALITHA DARGAD W/O MALLIKARJUNA AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O DEVARADDI STREET HUNGUND BAGALKOT - 587 102.
- 139. SMT. VANI S., W/O SATHISHA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O JODIMANE HAANE HALLI, BARKUR DHARMAVARA UDUPI - 576 210.
- 140. SMT. SHIVABASAMMA MADIWALAR W/O HONAKEREPPA MADIWALAR AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O HALGATTI RAMADURGA BELAGAVI - 591 123.
- 141. SMT. LATHA G.D., W/O MANJUNATHA AGE(MAJOR) PERMANENT R/O: R/O GADDEHALLI POST MAAVINAHALLI, C.S. PURA HOBLI TUMKUR - 572 213.
- 142. SMT. USHA ALAVANDI D/O NINGAPPA A.T., W/O P. DEVENDRAPPA AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O HIMALAPURA ROAD BADIGERA ONI DOOPADA HALLI VILLAGE KOTTUR VIJAYANAGARA - 583 134.

- 143. SMT. RADHIKA
 D/O SHARANEGOUDA
 W/O SHIVAKUMAR
 AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS
 PERMANENT R/O:
 R/O HINGALAGI
 HEVOORU, HILAKAL
 BAGALKOT 587 154.
- 144. SMT. YASHODAMMA N., W/O SHASHIKUMAR A., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O Y KAGGAL POST BALLARI TALUK BALLARI - 583 111.
- 145. SMT. JYOTHI ANGADI
 D/O VIRUPAXAPPA ANGADI
 W/O SHIVARUDRAPPA V. BANDIWAD
 AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS
 PERMANENT R/O:
 R/O No.795, NEAR BANNIKATTI
 RAJIV GHANDI NAGAR
 GADAG 582 101.
- 146. SMT. RAJESHWARI HIREMAT D/O MALLAYYA HIREMAT W/O PANCHAXARAYYA ARADYAMATH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O JALALPUR POST SAVANOOR TALUK HAVERI DISTRICT - 581 118.
- 147. SMT. TASKEEN KOUSAR SANADI A D/O ABDUL KAREEM SANADI W/O MAAZAHMED BELAJUMKAR AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O HASHMIN NAGAR 4TH CROSS, KWB - 6738/04

DHARWAD - 580 008.

- 148. SMT. PARVATHI NINGAPPA ANGADI D/O NINGAPPA ANGADI W/O MANUNATH HUDDAR AGED ABOUT 25 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O NELLUR POST MUSHIGERI TALUK GAJENDRAGAD, GADAG - 582 211.
- 149. SMT. JYOTI PANCHAKSHARAYYA HIREMAT D/O PANCHAKSHARAYYA HIREMAT W/O BASAYYA D . MATHAPATI AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O A.P. NARENOOR BADAMI TALUK BAGALKOT - 587 206.
- 150. SMT. BASAVVA HEMAREDDY YARAGATTI D/O HEMAREDDY YARAGATTI W/O RAGHAVENDRA V. HARLAPUR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O KONGWAD, TADAHAL NAVALGUNDH DHARWAD - 580 001.
- 151. SMT. PUSHPALATH P., W/O VIJAYAKUMAR R.K., AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O: R/O KERETONNUR POST & VILLAGE PANDAVAPURA TALUK MANDYA - 571 434.
- 152. SMT. RESHMA BAGWAN W/O IRSHAD BAGWAN AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O ITAGI COLONY

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TORAVI ROAD VIJYAPUR - 586 102.

- 153. SMT. VIJAYALAKSHMI BASAPPA BADIGER W/O MANJUNATH BADIGER AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O YADWAD ROAD HULKUND, RAMDURGA BELGAVI - 591 114.
- 154. SMT. SONIKA W/O BASAVARAJ AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O MADANIPARAGA POST ALAND TALUK KALBURGI - 585 236.
- 155. SMT. VIJAYALAKSHMI W/O KIRAN AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O ROUDAL BAND CAMP LINGASUGUR RAICHUR - 584 127.
- 156. SMT. UMADEVI W/O BHEEMASHANKAR AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O No. 11-421/16 SAMATHA COLONY BRAHMPUR KALBURGI SOUTH KALBURGI - 585 302.
- 157. SMT. VIDYA SHERUGAR D/O NAGESHSHERUGAR W/O VIJAY SERVGARA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O No.13-198/2 SANTHANAKERI GANGOLLI VILLAGE & POST

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KUNDAPUR TALUK UDUPI - 576 216.

- 158. SMT. GOURAMMA D/O SHIVABASAPPA W/O RAVISHANKAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O GUNJALLI CAMP K. HOSAHALLI POST SINDANOOR TALUK RAICHUR - 584 132.
- 159. SMT. POORNIMA GARADIMANI D/O GURUNATH W/O CHANDRASHEKAR B., AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O No.7/2, SRI. BANASHANKARI NILAYA RATHAPURPETH RAMADURGA BELAGAVI DISTRICT - 591 123.
- 160 .SMT. REKHA KURI D/O MAHANTESH KURI W/O NINGAPPA PUJARI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O BEERALIGESHWARA TEMPLE ROAD BASAVANA BAGEWADI VIJAYAPURA - 586 203.
- 161. SMT. VEENA GADDAD
 D/O VEERAPPA GADDAD
 W/O DAYANAND B.N.,
 AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS
 PERMANENT R/O
 R/O BIJAWARA POST
 MUDUGIRI TALUK
 TUMKURU 572 132.
- 162. SMT. SUNEETHA TUMBAL

D/O MALLANNA W/O SANDEEP AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O No. 1203/A MANIHAL, SUREBAN RAMADURGA TALUK BELAGAVI - 591 127.

- 163. SMT. NETRAVATHI SOMANATH SULIBHAVI D/O SOMNATH SULIBHAVI W/O VISHWANATH AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS PERMANENT R/O R/O RAMADURGA BELGAVI - 591 123.
- 164. JAYASHREE GOTYAL D/O MAHADEVAPPA GOTYAL AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT POST ATHARGA INDI VIJAYAPURA - 586 112.
- 165. GOURAVVA HAJERI S/O SHANKARSING AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT POST TONASHYAL VIJAYAPURA - 586 108.
- 166. SUNANDA BADIGER D/O MANAPPA AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT OPP UMASHANKAR KARYALAY CHANDA BAWADI ROAD SHIRIYAL SHETTI CHOCK VIJAYAPURA -586 101.
- 167. MANJULA PATIL
 D/O NETAJI
 AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS
 R/AT GOTAKHINDAKI POST
 BHANTANURA TALIKOTE
 MUDDEBIHAL
 VIJAYAPURA 586 214.

- 168. GEETA BHEEMANAGOUD BIRADAR D/O BHEEMANAGOUD BIRADAR AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT PLOT NO.16 BAGAVANTI HOSPITAL BACKSIDE BASAVANA BAGEWADI ROAD VIJAYAPURA KARNATAKA - 586 109.
- 169. POTADAR SHRUTI RAMESH
 D/O RAMESH
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/AT PATIL NAGAR AT POST CHADACHAN
 VIJAYAPURA 586 205.
- 170. DEEPIKA GONGADI D/O AJITKUMAR GONGADI AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/AT PADMA NILAYA 20TH CROSS KHB COLONY HUDCO MUDDEBIHAL VIJAYAPUR - 586 212.
- 171. JYOTI MOOLIMANI D/O BEEMANAGOUD MOOLIMANI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT BEEMANAGOUD MOOLIMANI KUDARI SALAWADAGI VIJAYAPURA - 586 208.
- 172. RAMA S. MANTHAL S/O SHIVASHARNAPPA AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT 4-120/38 DASIMAYYA COLONY KAMALAPUR KALABURGI - 585 313.
- 173. AMBIKA DO SIDDAPPA AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/AT CHITKUNTA POST NAVADGI TALUK CHINCHOLI KALBURGI - 585 324.

- 174 MADHUMATI D/O DHARMANNA AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/AT H.NO.6-1-14 REVANASIDDESHWAR COLONY ALAND KALABURGI - 585 302.
- 175. SHASHIKALA D/O SHIVANANDA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/AT H.NO.2-910/78/58 I BLOCK IT MAIN ROAD 5TH CROSS VEERANDRA PATI BADAVANE KALABURGI-585 101.
- 176. MALLAMMA D/O NAGANNA AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT NO.1/181 VEERAHADRESHWARA TEMPLE ROAD AT/OI DIGGAON CHITTAPUR KALABURGI- 585 211.
- 177. GURUBAI S/O GOVINDAPPA AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/AT VITTEM SHARAQI MOHALLA TIMMAPUR SHORAPUR TALUK YADGIR DISTRICT - 585 220.
- 178. POOJA D/O SHARANAPPA AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT PLOT NO.68 17/74 RAMAYYA LAYOUT KOTNOOR MUTH KALBURAGI- 585 102.
- 179. NIRMALA D/O SHIVARAMREDDY AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT 5/70 KODLI POST CHINCOLI VILLAGE

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KALAGI TALUK KALABURAGI - 585 312.

- 180. SHRUTI SANGANAGOUDA D/O SANGANAGOUDA AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT POST HADANOOR HADANOOR SHORAPUR YADGIRI - 585 216.
- 181. BHOODEVI D/O VEERBHADRAPPA AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT HOUSE No.5-5-113/4 SHIVANAGRA STATION YADGIRI - 585 202.
- 182 SUNITA MAHANANDA D/O NARASAREDDY AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT WARD No. RADDERONI KANAKAGIRI GANGAVATHI KOPPAL - 583 283.
- 183. VANI D., D/O THIPPANNA AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/AT No.1-37 32ND WARD AGASARA ONI HOSPETE VIJAYANAGAR - 583 201.
- 184. NETRAVATI D/O NEELAPPA AGED ABOUT 25 YEARS R/AT DOOR No.L12 SHINTRA HATTI KOPPAL -583 231.
- 185. KUSUMA D/O VENKATESH KARADAKAL AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/AT WARD No.1 HULIHYDER TALUK

GANGAVATHI TALUK KOPPAL DISTRICT - 583 283.

- 186. SUNITA BASETEPPA D/O BASETAPPA KUMBLAVATI AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS D.NO.115 GIRIJA NILAYA AMARVATHI HOSPET VIJAYANAGAR - 583 201.
- 187. NAGEENA BANU D/O MAHABUBALI AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT CHANNAVIRESHWARA NAGAR AKKI ALUR HANAGAL TALUK HAVERI - 581 102.
- 188. TALAT KHANUM PATHAN S/O KAMAL KHAN AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT 40, 2ND CROSS MANTUR ROAD, BYALI PLOT HUBLI HUBLI CITY, DHARWAD - 580 020.
- 189. ANITHA SHIVALINGAPPA D/O SHIVALINGAPPA AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT YAMMIGANUR POST KACHAVI HIREKERUR HIREKERUR HAVERI - 581 120.
- 190. SUNITA Y. HIREKURUBAR D/O YAMANAPPA AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT SECTOR No.8 PLOT No.70B NAVANAGAR BAGALKOTE - 587 102.
- 191. AKSHATA D/O MANJUNATHA AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/AT No.32, SHIVAMOGGA ROAD

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IST WARD HOSANAGAR SHIVAMOGGA - 577 418.

- 192. MAHADEVI BANNIMARAD D/O KARIYAPPA AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT PO VENKATAAPUR MUNDARAGI TALUK GADAG - 582 113.
- 193. KAVYA MANJUNATH NAIK D/O MANJUNATH MURKUNDI NAIK AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/AT No.490/1 SHADHIHITTAL VILLAGE KUMTA TALUK, UTTARA KANNADA - 581 343.
- 194. ROOPA D/O GURUVA POOJARY AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT No.1/55, HARADI SALIKERI BRAHAMAVARA UDUPI - 576 213.
- 195. SAVITHA D/O THUKAAMA SHETTY AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT 1-43 NEAR MARIGUDI KOWDOOR BILURU POST KARKALA UDUPI - 574 102.
- 196. DEEPA B.P. D/O PARASHURAMA AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/AT No.63 AISHWARYA GOLDEN NEST LAYOUT (NORTH BLOCKS) KOPPA GATE ANEKAL BENGALURU SOUTH 460 105.
- 197. LAKSHIMI V., D/O VIJAYAKUMAR K., AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT 414, MAIN ROAD

THORAVANDA AGASANHALLI ANAVATTI SORAB SHIVMOGGA -577 413.

- 198. MYTHRI E.S., D/O SOME GOWDA AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT SINGANAHALLI VILLAGE JAINAHALLI POST AKKIHEBBAL HOBLI K.R. PETE, MANDYA - 571 605.
- 199. VIDYAVTI YALABURGI D/O GANGADHAR YALABURGI AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/AT No.25, JAYASHREE COLONY BAGALAKOTE - 587 112.
- 200. POORNIMA D/O SOMANNA AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/AT NEAR ALEMANE MALLAPURA ALUR POST CHAMARAJA NAGAR - 571 117.
- 201. RESHMA G. BAGAWAN D/O GIDDUSAB BAGAWAN AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT 1541 HIREMANI LAYOUT AT POST GAJENDRAGAD GAJENDRAGAD TALUK GADAG - 582 114.
- 202. ARSHIYA TABASSUM C.A. D/O SAYED AHAMED S., AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT No.9/320 KARINANJANAPURA ROAD MUBARAK MOHALLA CHAMARAJA NAGAR - 571 313.
- 203. RASHIDA BEGUM PINJAR D/O MALIKSA PINJAR

AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT K.M. HUNDI VILLAGE KADAKOLA POST JAYAPURA HOBLI MYSURU TALUK & DISTRICT - 571 311.

- 204. RANJITHA G.B., D/O BASAVARAJAPPA G.S., AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT BEDARASHIVANAKERE VILLAGE BASAVASHIVANAKERE POST CHITRADURGA - 577 541.
- 205. MAMATHA K., D/O LATE KHANDOBARAO AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/AT No.139, 3RD MAIN 11TH CROSS, ALANAHALLY LAYOUT MYSORE - 570 028.
- 206. ARPITHA G.R., D/O RAGHUNATHA G.H., AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT MEERASABIHALLI CHALLAKERE CHITRADURGA - 577 522.

...RESPONDENTS

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SRI. K. ANANDA, ADVOCATE FOR R3; SRI. K.N. PHANINDRA, SR. ADVOCATE A/W SMT. LATHA S. SHETTY, ADVOCATE FOR R27 TO 47; SRI. VIJAYA SIMHA REDDY D.V. ADVOCATE FOR R48 TO 163 SRI. DILIP KUMAR, ADVOCATE FOR R164 TO 207

THIS WRIT APPEAL IS FILED UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE KARNATAKA HIGH COURT ACT PRAYING TO SET ASIDE THE ORDER OF THE LEARNED SINGLE JUDGE DATED:30.01.2023 PASSED IN WRIT PETITION.NO.23752/2022 (ANNEXURE -A) AND DISMISS THE WRIT PETITION AND CONSEQUENTLY DIRECT THE RESPONDENTS TO IMPLEMENT FROM THE STAGE OF PROVISIONAL LIST DATED:18.11.2022 (ANNEXURE -A TO A18 IN WRIT PETITION No.23752/2022) IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW STRICTLY AS PER THE NOTIFICATION.

IN WA. NO.300 OF 2023

BETWEEN:

- SMT. BHARATHI PATIL W/O RAMESH CHINCHAGADI AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/AT ARAKURAHATTI NAVAGUNDA TALUK DHARWAD - 582 03.
- 2 . SRI. BALAPPA BANAJIGER S/O SHIVAPPA BANAJEEGER AGED ABOUT 41 YEARS R/AT SATHI, ATHANI TALUK BELAGAVI-591240.
- SMT. DIVYA M.K. D/O KRISHNA G. AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT MALLAPAN HALLI HOLLENARASIPURA HASSAN-573211.

- SMT. PARAVEEN BEGUM D. HANAMASAGAR D/O DADEPEER AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/AT WARD NO.1 NEAR KANTI CIRCLE ILAKAL TALUK BAGALKOTE-587 125.
- 5. SMT. REKHA D.K. W/O HARISH .L AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/AT MAYALLARA LINGESHWARA NILAYA WARD NO.1, DON BOSCO SCHOOL D.M. PALYA, SHIRA GATE TUMAKURU-572 106.
- 6. SRI. BASAVARAJ N. SIDARADDI S/O NEELAKANTARAYA AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/AT SASANURU TALIKOTE TALUK VIJAYAPURA-586 216.
- 7. SMT. SHAILA BIRADAR
 W/O BAPU GOWDA NAGAPPA CHICHOLI AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS
 R/AT VADAVADAGI
 BASAVANA BAGEVADI TALUK
 VIJAYAPURA - 586216.
- 8 . SMT. PUSHPA KAMATAGI W/O JAMPANNA AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/AT WARD No.11 MAIN ROAD, KAMATAGI HUNAGUNDA BAGALKOTE - 587120.

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- 9. SMT. ANITHA VASANADA
 D/O HANUMANTH VASANADA
 AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS
 R/AT KHAJJINDONI TALUK
 KALADAGI
 BAGALAKOTE 587 204.
- 10 . SMT. LALITHA CHOWDARY W/O B.B. MAKANAPUR AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT OTIHAL SINDAGI VIJAYAPURA - 586115.
- 11 . SMT. RADHA B.S. W/O MANU B. AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/AT No.48, BEGUR AJJAMPURA, TARIKERI CHIKKAMAGALURU KARNATAKA - 577550.
- 12 . SMT. SHOBHA N. W/O RAMESH AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/AT No. 7/2, NEW No.8 1ST CROSS, KARAGAPPA GARDEN MISSION ROAD, BENGALURU SOUTH BENGALURU KARNATAKA - 560027.
- 13 . SRI. KUMAR ASUTI S/O SRI BASAVARAJA AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT MADALAGERI TALUK - RON DISTRICT GADAG - 582209.
- 14 . SRI. SANTHOSH KUMAR B. BELLAVATHI S/O BASAVANTHAPPA AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/AT KANCHINGALURUL

HANGAL TALUK-581101 HAVERI DISTRICT.

...APPELLANTS

(BY SRI. VISHWANATHA SHETTY V., ADVOCATE)

AND:

- 1. STATE OF KARNATAKA REP BY UNDER SECRETARY DEPARTMENT OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION 2ND GATE 6TH FLOOR M.S. BUILDING DR AMBEDKAR VEEDHI BANGALORE - 560 001.
- 2 . DEPARTMENT OF PERSONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT ROOM NO. 245, 2ND FLOOR VIDHANA SOUDHA BANGALORE - 560 001.
- 3 . CENTRALISED ADMISSION CELL SPECIAL OFFICER OPP CAUVERY BHAVAN BANGALORE - 560 002.
- 4 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT CHIKKODI CHIKKODI DISTRICT - 591 232.
- 5. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI CHIKKODI - 591232.
- 6 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES

WELFARE DEPARTMENT MYSROE MYSORE DISTRICT - 570 007.

- 7. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDBI MYSORE - 570007.
- 8 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT KALABURGI KALBURGAI DISTRICT - 585 103.
- 9. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI KALBURAGI - 585 103.
- 10 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT DAKSHINA KANNADA DAKSHINA KANNADA DISTIRCT - 575 003.
- 11 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI, DAKHSINA KANNADA - 575 003.
- 12 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAMANAGAR RAMANAGAR - 562 159.

- 13 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI RAMANAGARA – 562 159.
- 14 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BANGALORE NORTH BANGALORE NORTH - 560026.
- 15 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BANGALORE NORTH - 560026.
- 16 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BANGALORE SOUTH BANGALORE SOUTH - 562106.
- 17 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT OF PUBIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BANGALORE SOUTH-562106.
- 18 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF HAVERI HAVERI-581110.
- 19. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION(ADM) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI HAVERI-581110.

- 20 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT SIRSI SIRSI UTTAR KANNADA-581401.
- 21 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION(ADM) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI SIRSI-581 401.
- 22 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT-RAICHUR RAICHUR-584 101.
- 23 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI RAICHUR-584 101.
- 24 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT-BAGALAKOTE BAGALAKOTE-587 101.
- 25 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BAGALAKOTE-587 101.
- 26 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCITON OFFICE OF DDPI VIJAYAPURA-586 101.
- 27 . AKSHATA CHOUGALA W/O BHARAMU P TEERTH

AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/A 1 POST, PARAMANDAWADI TALUK RAIBAG DISTRICT BELAGAVI-591 311.

- 28 . PRIYANKA W/O MANJESH AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/AT B.R. KAVAL VILLAGE HANAGODU POST AND HOBLI HUNSURU, MYSORE-571105.
- 29 . JYOTHI A W/O MAHESH P AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/A NO.4718, NEELAKANTA NAGAR NANJANGUD, MYSURU-571301.
- 30 . RANI H N W/O NANJESHA AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A NO.307, HUYILALU VILLAGE NAGAWALA POST, ILVALA HOBLI MYSORE-571130.
- 31 . JYOTHI CHANDRASHEKAR KARIKAL W/O VISHWANATH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT SEDAM ROAD RTO OFFICE, SAI NAGAR KALBURGI 585105.
- 32 . CHAITHRA V Y W/O RAGHU K S AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT VADDARAHALLI VILLAGE BEDAVADI POST CHIKKAMANGALURU TALUK CHIKKAMANGALURU 577146.

- 33. GURULAKSHMI N., W/O THIMMAPPARAJU
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/AT SADARAHALLI VILLAGE
 AKKUR POST CHANNAPATANA
 RAMANAGARA – 562 138.
- 34 . SUNEETHA R
 W/O JAGADEESHA
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/AT DODDA YERAMGERE VILLAGE
 BIJJAHALLI POST
 KODIHALLI HOBLI
 KANAKAPURA TALUK 562 117.
- 35 . KALPANA BEERAPPA NAIK W/O MAHESH G NAIK AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT VANNALLI POST KUMTA UTTARA KANNADA – 581 343.
- 36 . GAYATHRI NAIK
 W/O SHIVARAJ SHANTAPPA NAIK
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/AT ARAMANEKOPPA POST
 KODKANI KUMTA
 UTTARA KANNADA 581 440.
- 37. NISHA
 W/O SATHISH
 AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS
 R/AT 5-155 THAREMAR HOUSE
 DKOLAVOOR MURHTUR VILALGE
 KOLAVAR POST
 MANGALORE NORTH
 DAKSHINA KANNADA 574 144.
- 38 . SAVITHA HOSATTI W/O MAHESH MALI AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT POAIGALI ATHANI

CHIKKODI – 591 248.

- 39 . PRATHIBA BEERAPPA YANKANCHI W/O MURASIDDA GAVADE AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT POST SHIVANUR ATHANI CHIKKODI-591 232.
- 40 . RAMYARANI W/O PRABHAKAR RAJU POOJARY AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT 1-218, SAPTHAGIRI BELAVE POST AND VILLAGE UDUPI-576 212.
- 41 . NANDA B GOUDAR W/O MANJUNATH N GHATI AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT HOUSE NO.2408 SIMHASAN PLOT GAJENDRAGAD GAJENDRAGAD GADAG-583 114.
- 42 . SHEEBA ANJUM
 W/O MOHAMED ETHESHAM ULLA
 AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS
 R/AT NO.778/222 BEHIND POLICE SATION
 BUR ROAD, BANGARPET
 BANGARPET
 KOLAR-563 114.
- 43 . ASHA S W/O VINAYAKUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT 1/9 REDDI LINGAYATH ONI DOOPADAHALLI POST KOTTUR, VAJAYANAGAR KARNATAKA - 583134.
- 44 . PRAMILA T W/O GOPALA R AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS

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R/AT NO.97 SWAMIVIVEKANANDA BADAVANE BAHADURPURA, ANEKAL BENGALURU-562106.

- 45 . PATIMA BABAKKANAVAR W/O ABDULKHADARJILANI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT 2579 SAVALABAVIONI MULGUND RURAL MULGUND GADAG – 582 117.
- 46 . SHRUTI W/O VEERAREDDY AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS RESIDING AT H.NO.92 POST CHINTAKUNTA YADGIR DISTRICT YADAGIRI – 585 214.
- 47 . LEELA HIREMATH W/O SANTOSH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS RESIDING AT PLOT NO.2 H.NO.10-934/21/2A/2 OPP. VIVEKANAND COLLEGE NEAR FIRE STATION MAHALAXMI LAYOUT KABURAGI – 585 101.

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SMT. LATHA S. SHETTY, ADVOCATE FOR C/R-34.)

THIS WRIT APPEAL IS FILED UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE KARNATAKA HIGH COURT ACT PRAYING TO CALL FOR THE ENTIRE RECORDS ON THE FILE OF THE HON'BLE SINGLE JUDGE IN WRIT PETITION NO.23752 OF 2022 AND BE PLEASED TO SET ASIDE THE ORDER DATED 30.01.2023 PASSED BY THE HON'BLE SINGLE JUDGE IN WRIT PETITION NO.23752 OF 2022 BY ALLOWING THE ABOVE APPEAL ON MERITS.

IN WA NO.337 OF 2023 BETWEEN:

- GANESHA PRASAD K., S/O LATE DEVADASA NAYAK AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/AT KODI HOUSE KUDI-82, KODIBETTU UDUPI - 576113.
- 2 . HALAPPA MANTUR S/O YALLAPPA AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A POST JAGANUR TQ-CHIKKODI DISTRICT-BELAGAVI-591305.
- 3 . PAWAN KUMAR N G S/O GANGADHARA N B AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS R/A NO.9, SANGAMA NILAYA GOWTHAMA BUDHA ROAD OPP.CANARA BANK CHOWKAHALLY KRISHNARAJANAGR MYSORE-571602.
- 4. RAMYA.B.S.
 W/O SANTOSH NAYAK
 AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS
 R/AT NO.75
 NEAR POST OFFICE
 AT AND POST VASAR KUDRIGE
 TQ ANKOLA
 UTTAA KANNADA DISTRICT-581 357.

- 5 . MALATHI S/O GOPALA MOOLYA AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS R/AT NO.3-103 KOKALA HOUSE MANCHI, BANTWAL DAKSHINA KANNADA DISTRICT-574 323.
- 6 . ASHWITHA.S W/O ABHIJITH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT NO.2-306 (1) SHREE DEVIKRIPA VARAKABE KUVETTU BELTHANGADY TALUK DAKSHINA KANNADA DISTRICT-574 224.
- 7 . MAHESHWARI H.M. D/O MAHADEVAPPA M AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT AJANTHA PARADISE D-10, 3RD CROSS CHOWDESHWARI LAYOUT MARATHAHALLI BENGALURU-560 037.
- 8 . MADHUSHREE M W/O VASANTHA KUMAR AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT NO.11-156 SHIVA SADANA PALLADKA KOILA VILLAGE, K.C.FARM POST KADABA TALUK DAKSHINA KANNADA -574 241.
- 9. SHOBHA H.S.
 W/O RAVI M.B
 AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS
 R/AT NO.66/113
 6TH CROSS, 8TH MAIN
 JNANJYOTHI NAGARA

NEAR SVK KALYANA MANTAPA MALLATHAHALLI BENGALURU SOUTH BENGALURU-560 056.

- 10 . CHETHANA N D/O NAGESHAPPA N.S. AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT HIREHARAKA VILLAGE GOWTHAMAPURA POST SAGARA, SHIVAMOGGA-577 412.
- 11 . SOWMYA D/O L. JAGANNATH SHETTY AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS GURUKRUPA HOUSE KAROLGUDDE, JODUKATTE MIJAR POST AND VILLAGE DAKSHINA KANNADA-574107.
- 12 . SWAPNA MAHADEV NAIK W/O VIKESH VINOBA NAIK AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS NEAR SHANKAR NARAYAN TEMPLE LAXMESHWAR ANKOLA-581 314.
- 13 . ASHWINI MAHADEV NAIK D/O MAHADEV NAIK AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/AT SHEDIKULI POST BABRUWADA TALUK ANKOLA UTTARA KANNADA DISTRICT-581 314.
- 14 . HARINAKSHI D/O NARAYANA W/O B.RAJESH AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/AT NATTIBAIL HOUSE UPPINANGADY PUTTUR TALUK DAKSHINA KANNADA DISTRICT-574 241.

- 15 . JYOTI UMESH NAIK D/O UMESH NAIK AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/AT MARKANDESHWAR BAILUR BHATKAL UTTARA KANNADA DISTRICT -581350.
- 16 . MAMATHA KUMARI D/O THIMMAPPA POOJARY V AGED ABOUT 44 YEARS R/AT NO. 2-157,/2, "SAMYAK" 6TH CROSS, JAYANTHI NAGAR KUKKUNDOOR KARKALA UDUPI -574104.
- 17 . VINOD RAMESH NAYAK S/O RAMESH P NAYAK AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS R/AT KANAGIL PO HINCHAKAD TQ ANKOLA DIST UTTARA KANNADA -581353.
- 18. REENA GOPALKRISHNA NAYAK D/O GOPALAKRISHNA NAYAK W/O VENKATESH HAMMANNA NAYAK AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT NO. 42, NEAR MARUTHI TEMPLE VTC BELEKERI, PO BELEKERI ANKOLA TALUK UTTARA KANNADA DISTRICT-581321.
- 19. SUDHARANI KARANI D/O DEVANANDA AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT H NO. 1-11-46/54 RANAPRATAP SINGH COLONY RAMPUR ROAD RAICHUR-584101.
- 20 . RESHMA KUMARI D/O SUNDARA BANGERA

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AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS RESIDING AT NO 1-180 HALEGETU HOUSE NAVOOR BANTWAL DK DISTRICT - 574211.

- 21 . NOOR ARSHIYA S/O SIDDIQ PASHA AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS RESIDING AT KOLATHURU VILLAGE YELDURU POST SRINIVASAPURA TALUK KOLAR DISTRICT – 563 138.
- 22 . PADMAVATHI AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS D/O RAMA RESIDING AT C /O GANGA POOJARI MATHOSHREE KRISHNA NILAYA DODDAMANE HOUSE UPPUNDA BYNDOOR UDUPI – 576 232.
- 23 . SMITHA A W/O BHASKARA SHETTY D/O GOPALA SHETTY AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS RESIDING AT 2-162 ARPINI GUTHU HOUSE, KANYANA POST AND VILLAGE BANTWAL TALUK D K DISTRICT – 574 279.
- 24 . RANI KAPATAKAR D/O SEETARAM KAPATAKAR W/O VINESH KRISHNA ALORE AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS RESIDING AT NO 337A KOLHAR BASAVANA BAGEWADI VIJAYAPURA – 586 210.

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25 . MAHADEVI D/O YAMANAPPA W/O YAMANURAPPA AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS RESIDING AT SINGANAHAL KARATAGI GANGAVATHI KOPPALA- 583 282.

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AND:

- THE STATE OF KARNATAKA REP. BY UNDER SECRETARY DEPT. OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION 2ND GATE, 6TH FLOOR M.S.BUILDING, DR. AMBEDKAR VEEDHI BENGALURU - 560001.
- 2 . DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT ROOM NO.245, 2ND FLOOR VIDHANA SOUDHA BANGALORE - 560001.
- 3 . CENTRALIZED ADMISSION CELL SPECIAL OFFICER OPP. CAUVERY BHAVAN BENGALURU - 560002.
- 4 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT CHIKKODI CHIKKODI DISTRICT – 591201.
- 5. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADMN) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI

CHIKKODI – 591201.

- 6 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF MYSORE MYSORE DISTRICT – 570007.
- 7. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADMN) DEPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI MYSORE - 570007.
- 8 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT, KALABURAGI KALABURAGI DISTRICT - 585103.
- 9. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADMN) DEPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI KALABURAGI - 585103.
- 10 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT DAKSHINA KANNADA DAKSHINA KANNADA DISTRICT – 575 003.
- 11 . THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADMN) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICER OF DDPI DAKSHINA KANNADA – 575 003.
- 12 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAMANAGAR RAMANAGAR – 562 159.

- 13 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADMN) DEPT OB PUBLIC INSTUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI RAMANAGAR – 562 159.
- 14 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BANGALORE NORTH BANGALORE NORTH – 560 026.
- 15 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADMN) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI BANGALORE NORTH – 560 026.
- 16 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BANGALORE SOUTH BANGALORE SOUTH – 562 106.
- 17 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTURCITON (ADMN) DEPT OF PUBLIC INTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI BANGALORE SOUTH – 562 106.
- 18 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT HAVERI HAVERI – 581 110.
- 19 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADMN) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI, HAVERI – 581 110.
- 20 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT

SIRSI, UTTARA KANNADA - 581 401.

- 21 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADMN) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI, SIRSI – 581401.
- 22 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAICHUR, RAICHUR 584101.
- 23 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION(ADMN) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI RAICHUR – 584101.
- 24 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BAGALKOTE, BAGALKOTE - 587101.
- 25 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION(ADMN) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BAGALAKOTE – 587101.
- 26 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION(ADMN) DEPT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI VIJAYAPURA – 586 101.
- 27 . AKSHATHA CHOUGALA W/O BHARAMU P TEERTH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS RESIDING AT 1 POST PARAMANANDAWADI TQ RAIBAG DIST BELAGAVI BELAGAVI – 591 311.

- 28 . PRIYANKA W/O MANJESH AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT B R KAVAL VILLAGE HANAGODU POST AND HOBLI HUNSUR, MYSORE 571105.
- 29 . JYOTHI A W/O MAHESHA P AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/AT NO 4718, NEELAKANTA NAGAR NANJANGUD.
- 30 . RANI H N W/O NANJESHA AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS, R/AT NO 307, HUYILALU VILLAGE NAGAWALA POST, ILAVALA HOBLI MYSORE 571130.
- 31 . JYOTI CHANDRASHEKHAR KARIKAL W/O VISHWANATH AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT SEDAM ROAD RTO OFFICE, SAI NAGAR KALABURGI - 585105.
- 32 . CHITRA V Y W/O RAGHU K S AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT VADDARAHALLI VILLAGE BELAVADI POST CHIKMAGALURU TALUK CHIKKAMAGALURU – 577 146.
- 33. GURULAKSHMI N
 W/O THIMMAPPARAJU
 AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS
 R/AT SADARAHALLI VILLAGE
 AKKUR POST, CHANNAPATNA
 RAMANAGARA 562 138.

- 34 . SUNEETHA R W/O JAGADEESHA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/AT DODDA YERAMGERE VILLAGE BIJJAHALLI POST KODIHALLI HOBLI KANAKAPURA TALUK.
- 35 . KALPANA BEERAPPA NAIK W/O MAHESH G NAIK AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT VANNALLI POST, KUMTA UTTARA KANNADA 581343.
- 36 . GAYATRI NAIK
 W/O SHIVARAJ SHANTAPPA NAIK
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/AT ARAMANEKOPPA
 POST KODKANI, KUMTA
 UTTARA KANNADA 581 440.
- 37 . NISHA W/O SATHISH, AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS, R/AT 5-155, THAREMAR HOUSE, KOLAVOOR, MUTHURU VILLAGE, KOLAVOOR POST, MANGALORE NORTH, DAKSHINA KANNADA - 574 144.
- 38 . SAVITA HOSATTI W/O MAHESH MALI, AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS, R/AT POAIGALI, ATHANI, CHIKKODI - 591248.
- 39 . PRATIBHA BEERAPPA YANKANCHI W/O MURASIDDA GAVADE, AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS, R/AT POST SHIVANUR, ATHANI, CHIKKODI -591232.

- 40 . RAMYARANI W/O PRABHAKAR RAJU POOJARY AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A 1-218, SAPTHAGIRI BELVE POST AND VILLAGE UDUPI-576212.
- 41 . NANDA B GOUDAR W/O MANJUNATH N GHATTI AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A HOUSE NO.2408 SIMHASAN PLOT GAJENDRAGAD GAJENDRAGAD GADAG-582114.
- 42 . SHEEBA ANJUM W/O MOHAMED ETHESHAM ULLA AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS R/A 7782, BEHIND POLICE STATION BUR ROAD, BANGARPET KOLARA-563 114.
- 43 . ASHA S W/O VINAYAKUMAR AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A 1/9, REDDY LINGAYATH ONI DOOPADAHALI OPST KOTTURU, VIJAYANAGAR KARNATAKA-583 134.
- 44 . PRAMILA T W/O GOPALA R AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS R/A NO.97, SWAMIVIVEKANANDA BADAVANE BAHADURPURA, ANEKAL BENGALURU-562106.
- 45 . PATIMA BABAKKANAVAR W/O ABDULKHADARJILANI AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/A NO.2579

SAVALABAVIONI MULGUND RURAL, MULGUND GADAG-582117.

- 46 . SHRUTI W/O VEERAREDY AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/A H.NO.92, POST CHINTAKUNTA YADGIR DISTRICT YADAGIRI-585 214.
- 47 . LEELA HIREMATH W/O SANTHOSH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A PLOT NO.2, H.NO.10-934/21/2A/2 OPP.VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE NEAR FIRE STATION MAHALAKSHMI LAYOUT KALABURAGI-585 101.

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SMT. LATHA S. SHETTY, ADVOCATE FOR C/R-34.)

THIS WRIT APPEAL IS FILED UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE KARNATAKA HIGH COURT ACT PRAYING TO SET ASIDE THE ORDER DATED 30.01.2023 PASSED BY THE HON'BLE SINGLE JUDGE IN WRIT PETITION NO.23752 OF 2022 BY ISSUING FURTHER NECESSARY DIRECTION, ORDER AS THIS HON'BLE COURT DEEMS FIT AND PROPER IN THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CASE.

IN WA NO.482 OF 2023 BETWEEN :

- MAMTHA M.M.
 W/O GIREESHA M.S., AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS
 No. G636, 1ST MAIN , 10TH CROSS
 HAL CENTRAL TOWNSHIP
 BEHIND HAL POLICE STATION
 MARATHAHALLI POST
 MARATHAHALLI, BENGALURU – 560 037.
- 2 . SANNA KARIYAMMA SANNAKARIYAMMA W/O N T PALAKSHAIAH AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/AT THOGARIGUNTE CHELUR (HOBLI) ANKASANDRA (POST), GUBBI TUMAKURU - 572 117.
- 3 . SUNITA D/O DASHARATH AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS RESIDING AT H No.11784 BASAVNAGAR MSK MILL ROAD KALABURAGI – 585 103.
- 4 . AMRUTAMMA D/O KISHTAYYA, AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS, NO 1/22, KADTAL KADCHERLA SEDAM, KALABURAGI – 585 318.
- 5 . ANUSUJA D/O RAMLAPPA AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS H NO 2/11 AT POST KADCHARLA SEDAM TQ KALABURAGI – 585 318.

- BHAGYASHRI GURALINGAPPA TELI W/O GURAPPA GOTAGUNAKI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS AT SHAKYAPUR (SY) POST SADKOL TQ JEWARAGI KALABURAGI – 585 325.
- 7. DEEPA
 W/O SUDHAKAR
 AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
 H NO 193, AT NANDUR K POST
 HIRENANDUR
 KALABURAGI NORTH
 KALABURAGI 585 228.
- 8 . KALPANA W/O MANJUNATH REDDY AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS AT POST H NO 15/67 BHAGIRTHI NILAYA BASAVESHWARA NAGAR JEWARGI TQ KALABURAGI – 585 310.
- 9 . KAVITA W/O MALAPPA AGED ABOUT 26 YEARS E/178 TQ DIST KALABURAGI – 585 308.
- 10 . SUREKHA D/O BASAVARAJ AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS H NO 8-1565/7 TAJ NAGAR ROAD CHANNAVEER NAGAR KALABURAGI – 585 104.

- 11 . HANUMAVVA SHIVANAGOUDA PATEL D/O SHIVANAGOUDA PATIL AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS GOPASHANI POST HERUR HUNAGUND BAGALAKOTE – 587 154.
- 12 . BASAVRAJ MORDI S/O RAVASAB AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS AP SHIRGUR TQ RAIBAG DISTRICT BELAGAVI 591311.
- 13 . JAYASHREE A HATTI W/O PRASHANT D KANDRATTI AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS NO 188/2C, PLOT NO 24 BASAV NAGAR GOKAK BELAGAVI - 591307.
- 14 . RAVIKUMAR KOPPAL S/O SHIVARUDRAPPA AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS SANKESHWAR JAYANAGAR JSECOND CLASS NEAR NESARI GARDEN HUKKERI TALUK BELAGAVI-591313.
- 15 . USHA S K W/O GIRISH AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS KAGGALA VILLAGE, HADYA POST CHUNCHANAKATTE HOBLI K R NAGARA TALUK MYSURU-571617.
- 16 . SAMEENA BANO W/O ROSHAN ZAMIR DHALAYATH AGED ABOUT 44 YEARS C/O ROSHAN ZAMIR I DHALAYATH

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PLOT NO.12 KGN GALLI NEW GANDHI NAGAR BELAGAVI-590016.

- 17 . ROOPA R W/O CHANNAKESHAVA M AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS 07 KONAGHATTA KASABA HOBALI DODDABALLAPURA BENGAGULRU RURA-561203.
- 18. MILJA N J W/O AJEESH NJ AGED ABOUT 35 YEAR NELLIVILA HOUSE NOOJIBALTHILA VILLAGE RENJILADY POST KADABA TALUK, PUTTUR DAKSHINA KANNADA-574 221.
- 19 . PAVITHRA H S W/O GANESH KUMAR K AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS 4-232 KODIMBALA HOUSE KODIMBALA VILLAGE AND POST PUTTUR DAKSHINA KANNADA-574 221.
- 20 . SARASVATI CHANDRAGOUDA PATIL W/O SHIDDHALINGESH AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS NUMBER 11 SOTAKANAL, NAVALGUND DHARWAD-582 208.
- 21 . KAMARUNABI MABUSAB NAGARAHALLI D/O MABUSASB NAGARAHALLI AGED ABOUT 25 YEARS A B NAAR NEAR BUS STAND ROAD MUNDARAGI DT GADA GADAG-582 118.

- 22 . TABASUM VADDATTI D/O ABDULVAHAB AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS TABASUM VADDATTI GARADIMANI ONI MUNDARAGI GAGDA-582 118.
- 23 . NAYANA M D/O MANJUNATH C.S., AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS NO 230/1 BEHIND KUMAR NURSIN HOME MYSORE ROAD, CHANNARAYAPATNA HASSAN-573 116.
- 24 . PAVITRA D/O SIDDAPPA SANGATI AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS AT YALAMAERI POST IRAKALGADA KOPPAL-583 237.
- 25 . PRATIBHA D/O SIDDAPPA SANGATI AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS AT YALAMAGERI POST IRAKALADA, KOPPAL-583 237.
- 26 . SUMITRA S/O NAGESH BINGI AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS C/O GYANAPPA MAJJIGI NEAR ANJINEYA TEMPLE WARD NO. 2, ALLANAGAR KOPPAL-583 228.
- 27 . PAVITRA S NAIK D/O SUBHAS NAIK AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS AT KENI POST KENI, TALUK ANKOLA ANKOLA, UTTARAKANNADA KARNATAKA-581 314.

- 28 . NAGALAKSHMI D., W/O UDAYA ACHARYA AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS CHANDRESHWARA NILAYA VARANGA POST AND VILLAGE HEBRI, KARKALA UDUPI-574108.
- 29 . SANJAY S/O MANJESH H B AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS NO.724, SHIVAJYOTHI NAGARA HUNSUR TOWN, HUNSUR MYSORE-571 105.

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AND:

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- 2. THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS REP BY ITS UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT ROOM NO. 245 2ND FLOOR, VIDHANA SOUDHA BANGALORE - 560 001.
- 3 . CENTRALISED ADMISSION CELL SPECIAL OFFICER OPP CAUVERY BHAVAN BANGALORE - 560 002.
- 4 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES

WELFARE DEPARTMENT BENGALURU SOUTH BENGALURU SOUTH – 562 106.

- 5. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BENGALURU SOUTH – 562 106.
- 6 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT KALABURGI KALBURGI DISTRICT – 585 103.
- 7 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS ADM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI KALBURGI – 585 103.
- 8 . THE DISTRICT OFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BAGALAKOTE BAGALAKOTE – 587 101.
- 9. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI BAGALAKOTE – 587 101.
- 10 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT CHIKKODI CHIKKODI DISTRICT – 591 232.
- 11 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM).,

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI CHIKKODI – 591 232.

- 12 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT DAKSHINA KANNADA DAKSHINA KANNADA DISTRICT – 575 003.
- 13 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI DAKSHINA KANNADA DISTRICT – 575 003.
- 14 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT MYSURU -570 007.
- 15 . DEPUTY DIRCTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI MYSURU – 570 007.
- 16 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAMANAGAR – 562159.
- 17 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI RAMANAGAR – 562159.

- 18 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BENGALURU NORTH – 560026.
- 19 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI BENGALURU NORTH – 560 026.
- 20 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT HAVERI - 581 110.
- 21 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI HAVERI 581 110.
- 22 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT SIRSI, UTTAR KANNADA - 581 401.
- 23 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI, SIRSI 581 401.
- 24 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSESS WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAICHUR - 584 101.
- 25 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS DEPARMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS RAICHUR - 584 101.

- 26 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI VIJAYAPURA - 586 101.
- 27 . AKSHATHA CHOUGALA W/O BHARAMU P TEERTH AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT PARAMANANDWADI POST RAIBAG TALUK , BELAGAVI 591 311.
- 28 . PRIYANKA W/O MANJESH AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R.AT B R KAVAL VILLAGE HANAGODU POST AND HOBLI HUNSUR , MYSURU - 571 105.
- 29 . JYOTHI A W/O MAHESHA P AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/AT 4718, NEELAKANTA NAGAR NANJANGUD MYSURU - 571 301.
- 30 . RANI H N W/O NANJESHA AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS, R/AT NO. 307, NAGAWALA POST ILVALA HOBLI , MYSURU 571 130.
- 31 . JYOTHI CHANDRASHEKHAR KARIKAL W/O VISHWANATH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT SEDAM ROAD RTO OFFICE SAI NAGAR KALABURGI - 585 105.
- 32 . CHAITRA V Y W/O RAGHU K.S

AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT VADDARAHALLI VILLAGE BELAVADI POST CHIKKAMAGALURU - 577 146.

- 33 . GURULAKSHMI N W/O THIMMAPPA RAJU AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT SADARAHALLI VILLAGE AKKUR POST CHANNAPATNA RAMANAGARA - 562 138.
- 34 . SUNEETHA R., W/O JAGADEESHA AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT DODDA YERAMAGERE VILLAGE BIJJAHALLI POST KODIHALLI HOBLI KANAKAPURA TALUK.
- 35 . KALPANA BEERAPPA NAIK W/O MAHESHA G NAIK AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT VANNALLI POST KUMTA, UTTARA KANNADA - 581 343.
- 36 . GAYATHRI NAIK W/O SHIVARAJA SHANTAPPA NAIK AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/ATT ARAMANEKOPPA POST KODKANI KUMTA UTTARA KANNADA - 581 440.
- 37 . NISHA W/O SATHISH AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT 5-155, THAREMAR HOUSE DKOLAVOOR MURTHUR VILLAGE KOLAVAR POST, MANALORE NORTH DAKSHINA KANNADA - 574 144.

- 38 . SAVITHA HOSATTI W/O MAHESH MALL AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT PAIGALI, ATHANI CHIKKODI - 591 248.
- 39 . PRATHIBA BEERAPPA YANCHANCHI W/O MURASIDDA GAVADE AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT SHIVANUR POST, ATHANI CHIKKODI 591 232.
- 40 . RAMYARANI W/O PRABHAKAR RAJU POOJARY AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT 1-218, SAPTHAGIRI BELAVE POST AND VILLAGE UDUPI – 576 212.
- 41 . NANDA B GOUDAR W/O MANJUNATH N GHATTI AGED AOUT 31 YEARS R/AT 2408, SIMHASAN PLOT GAJENDRAGAD GADAG - 582 114.
- 42 . SHEEBA ANJUM
 W/O MOHAMMED ETHESHAM ULLA
 AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS
 R/AT 778/222, BEHIND POLICE STATION
 BAR ROAD, BANGARPET
 KOLAR 563 114.
- 43 . ASHA S W/O VINAYAKUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT NO 19 REDDI LINGAYATH ONI DOOPADAHALLI POST KOTTUR, VIJAYANAGAR KARNATAKA – 583 134.

- PRAMILA T
 W/O GOPALA R.,
 AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS
 R/AT NO 97
 SWAMIVIVEKANANDA BADAVANE
 BAHADURPURA, ANEKAL
 BENGALURU 562 106.
- 45 . PATIMA BABAKKANAVAR W/O ABDUL KHADAR JILANI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT 2579, SAVALA BAVIONI MULGUND RURAL GADAG - 582 117.
- 46 . SHRUTHI W/O VEERAREDDY AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/AT NO 92 , CHINTAKUNTA POST YADGIRI – 585 214.
- 47 . LEELA HIREMATH W/O SANTOSH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT PLOT NO 2, NO 10-934/21/2AA/2 OPP VIVEKANAND COLLEGE NEAR FIRE STATION MAHALAXMI, LAYOUT KALABURGI 585 -101.

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THIS WRIT APPEAL IS FILED UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE KARNATAKA HIGH COURT ACT PRAYING TO a) TO QUASH THE ORDER OF THE LEARNED SINGLE JUDGE DATED 30.01.2023 PASSED IN WP 23752/2022 AND DISMISS THE WRIT PETITION AND CONSEQUENTLY DIRECT THE RESPONDENTS Nos. 1, 2 AND 3 PROCEED WITH THE PROVISIONAL LIST DATED 18.11.2022 (ANNEXURE A TO A18 IN W. P. No. 23752/2022) IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW STRICTLY AS PER THE CIRCULARS EXISTING AS ON DATE OF CALLING OF THE RECRUITMENT AND ETC.

IN WA NO.591 OF 2023

BETWEEN :

- G K CHANDRA SHEKAR S/O KRISHNAPPA AGED ABOUT 44 YEARS R/A WARD NO.28 YELE PETE CHIKKABALLAPUR CHIKKABALLAPUR DISTRICT- 562 101.
- 2 . SHOBHA N. W/O UMESH N AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS R/A AKSHAYA NADTHIKAL MOODUKODI VILLAGE MOODUKODI POST BELTHANGADY TALUK DAKSHINA KANNADA- 574242.

- SUNEETHA
 W/O LAKSHMANA
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/A SHASHI KRIPA HOUSE
 ARASAKATTE VILLAGE
 BELTHANGADY TALUK
 DAKSHINA KANNADA- 574 109.
- 4 . SUMITHRA W/O K.S. NAVEEN KUMAR AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/A AKSHYA BADAVANE INDIRANAGAR, KOPPA CHIKKAMANGALURU- 577 126.
- 5 . ANNAPOORNESHWARI K.H., W/O HEMANTH J KAMATH AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS R/A NO.2-10-780/3 BEJAI NEW ROAD 5TH CROSS, BEJAI, MANGALURU DAKSHINA KANNADA - 575 004.
- 6 SHEERINA BAHU
 W/O JAHANGIR PASHA
 AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS
 R/A RICE MILL ROAD
 ALDUR, CHIKKAMANGALURU
 CHIKKAMANGALURU DISTRICT -577111.
- ANANT M DEVADIGA
 S/O MANJAYYA R DEVADIGA
 AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS
 R/A MATADAKERI VILLAGE
 HALDIPURA POST
 HONNAVAR TALUK
 UTTARA KANNADA 581327.
- 8 . SNEHAL NARAYAN PATIL D/O NARAYAN PATIL AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS

R/A LAXMI GALLI IDALHAND POST KHANAPUR TALUK BELAGAVI- 591302.

- 9 SMT. RATNA SHETTY W/O SANTOSHA GANIGA AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/A NO.1-51, GURUNAGAR SHIROOR, BYNDOOR UDUPI- 576 228.
- 10 . SHWETHA BIRADAR W/O SANGAPPA RADDER AGED ABOUT 38 YEARS R/A WARD NO.2 RADDER STREET AMARAWATI, HUNGUND BAGALKOT- 587118.
- 11 . NASAREN BHAN ALLAPUR D/O NAJEER AHAMAD ALLAPUR AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/A NEAR WATER TANK CHIKKALINGADAHALLI HAVERI HAVERI DISTRICT – 581110.
- 12 . HEENAJ NADAF D/O IQBAL AHAMAD AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A NO. 704/B, NADAF GALLI ITAGI, KHANAPUR TALUK BELAGAVI- 591 112.
- 13 . MUTTAPPA GUTTAL S/O BASAPPA AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/A HALERITTI VILLAGE HOSARITTI TALUK, HAVERI TALUK HAVERI DISTRICT - 581 213.

- 14 . SMT. DEEPA SURESH DOLLI W/O JYOTHIRAJ YALLAPPA TAYAPPAGOL AGED ABOUT 26 YEARS R/A NO.O285, TANAJI GALLI MAJAGAVI, BELAGAVI- 590 008.
- 15 . KUBRA JABEEN A.R. W/O ATIQUR RAHAMAN SHERIFF AGED ABOUT 46 YEARS R/A SHABBIR LAYOUT BEHIND VANI SCHOOL TANK BUND ROAD CHINTAMANI CHIKKABALLAPUR DISTRICT - 563 125.
- 16 . IDUDDI SUBHAS S/O IDUDDI TAMMANA AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS R/A RAJAPUR VILLAGE ARAHAVI HOBLI MUDALAGI POST BALAGAVI DISTRICT - 591 224.

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- 2 . DEPARTMENT OF PERSONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REPORMS SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT ROOM NO.245, 2ND FLOOR VIDHANA SOUDHA BENGALURU- 560001.

- 3 . DENTRALISED ADMISSION CELL SPECIAL OFFICER OPP. CAUVERY BHAVAN BENGALURU- 560 002.
- 4 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPT. CHIKKODI – 591 232.
- 5. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI CHIKKODI – 591 232.
- 6 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT MYSORE- 570 007.
- 7. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, OFFICE OF DDPI MYSURU- 570 007.
- 8 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT KALABURAGI- 585 103.
- 9. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI KALABURAGI – 585 103.
- 10 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT DAKSHINA KANNADA – 575 003.
- 11 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI DAKSHINA KANNADA – 575 003.

- 12 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAMANAGAR -562159.
- 13 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI RAMANAGARA – 562159.
- 14 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BENGALURU NORTH - 560026.
- 15 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BENGALURU NORTH – 575003.
- 16 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BENGALURU SOUTH – 562106.
- 17 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI, BENGALURU SOUTH – 562106.
- 18 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION HAVERI- 581110.
- 19 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI HAVERI – 581 110.
- 20 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT SIRSI, UTTAR KANNADA- 581401.

- 21 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI, SIRSI – 581401.
- 22 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAICHUR - 584101.
- 23 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION RAICHUR – 584101.
- 24 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BAGALKOTE PIN – 587101.
- 25 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI BAGALKOTE PIN – 587 101.
- 26 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OFFICE OF DDPI VIJAYAPURA PIN – 586101.
- 27 . AKSHATA CHOUGALA W/O BHARAMU P TEERTH AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/A PARAMANANDAWADI POST RAIBAG TALUK BELAGAVI - 591 311.
- 28 . PRIYANKA W/O MANJESH

AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/A B R KAVAL VILLAGE HANAGODU POST AND HOBLI HUNSUR, MYSURU- 571105.

- 29 . JYOTHI A W/O MAHESHA P AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS R/A NO. 4718, NEELAKANTA NAGAR NANJANGUD MYSURU- 571301.
- 30 . RANI H.N W/O NANJESHA AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A NO. 307, NAGAWALA POST ILVALA HOBLI MYSURU- 571 130.
- 31 . JYOTHI CHANDRASHEKAR KARIKAL W/O VISHWANATH AGED ABOUT 290 YEARS R/A SEDAM ROAD RTO OFFICE SAI NAGAR KALABURAGI – 585 105.
- 32 . CHAITRA V Y W/O RAGHU K.S., AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS DR/A VADDARAHALLI VILLAGE BELAVADI POST CHIKKAMAGALURU – 577 146.
- 33. GURULLAKSHMI N
 W/O THIMMAPPA RAJU
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/A SADARAHALLI VILLAGE
 AKKUR POST, CHANNAPATNA
 RAMANGARA 562138.

- 34 . SUNEETHA R W/O JAGADEESHA AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A DODDA YERAMGERE VILLAGE BIJJAHALLI POST KODIHALLI HOBLI KANAKAPURA TALUK RAMANAGARA DISTRICT -562117.
- 35 . KALPANA BEERAPPA NAIK W/O MAHESH G NAIK AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/A VANNALLI POST, KUMTA UTTARA KANNADA - 581343.
- 36 . GAYATHRI NAIK
 W/O SHIVARAJ SHANTAPPA NAIK
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS
 R/A ARAMANEKOPPA POST
 KODKANI, KUMTA
 UTTARA KANNADA 581440.
- 37 NISHA W/O SATHISH AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A NO.5-155, THAREMAR HOUSE DKOLAVOOR, MURTHUR VILLAGE KOLAVAR POST, MANGALORE NORTH DAKSHINA KANNADA – 574144.
- 38 . SAVITHA HOSATTI W/O MAHESH MALI AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/A POAIGALI, ATHANI CHIKKODI- 591248.
- 39 . PRATHIBA BEERAPPA YANKANCHI W/O MURASIDDA GAVADE AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A SHIVANUR POST, ATHANI CHIKKODI – 591 232.

- 40 . RAMYARANI W/O PRABHAKAR RAJU POOJARY AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/A 1-218, SAPTHAGIRI BELAVE POST AND VILLAGE UDUPI- 576 212.
- 41 . NANDA B GOUDAR W/O MANJUNATH N GHATTI AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A NO. 2408, SIMHANSAN PLOT GAJENDRAGAD, GADAG- 582114.
- 42 . SHEEBA ANJUM W/O MOHAMMED ETHESHAM ULLA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/A NO. 778/222 BEHIND POLICE STATION BUR ROAD, BANGARPET KOLAR- 563.114.
- 43 . SMT. ASHA S W/O VINAYAKUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A NO. 1/9 REDDI LINGAYATH ONI DOOPADAHALLI POST KOTTUR, VIJAYANAGAR - 583134.
- 44 . PRAMILA T
 W/O GOPALA R.,
 AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS
 R/A NO. 97
 SWAMIVIVEKANANDA
 BADAVANE, BAHADURPURA
 ANEKAL, BENGALURU 562106.
- 45 . PATIMA BABAKKANNAVAR W/O ABDUL KHADAR JILANI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/A NO. 2579 SAVALA BAVIONI

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MULGUND RURAL GADAG- 582 117.

- 46 . SMT. SHRUTHI W/O VEERAREDDY AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/A NO.92 CHINTAKUNTA POST YADGIRI – 585 214.
- 47 . SMT. LEELA HIREMATH W/O SANTOSH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/A PLOT NO.2 NO.10-934/21/2A/2 OPP. VIVEKANAND COLLEGE NEAR FIRE STATION MAHALAXMI LAYOUT KALABURAGI – 585 101.

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IN WA NO.886 OF 2023

BETWEEN:

- 1 . ARCHANA NAIK W/O UDAY NAIK, AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS MUGWA VILLAGE AND POST SURAKATTE HONNAVAR TALUK UTTARAKANNADA-581 334.
- 2 . AMMRIN MADIHALLI D/O MADARSAB AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS PACHHAPUR POST SUNAGAR GALLI, HUKKERI BELAGAVI – 591122.
- 3. KANTAMMA WATHAR
 W/O SHANTAGOUDAPATIL
 AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS
 B SALAWADAGI POST
 TALIKOTI
 VIJAYAPURA 586 214.
- HANAMANT JAGADEV
 S/O MAHADEVJAGADEV
 AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS
 A/P- SATTI, ATHANI TALUK
 BELAGAVI 591 240.
- 5. DEEPIKA M W/O PRADEEP M N, AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS NO 32, VEERABHADRESHWARA NILAYA HOUSING BOARD ALUR, HASSAN -573213.
- 6. JHANAVI K S

W/O BASAPPA SHETTY K R AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS, KURUVANGI VILLAGE AND POST CHIKKAMAGALURU – 577102.

- 7 . RAJAPPA S S/O SIDDAPPA AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS KEBBERPURA VILLAGE HUNDIPURA POST GUNDLUPET TALUK CHAMARAJANAGAR – 571 111.
- 8 . SUDHARANI D/O CHANDRAPPA, H NO. 2/96/1 BEHIND DEVAMMA TEMPLE DUGANOOR POST SEDAM TALUK KALABURAGI- 585 318.
- 9. RENUKA
 W/O BHEEMARAYA,
 AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS,
 H.NO. 2/9, AT KOTAGERA POST
 KOTAGERA, YADAGIRI- 585 214.

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BANGALORE 560 001.

- 2. THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS REP. BY ITS UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT ROOM NO. 245 2ND FLOOR VIDHANA SOUDHA BANGALORE - 560 001.
- 3 . CENTRALISED ADMISSION CELL REP. BY SPECIAL OFFICER OPP CAUVERY BHAVAN BANGALORE - 560 002.
- 4 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT C HIKKODI CHIKKODI DISTRICT-591232.
- 5. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI CHIKKODI 591 232.
- 6 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT, MYSURU MYSURU DISTRICT - 570 007.
- 7. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI MYSURU - 570 007.
- 8 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT KALABURGI

KALABURGI DISTRICT-585 103.

- 9. DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS(ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI, KALABURGI-585 103.
- 10 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT DAKSHINA KANNADA DAKSHINA KANNADA DISTRICT - 575 003.
- 11 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI DAKSHINA KANNAD- 575 003.
- 12 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAMANAGARA RAMANAGARA- 562 159.
- 13 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI RAMANAGARA- 575 003.
- 14 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BANGALORE NORTH BANGALORE NORTH-560 026.
- 15 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS

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OFFICE OF DDPI BANGALORE NORTH- 570 026.

- 16 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BANGALORE SOUTH BANGALORE SOUTH -562 159.
- 17 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI BENGALURU SOUTH- 562 106.
- 18 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF HAVERI HAVERI- 561 110.
- 19 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI HAVERI -581 110.
- 20 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT SIRSI SIRSI, UTTAR KANNADA- 581 401.
- 21 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI SIRSI - 581 401.
- 22 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT RAICHUR RAICHUR- 584 101.

- 23 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS (ADM) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI RAICHUR- 584 101.
- 24 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT BAGALAKOTE BAGALAKOTE- 587 101.
- 25 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI BAGALAKOTE- 587 101.
- 26 . DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS OFFICE OF DDPI VIJAYAPURA- 586 101.
- 27 . AKSHATA CHOUGALA W/O BHARAMU P. TEERTH AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT PARAMANANDAWADI POST RAIBAG TALUK BELAGAVI- 591 311.
- 28 . PRIYANKA W/O MANJESH, AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS R/AT B.R. KAVAL VILLAGE HANAGODU POST AND HOBLI HUNSUR, MYSURU - 571 105.
- 29 . JYOTHI A. W/O MAHESHA P. AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS

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R/AT NO.4718 NEELAKANTA NAGAR NANJANGUD, MYSURU -571 301.

- 30 . RANI H.N. W/O NANJESHA AGE ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT NO.307, NAGAWALA POST ILVALA HOBLI MYSURU -571 130.
- 31 . JYOTHI CHANDRASHEKHAR KARIKAL W/O VISHWANATH AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT SEDAM ROAD RTO OFFICE SAI NAGAR KALABURAGI - 585 105.
- 32 . CHAITRA V.Y. W/O RAGHU K.S. AGED ABOUT 28 YEARS R/AT VADDARAHALLI VILLAGE BELAVADI POST CHIKKAMAGALURU- 577 146.
- 33 . GURULAKSHMI N. W/O THIMMAPPA RAJU AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT SADARAHALLI VILLAGE AKKUR POST, CHANNAPATNA RAMANAGARA- 562 138.
- 34 . SUNEETHA R. W/O JAGADEESHA AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT DODDA YERAMGERE VILLAGE BIJJAHALLI POST KODIHALLI HOBLI KANAKAPURRA TALUK.

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- 35 . KALPANA BEERAPPA NAIK W/O MAHESH G NAIK AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT VANNALLI POST, KUMTA UTTARA KANNADA -581 343.

36 . GAYATHRI NAIK W/O SHIVARAJ SHANTAPPA NAIK AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT ARAMANEKOPPA POST KODKANI, KUMTA UTTARA KANNADA- 581 440.

- 37 . NISHA W/O SATHISH AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT NO.5-155 THAREMAR HOUSE DKOLAVOOR, MURTHUR VILLAGE KOLAVAR POST MANGALORE NORTH DAKSHINA KANNADA -574 144.
- 38 . SAVITHA HOSATTI W/O MAHESH MALL AGED ABOUT 32 YEARS R/AT POAIGALI, ATHANI CHIKKODI - 591 248.
- 39 . PRATHIBA BEERAPPA YANKANCHI W/O MURASIDDA GAVADE AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT SHIVANUR POST, ATHANI CHIKKODI- 591 232.
- 40 . RAMYARANI W/O PRABHAKAR RAJU POOJARY AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/AT 1-218, SAPTHAGIRI BELAVE POST AND VILLAGE UDUPI - 576 212.

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- 41 . NANDA B GOUDAR
 W/O MANJUNATH N. GHATTI
 AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS
 R/AT NO. 2408, SIMHASAN PLOT
 GAJENDRAGAD
 GADAG 582 114.
- 42 . SHEEBA ANJUM W/O MOHAMMED ETHESHAM ULLA AGED ABOUT 33 YEARS R/AT NO. 778/222 BEHIND POLICE STATION BAR ROAD, BANGARPET KOLAR- 563 114.
- 43 . ASHA S W/O VINAYAKUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT NO.19 REDDI LINGAYATH ONI DOOPADAHALLI POST KOTTUR, VIJAYANAGAR- 583 134 KARNATAKA.
- 44 . PRAMILA T W/O GOPALA R. AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS R/AT NO.97, SWAMIVIVEKANANDA BADAVANE, BAHADURPURA ANEKAL, BENGALURU - 562 106.
- 45 . PATIMA BABAKKANAVAR W/O ABDUL KHADAR JILANI AGED ABOUT 29 YEARS R/AT NO.2579 SAVALA BAVIONI MULGUND RURAL GADAG -582 117.
- 46 . SHRUTHI W/O VEERAREDDY AGED ABOUT 27 YEARS

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47 . LEELA HIREMATH W/O SANTOSH KUMAR AGED ABOUT 31 YEARS R/AT PLOT NO.2 NO.10-934/21/2A/2 OPP. VIVEKANAND COLLEGE NEAR FIRE STATION, MAHALAXMI LAYOUT, KALABURGI - 585-101.

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IN WA NO.939 OF 2023

BETWEEN :

1 . RASHMITHA KARKERA N., CARE OF PRADEEP KUMR P R

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AGED ABOUT 34 YEARS RESIDENT OF PODUMBA HOUSE AJJAVARA SULIA DAKSHINA KANNADA -574 239. KARNATAKA

2. NIVEDITA CHANDRAKANT NAIK D/O CHANDRAKANT NAIK AGED ABOUT 30 YEARS R/O NO 165 NEAR OM PRAKASH ICE FACTORY LAXMESHWAR ANKOLA ANKOLA -581314 KARNATAKA.

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- 1 . THE STATE OF KARNATAKA BY ITS UNDER SECRETARY DEPT OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION 2ND GATE, 6TH FLOOR MULTISTORIED BULDINGS DR AMBEDKAR VEEDHI BANGALORE – 560 001.
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- 3 . CENTRALIZED ADMISION CELL SPECIAL OFFICER OPP CAUVERY BHAVAN BENGALURU – 560 002.

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- 4 . THE DISTRICT OFFICER BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT DAKSHINA KANNADA – 575 003.
- 5. THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTURCTION (ADMN) DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTURCTION OFFICE OF DDPI DAKSHINA KANNADA - 575 003.

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THESE APPEALS BEING HEARD AND RESERVED, COMING ON FOR PRONOUNCEMENT OF JUDGMENT, THIS DAY, **M.G.S.KAMAL J.,** DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

JUDGMENT

These writ appeals arise out of order dated 30.01.2023 passed in W.P.No.23752/2022(GM-CC) filed by private respondents/petitioners by which learned Single Judge of this Court while allowing the said writ petition has quashed the provisional selection list dated:18.11.2022 insofar it relates to the petitioners being brought under the General Merit category and has directed the petitioners to be treated as belonging to category to which they applied for, qua the caste and income certificates appended to the Further liberty has been reserved to the applications. State to regulate its procedure by continuing recruitment and taking it to its logical conclusion.

2. Facts leading up to filing of these writ appeals briefly stated are;

By notification dated 21.03.2022 issued district wise, applications were invited from the eligible candidates for recruitment to the post of Graduate Primary School Teachers from sixth standard to eight standard classes in

the Government and Aided institutions. Competitive examinations were held on 21.05.2022 and 22.05.2022 and results were announced on 17.08.2022. A provisional list was published on 18.11.2022. Petitioners being aggrieved by exclusion of their names in the provisional list, filed the above writ petition seeking following reliefs;

> (a) Issue a writ in the nature of certiorari or any other appropriate writ order or direction quashing the provisional selection list dated 18.11.2022 by respondent No.3-(Annexure -A to A18).

> (b) Issue a writ in the nature of mandamus or any other appropriate writ order or direction directing respondent No.3 to consider the case of the petitioner Nos.1 to 15 under category 2A, petitioner No.16 under category 2B, petitioner Nos.17 and 18 under category 3A and petitioner Nos. 19 to 21 under category 3B in the final selection list, taking note of the caste certificate issued by the Tahsildar without insisting on the income certificate from the husband of the petitioner (B to B20).

> (c) Issue a writ in the nature of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, order or direction declaring that the action of the respondents herein changing the category of the petitioners from OBC to GM without intimation for the reason they and income certificate in the name of the husband of the petitioners without considering the caste and income certificates in the name of the father of the petitioners is highly arbitrary, illegal and without authority of law.

(d) Pass such other and further orders as may be necessary in the interest of justice.

3. It is the contention of the petitioners that they belong to OBC category having completed their B.Ed., and D.Ed., and being eligible had applied for the post of teachers in respective subjects under reservation category of OBC through online application and had also submitted necessary documents as sought for. That after accepting the applications the concerned DDPI had invited the petitioners to appear for written and descriptive examination wherein the petitioners secured good score and ranking and were thus gualified for 1:2 document verification. It is further contended that in the notification dated 21.03.2022 calling for recruitment for Graduate Primary School Teachers there was no specification provided with respect to production of income and caste certificate of the husband of the petitioners. That on verification of the documents furnished by the petitioners, for some of the petitioners OBC categories was changed to General Merit and for some of the petitioners documents were returned back with no intimation with regard to defect in documents or otherwise. That the concerned

DDPI had rejected the caste cum income certificate of some of the candidates on the basis that though they were married, the certificates which they produced had been issued in the name of their father. That some of the candidates had approached this Court by filing the writ petition in W.P.No.22429/2022 and that this Court by order dated 15.11.2022 and on 18.11.2022 had directed that the names of the petitioners enlisted therein would be considered under the different categories of OBC and that in spite of the same, the provisional list had been issued without complying with the directions of this Court. That in the said provisional list, names of the petitioners were not included even though they had good ranking and the candidates who are below the petitioners were selected. That on an enquiry the petitioners were informed that the DDPI had rejected their income and caste certificates as they had obtained the same in their father's name. Being aggrieved by the same, the above writ petition is filed seeking the relief as extracted hereinabove.

4. The said writ petition was resisted by the state contending *inter alia* that the petition as presented was not maintainable and that the petitioners had to approach the Administrative Tribunal in terms of Section 15 of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985. That the authorities had rightly considered the documents furnished by the petitioners in accordance with the norms and policies of the Government which prescribed that in the case of married women candidates income of the spouse shall be taken into consideration and that it cannot be speculated that the spouse after the marriage is dependent on the parents. That the selection policy adopted by the respondent authorities is in accordance with the norms laid down by DPAR. That out of total 5978 married women candidates who had submitted income certificates of their spouse along with the application have been considered for verification in the ratio of 1:2. Among them 3700 meritorious married women candidates have been selected for provisional list of 1:1. That the married women candidates who had submitted income certificate of the

parents have been in fact short listed in the ratio of 1:1 in the provisional list by bringing such candidates under general merit category. That in the application a been provided that incorrect declaration had and incomplete application would be rejected and accordingly authorities on verification of the records have rejected the applications of the married women candidates who had furnished the income certificates of their parents instead of That the State Government has issued their spouse. Government order dated 19.09.1985 and 12.12.1986 regarding determination of income of the married women and the rejection of the candidature is on account of the defective certificates and the same is neither arbitrary or illegal. Hence, sought for dismissal of the petition.

5. Learned Single Judge on hearing respective counsel for the parties framed following points for consideration:

(i) Whether writ petitions challenging the action of interpretation of caste and income certificates by selecting authority-DDPI would be maintainable?

(ii) Whether the caste and income of the husband of the female applicant should be taken into consideration or the caste and income of the parents?

(iii) Whether the selecting authority-DDPI would get jurisdiction to interpret caste and income certificates issued by competent authorities?

6. While answering the issue No.(i) on maintainability learned Single Judge though has taken note of the Judgments of the Apex Court in the case of *L.Chandra* Kumar Vs. Union of India reported in (1997)3 SCC 261 regarding jurisdiction of the Tribunal in the matters relating to process of recruitment to the service under the Services of the State, however relying upon the Judgment of the Apex Court in the case of **T.K.Rangarajan Vs State of** Tamil Nadu and others reported in (2003) 6 SCC 581 has held that in the fact situation of the matter writ petition is entertainable. While answering the issue No.(ii) learned Single Judge relying upon the Judgment of the Apex Court in the case of Surinder Singh Vs Punjab State Electricity Board and others reported in (2014) 15 SCC 767 and Sunitha Singh Vs State of UP reported

in (2018) 2 SCC 493 and State of Karnataka Vs Smt.Yoeshwari and anr in W.P.No.24115/2018 and connected cases decided on 19.11.2018, came to the conclusion that the decision of the selecting authority-DDPI in interpreting and holding the caste and income of the husband is to be taken into consideration is contrary to law and directed the respondent Authorities to consider the applications of the petitioners on the basis of caste and income certificates of the parents and not of their spouse and as belonging to their respective categories against which they have applied for. While answering issue No.(iii) relying upon the Judgment of the Division Bench of this Court in the case of Executive Director, Karnataka Examination Authority and Selection Authority, Malleswaram, Bangalore Vs State of Karnataka and anr reported in (2018) SCC Online Karnataka 4112 held that the Selecting Authority-DDPI has no jurisdiction to interpret the caste certificate issued by the competent Thus, having held as above, learned Single authority. Judge guashed the provisional selection list so far as it

relates to the petitioners being brought under General Merit Category and issued further directions as noted above. Being aggrieved by the same, the present writ appeals are filed.

7. These appeals are filed by the appellants who are not parties to the writ petition. The principal grounds urged amongst other by the appellants in these writ appeals are:

(a) Whether the writ petition is maintainable in view of the bar contained under Article 323A of the Constitution of India and in view of Section 15 of the Act, 1985;

(b) Whether a validly issued income certificate in terms of Government Order dated 12.12.1986, which order had been passed by the State in exercise of its power conferred under Article 16(4) of Constitution of India laying down classification of backward classes for the purpose of reservation of appointments and posts defining eligibility for reservation, could have been invalidated by the learned Single Judge without there being challenge to the said Government Order;

(c) Whether without impleading the appellants who are the selected candidates, as party/respondents to the writ petition, the provisional list could have been set aside;

8. Before adverting to the grounds urged in these appeals, it is necessary to note that an identical writ filed W.P.No.200032/2023 petition was in before Kalaburagi Bench of this Court and the same was dismissed by order dated:12.01.2023 as not maintainable reserving liberty to the petitioner therein to approach the Tribunal constituted under Act, 1985. Similarly, writ petitions filed before the Principal Bench of this court in W.P.No.5009/2023 C/w W.P.Nos.5820/2023, 5833/2023, 5879/2023, 5916/2023, 5926/2023, 5987/2023, 6237/2023, 6258/2023 and 6640/2023 were also disposed of as not maintainable with liberty to the petitioners therein to urge all grounds contended in the petitions before the Tribunal.

9. Sri.Lakshminarayana, learned Senior counsel appearing for the appellants in W.A.No.305/2023 reiterating the grounds urged in the memorandum of appeal and the contents of written synopsis submitted that;

(a) That the Graduate Primary School Teachers post is a civil post governed by Karnataka Education Department Services (Department of Public Instructions) (Recruitment) Rules, 1967, as such the said recruitment would fall within the provisions of Rules framed under Section 8 of the Karnataka State Civil Services Act, 1978 and the service as defined thereunder comes within the conditions of service specified under Article 323A(1)(c) of the Constitution of India.

(b) That in furtherance to the provisions of Article 323(A)(1) of the Constitution of India, the Parliament enacted the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985. Section 15 of the said Act, 1985 conferred the jurisdiction on the Administrative Tribunal in respect of matters pertaining

to recruitment to Civil Services or to any Civil Post of the State.

(c) That the Administrative Tribunal is the Court of first instance and the High Court would get the jurisdiction under Article 226 read with Article 227 of the Constitution only in exercise of its power of judicial review over the order that may be passed by the Administrative Tribunal. He relied upon the Judgment of the Apex Court in the case of *L.Chandra Kumar* (supra). Thus, he submitted the learned Single Judge in the first place had no jurisdiction to entertain the writ petition and in the second place even exercise of judicial review of the order passed by the Administrative Tribunal could be exercisable only by the Division Bench and not by learned Single Judge.

(d) That the writ jurisdiction cannot be converted as an alternate forum enlarging the scope to include the disputes which are specifically excluded under the provisions of Constitution of India and by the law settled by the Apex Court in the case of *L.Chandra Kumar* (Supra). He further relied upon the Judgment of the Apex Court in the case of **Union of India Vs Alapan Bandopadyaya** reported in **(2022) 3 SCC 133** in support of his submission.

(e) That the very notification was the subject matter of challenge before the Kalaburagi Bench of this Court in W.P.No.200032/2023 which was dismissed in view of law laid down by the Apex Court in the case of *L.Chandra Kumar* (supra) for want of jurisdiction. Thus, he submitted that the impugned order apart from being inconsistent to the order passed by the Coordinate Bench for want of jurisdiction also raises the territorial jurisdiction as it covers the recruitments in respect of candidates from Gulbarga District.

(f) That a decision rendered without impleading proper and necessary party is liable to be ignored by a party who is affected by the same is against the principles of natural justice. That in the instant case, since the names of the appellants were included in the provisional list and they not having been made party to the writ petition, the impugned order is liable to be ignored as not binding on them.

(q) It is further contended that policy of reservation in terms of Government order dated 12.12.1986 is in force for more than 36 years and without a prayer or a challenge to the same, learned Single Judge could not have guashed the notification. That the entire process of recruitment was based on the said order dated 12.12.1986, which prescribes determination of income of the husband of a married woman and not of her parents. That as per the notification instructions have been issued to comply with the requirement of notification and since the recruitment pertains to civil posts same would fall within the provisions of Section 15 of the Administrative Tribunals Act and challenge to the same would only be before Administrative Tribunal.

10. Sri.P.S.Rajagopal, learned Senior counsel appearing for learned counsel for appellants in W.A.No.886/2013 submitted that;

a) The very relief sought in the writ petition is seeking quash of provisional select list dated 18.11.2022 and for direction to respondent No.3 to consider the case of the petitioners under category 2A, 2B and 3A and 3B in the final select list. He submits the entire issue pertains to a service concerning post of civil service of the state. Thus, in terms of paragraph 99 of *L.Chandra Kumar's* case jurisdiction of the High Court is ousted.

b) Learned Senior counsel referred to provisions of Education Department Services, Karnataka State Civil Services Rules 1978 more particularly Rule 7 thereof providing for reservation of posts. He insisted that since the said Rules provide for recruitment to State Civil Services, provision of Section 15 and 28 of the Act, 1984 would apply excluding the jurisdiction of the High Court.

(c) Adverting to the reasoning assigned by learned Single Judge at paragraph 8 of the impugned order with reference to Judgments of the Apex Court in the case of *L.Chandra Kumar (supra) and T.K.Rangarajan* (*supra*) learned Senior counsel submitted that the facts of the case in *T.K.Rangarajan* are distinguishable in that, a case of "unprecedented extraordinary situation having no parallel" had involved. While the facts of the present case do not meet the factual situation of *T.K.Rangarajan* as there is no such extraordinary situation involved.

(d) That there is no whisper in the writ petition regarding approaching the Tribunal not being adequate and efficacious remedy. He contended that learned Single Judge had made out a new case which is not pleaded by the parties. In support of his contentions he referred to the Judgment of the Apex Court in the case of **Trozan & Co., Ltd., (1953) 1 SCC 456** paragraph 38 and the Judgment in the case of State of **W.B Vs W.B. Registration Copywriters Association (2009) 14 SCC 132.**

(e) Learned Senior counsel further submitted that concept of creamy layer at the national level was brought in the year 1992. As for as the State of Karnataka, the same was introduced much prior to 04.03.1977. The Government order was issued on 28.12.1983 and a subsequent order dated 12.12.1986 is in the form of instruction to the candidates and to the authority issuing the income certificate. That there has been no challenge to any of the orders namely order dated 28.12.1983 and the order dated:12.12.1986. As such no mandamus could have been issued.

(f) The provisions of Karnataka Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes and other Backward Classes (Reservation of Appointments Etc.,) Act, 1990, Karnataka Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes and other Backward Classes (Reservation of Appointments Etc.,) Rules, 1992 and the Government orders issued under the provisions of Article 16(4) of the Constitution of India. The said Government Order apart from laying down modalities of operation of reservation has clarified that to compute "family income" in respect of women candidates who are married the income of the parents should not be added to her income and in such case only income of their husband should be taken into consideration.

(g) That since the said Government orders have been passed in furtherance to the aforesaid Acts the same have become statutory orders and while making appointments to any office in the civil service of the State of Karnataka or a civil post under the State of Karnataka appointment or posts shall be reserved for scheduled castes, scheduled tribes and other backward classes to such extent and in such manner as may be specified from time to time. Rule 7 of the Recruitment Rules stipulates that the reservation of post shall be in accordance with the norms and extent provided under Rule 9 of the Karnataka Civil Services (General Recruitments) Rules, 1977.

(h) That the recruitment notification in the instant case stipulated that candidates claiming reservation as persons belonging to other backward classes, category-2A, 2B, 3A and 3B should submit along with their applications, caste cum income certificates in Form `F' stipulated under

Order dated 08.02.2023 in accordance with Rules 3A(2) and (3) of Reservation Rules. Thus, he submitted that learned Single Judge contrary to the aforesaid rules and the recruitment notification which are not even challenged, erroneously relied upon an inapplicable Judgment in the case of *Surinder Singh Vs Punjab State Electricity Board* reported in (2014) 15 SCC 676 to hold that while computing the family income in the case of married woman even the income of parents could be taken into consideration.

(i). That learned Single Judge erred in holding that the selecting authority acted without jurisdiction in rejecting the reservation claim of the petitioners on the premise that validity of the reservation certificates can be adjudicated only by District Caste and Income Verification Committee constituted under the Act and Rules.

11. Sri. Naik Nityanand Venkataraman, Sri.Mithun G.A., and Sri.Harish M.G., for the appellants

submitted their arguments supplementing the submission made by the learned Senior counsel.

12. Sri.K.N.Phanindra, learned Senior counsel appearing for the counsel for respondent Nos. 24 to 47 who were the petitioners in the writ petition submitted that;

(a) the core issue that was before the learned Single Judge was with regard to jurisdiction of the DDPI in interpreting the caste certificate and income certificate issued by the competent authorities. That since the said issue did not pertain to process of recruitment the writ petition was entertainable. That the judicial review is part of the basic structure of the Constitution of India. That the issue of "maintainability" of a writ petition being different from the issue of "entertainability" of the petition, there is no express constitutional bar in maintaining a writ petition. That learned Single Judge in excise of his discretionary any power has given the finding with regard to the entertainability of the writ petition and with regard to the jurisdiction of Deputy Director of Public Instruction in interpreting the caste certificate and income certificate, as such there is no infirmity in the impugned order.

(b) He submitted that the finding of the learned Single Judge is based on the Judgment of the Apex Court in the case of **T.K.Rangarajan** (supra) as it involved several thousands of candidates and the issue was only relating to interpretation of the caste and income certificate.

(c) That the learned Single Judge came to the conclusion that the caste verifying certificate is to be issued only on the income of the parents and the said conclusion has been arrived at based on the Judgment of the Apex Court in the case of *Surinder Singh vs. Punjab Electricity Board and others (2014) 15 SCC 767, Sunita Singh vs. State of U.P. (2018) 2 SCC 492, Ashok Bhushan Takhur vs. State of Bihar (1995) 5 SCC 403* and on the basis of judgment dated 19.11.2018 passed by the Coordinate Bench of this Court in the case of the context of the case of the

State of Karnataka vs. Smt. Yogeshwari and another (W.P.No.24119/2018).

(d) As regard the issue concerning Deputy Director of Public Instruction having jurisdiction to interpret the caste and income certificate, the learned Single Judge relying upon the judgment of the Division Bench of this Court in the case of *Executive Director, KEA vs. State and another 2018 SCC Online Kar.4112* has held that such interpretation can only be by authority which has issued the certificate and not the selecting authority.

e) Thus, he submitted the aforesaid core issues and the finding given by the learned Single Judge is based on the precedents and to the said extent the writ petition was entertainable and no infirmity could be found.

(f) Bringing to the notice of this Court the subsequent events that have taken place after passing of the impugned order, whereby the State Government conducted the proceedings on 07.02.2023 under the Chairmanship of Ministry of Primary and Secondary

Education resolving to implement the direction issued by the learned Single Judge, learned Senior counsel submitted that the State Government has published new provisional list on 27.02.2023 and after considering the objections to the said provisional list, the State Government has published the final selection list on 08.03.2023. As such, the writ appeals have become infructuous as nothing survives for consideration in view of the subsequent He submitted that if the appellants are development. aggrieved by the selection list dated 08.03.2023 they have separate cause of action and have to agitate the same before the appropriate forum. In support of his submission, learned Senior counsel relies upon the Judgment of the Apex Court in the cases of **Ramachandraprasad Singh** vs. Sharad Yadav (2021) 13 SCC 794, Pasupulipi Venkateshwaralu vs. The Motor and General Traders (1975)1 SCC 770 and K.N. Rajakumar vs. V. Nagarajan and others (2022) 4 SCC 617. Thus, he seeks for dismissal of the writ appeals.

13. Sri. Vikram Huilgol, learned Additional Advocate General for the respondent-State submitted that subsequent to the impugned order passed by the learned Single Judge a final selection list has been prepared taking into consideration both the Government order dated 12.12.1986 and the directions issued by the learned Single Judge. A total number of 67892 candidates were found eligible for selection in all the subjects, namely, English Language, Social Studies in Kannada, Urdu and Marati Medium, Mathematics and Science in Kannada, Urdu and Marati Medium, Biological science in Kannada, Urdu and Marati medium including Kalyana Karnataka Region. That out of said 67,892 eligible candidates a list in the ratio of prepared and instead of 30,000 1:2 was required candidates only 22,432 candidates were selected on roster and merit basis from all 35 districts, as some of the categories did not have twice the required number of candidates. That even though in some districts candidates are more they cannot be selected as the selection is district wise. In other words, an applicant who applied in a

particular district and wrote competitive exam in that district cannot be considered for some other district. That out of the 22,432 eligible candidates selected as above, after considering the income certificate of both husband and parents a list consisting of 13,342 candidates was prepared based on merit cum roster. Out of them 8,376 are women candidates 4,973 are male candidates and 3 are transgender. That on account of redoing the exercise by applying both circular dated 12.12.1986 and the judgment of learned Single Judge and by redrawing of a fresh list based on the individual merits of the candidates 451 candidates who were present in the earlier selection list dated 18.11.2022 have not found place in the revised selection list published on 08.03.2023. Thus, he submits that the final selection list is based on the order of the learned Single Judge and the Government order dated 12.12.1986 and that there is no departure from the reservation policy of the Government. Hence, seeks for dismissal of the appeals.

14. Heard. Perused the records.

15. Considering pleading and reliefs sought in the writ petition, reasons assigned by learned Single Judge in the impugned order, grounds urged in these appeals and the submissions made by learned counsel for the parties, at the outset what needs to be considered is;

a) Whether writ petition as filed seeking the reliefs thereunder is entertainable under Article226 of the Constitution of India?

16. In this regard at the first instance it is necessary to point out the nature and scope of the issue involved in the matter. It is beneficial to refer the impugned notification dated 21.03.2022 issued by the respondent-State Department of Public Education, Selection and Appointment Authority and District Deputy Director (Administration), Bangalore North Taluk. The title of the notification is "Recruitment Notification". The subject mentioned therein is the "recruitment to the post of Graduate Primary Teacher (for class 6 to 8) for the years 2020-21 to be filled by direct recruitment through District Level Competitive Examination". The said notification further refers to Karnataka Education Department Services (Public Education Department)(Recruitment)(Special) Rules, 2022, under which the same is issued. It further clarifies that the said notification for selection is issued for public information following the prevailing Rules as per the Recruitment Rules, Reservation Rules and Government Orders issued from time to time mentioned in reference for selection.

17. The aforesaid Rules 2022, have been framed by the State Government in exercise of powers conferred by Section 3 and 8 of the Karnataka State Civil Services Act, 1978. The recruitment process as mentioned in the notification consist of a competitive examination and preparation of select list on the basis of marks secured in the competitive examination with the weightage added in terms of Rule 6. Rule 7(i) of the Rules, 2022 stipulate that the reservation of post shall be in accordance with extant orders of Government and extant law including current orders of the State Government relating to reservation of posts for the persons belonging to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes and other backward classes. Rule 8 under the heading "Selection List" envisages publication of provisional select list, receiving and considering objections, if any, to the provisional select list and publication of final select list thereafter.

18. The policy providing for reservation of posts for the persons belonging to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes and other backward classes is traceable to the Government order dated 28.12.1983 which was issued under clause (4) of Article 16 of the Constitution of India providing the meaning of the phrase "family income" and the manner and method of its computation. The said order provides that while computing "family income" in the case of married women candidate income of her parents should not be added and only the income of her husband to be taken into consideration if they are staying separately as an independent family. If they are living in a joint family income of the candidate along with income of the joint family should be taken into consideration for calculation of family income. In the case of candidate who is a widow her income alone shall be taken into consideration irrespective of whether or not she lives independently.

19. By another order dated 12.12.1986 the Government reiterated the modalities of operation of reservation.

20. With effect from 01.06.1992 the Karnataka Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and other backward classes (Reservation of Appointments etc.) Act, 1990 (hereinafter referred to as `Reservation Act') was enforced. By the said Act all the Government Orders issued under clause(4) of Article 16 of the Constitution of India became statutory orders and it mandated that while making appointment to any office in a civil service of State of Karnataka or a Civil Post under the State of Karnataka, appointments or posts shall be reserved for Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes and other backward classes to such extent and in such manner as may be specified from time to time in the order made by the Government under clause (4) of Article 16 of the Constitution of India. The Act defines other backward classes to mean Communities, Castes and Tribes notified by the State Government from time to time under clause (4) of Article 15 and clause (4) of Article 16 of Constitution of India. The Act further provides mechanism and protocol for issuance of caste certificate, income and caste certificates and their validation.

21. In exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 of the Reservation Act, the State framed the Rules called the Karnataka Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes (Reservation of Appointment etc.) Rules, 1992. The order dated 08.02.2000 issued by the Government under the Rules stipulates that the income and caste certificate being issued to the candidates belonging to backward classes other than category-I to be in Form F.

the recruitment notifications 22. Thus, subject matter of the present *lis* which were issued for each District in the State on the same day stipulated that the candidates claiming reservation as persons belonging to other backward classes, category 2A, 2B, 3A and 3B to submit along with their applications caste cum income certificate in Form F as stipulated under the Government Order dated 08.02.2000 in accordance with Rule 3-A(2) and (3) on or before 22.04.2022 being the last date for submission of The notification further states that the applications. reservation certificates which are not as per the formats prescribed by Government Order dated 08.02.2000 and not issued in accordance with Rule 3-A(2) and (3) and if stipulated received after the date for receipt of applications, would be rejected.

23. Thus, the above undisputed material facts would reveal that the primary school teacher post of which recruitment is sought is a 'civil post' governed by the Karnataka Education Department Services(Department of Public Instruction) (Recruitment) Rules, 1967 and Amendment Rules, 2017. Thus, the said post being civil post under the State is governed under the Rules framed under Sub-Section (1) of Section 3 read with Section 8 of the Karnataka Civil Services Act, 1978.

24. The Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985 has been promulgated for adjudication or trial by the Administrative Tribunals of disputes and complaints with respect to recruitment and conditions of service of persons appointed to public services and posts in connection with the affairs of the Union or of any State or any local or other authority within the territory of India under the control of Government of India or of any corporation or society owned or controlled by the Government in pursuance of Article 323A of Constitution and the matters connected therewith are incidental thereto.

25. Section 15 of the Act, 1985 provides for exclusive jurisdiction of the Administrative Tribunal in relation to recruitment and matter concerning recruitment to any civil service or the State or to any civil post under the State. In other words the matters involving recruitment or matter concerning recruitment are to be dealt with adjudicated and determined by the Administrative Tribunal in terms of Section 15 of the Act, 1985.

26. Section 28 of the Act, 1985 exclude the jurisdiction of all courts except the Supreme Court under Article 136 of the Constitution of India and the Labour Courts and other authorities under the Industrial Disputes Act.

27. The Apex Court in the case of **L.Chandra Kumar Vs Union of India reported in (1997) 3 SCC 261** has held that the Administrative Tribunals constituted under Act, 1985 have jurisdiction to consider all the matters covered under the Act including issue relating to constitutional validity of the provisions relating to recruitment of employees and regulations governing the service conditions. The Apex Court has further held that all decisions of Administrative Tribunals would be subject to

the scrutiny by the Division Bench of their respective High Courts. Paragraph 93 and 94 of the said judgment of the Apex Court are extracted hereunder;

> "93. Before moving on to other aspects, we may summarise conclusions on the jurisdictional powers of these Tribunals. The Tribunal are competent to hear matters where the vires of statutory provisions a for the High Courts and the Supreme Court which have, under questioned. However, in discharging this duty, they cannot act as substitute constitutional set-up, been specifically entrusted with such an obligation Their function in this respect is only supplementary and all such decisions of the Tribunals will be subject to scrutiny before a Division Bench of the respective High Courts. The Tribunals will consequently also have the power a to test the vires of subordinate legislations and rules. However, this power of the Tribunals will be subject to one important exception. The Tribunals shall not entertain any question regarding the vires of their parent statutes following the settled principle that a Tribunal which is a creature of an Act cannot declare that very Act to be unconstitutional. In such cases alone, the High Court concerned may be approached directly. All other decisions of b these Tribunals, rendered in cases that they are specifically empowered to adjudicate upon by virtue of their parent statutes, will also be subject to scrutiny before a Division Bench of their respective High Courts. (We may add that the Tribunals will, however, continue to act as the only courts of first instance in respect of the areas of law for which they have been constituted. By this, we mean that it will not be open for litigants to directly approach the High Courts even in cases where they question the vires of statutory legislations (except, as mentioned, where the legislation which creates the particular Tribunal is challenged) by overlooking the jurisdiction of the Tribunal concerned.

> 94. The directions issued by us in respect of making the decisions of Tribunals amenable to scrutiny before a Division Bench of the respective High Courts

will, however, come into effect prospectively i.e. will apply to decisions rendered hereafter. To maintain the sanctity of judicial proceedings, we have invoked the doctrine of prospective overruling so as not to disturb the procedure in relation to decisions already rendered".

28. Further the Apex Court in the case of **Union of**

India vs. Allapan Bandyopadhyay reported in (2022) 3

SCC 133 following its judgment passed in L.Chandra

kumar's case at paragraph 38, 39 and 40 has held as

under;

"38. When once a Constitution Bench of this Court declared the law "all decisions of Tribunals created under Article 323-A and Article 323-B of the High Court within whose jurisdiction the Tribunal concerned falls", of the Constitution will be subject to the scrutiny before a Division Bench It is impermissible to make any further construction on the said issue. The will cover and take within its sweep orders passed on applications or otherwise b expression "all decisions of these Tribunals used by the Constitution Bench to another Bench of the Tribunal in exercise of the power under Section 25 of in the matter of transfer of original applications from one Bench of the Tribunal the Act.

39. In other words, any decision of such a Tribunal, including the one a Division Bench of a High Court within whose jurisdiction the Tribunal passed under Section 25 of the Act could be subjected to scrutiny only before concerned falls. This unambiguous exposition of law has to be followed scrupulous while deciding the jurisdictional High Court for the purpose of bringing in challenge against-an-order of transfer of an original application from one Bench of

Tribunal to another Bench in the invocation of Section 25 of the Act.

40. The law thus declared by the Constitution Bench cannot be revisited by the bundle of facts to ascertain whether they would confer territorial jurisdiction a Bench of lesser quorum or for that matter by the High Courts by looking into to the High Court within the ambit of Article 226(2) of the Constitution. We are of the considered view that taking another view would undoubtedly result in indefiniteness and multiplicity in the matter of jurisdiction in situations when a decision passed under Section 25 of the Act is to be called in question especially in cases involving multiple parties residing within the jurisdiction of different High Courts albeit aggrieved by one common order passed by the Chairman at the Principal Bench at New Delhi".

29. Thus, from the aforesaid factual aspect of the matter, applicable provisions of law and the judgments of the Apex Court it is clear that in the matters of recruitment process, it is the Tribunal under the Act, 1985 which is the court of first instance and the role of Division Bench of the High Court within whose jurisdiction the Tribunal is situated is only in exercise of and judicial review under Article 226/227 of constitution of India.

30. The Apex Court in the case of **Rajendra Diwan vs. Pradeep Kumar Ranibala** reported in **(2019) 20 SCC 143** at para 86 has held as under;

"86. In exercise of its extraordinary power of superintendence and/or judicial review under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India, the High Courts restrict interference to cases of patent error of law which go to the root of the decision; perversity; arbitrariness and/or unreasonableness; violation of principles of natural justice, lack of jurisdiction and usurpation of powers. The High Court does not re-assess or re-analyse the evidence and/or materials on record. Whether the High Court would exercise its writ jurisdiction to test a decision of the Rent Control Tribunal would depend on the facts and circumstances of the case. The writ jurisdiction of the High Court cannot be converted into an alternative appellate forum, just because there is no other provision of appeal in the eye of the law".

31. Viewed in that light the next question that arises is whether the reasoning assigned by learned Single Judge while answering issue No.1 regarding maintainability of the writ petition is justified. As seen at paragraph 8 of the impugned order though learned Single Judge has taken note of the law laid down by the Apex Court in the case of *L.Chandra Kumar* has chosen to rely upon judgment of the apex court in the case of *T.K.Rangarajan vs. State of Tamil Nadu* reported in (2003) 6 SCC 581. The facts which involved in the case of *T.K.Rangarajan* as narrated at para 2 therein reveal that the Tamil Nadu Government had terminated services of all employees who had resorted to strike for their demands. The said

'unprecedented action' was challenged before the High Court of Madras by filing petitions under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India, in which by an interim order the learned Single Judge had directed the State that the suspension Government and dismissal of employees without conducting any enquiry be kept in abeyance until further orders and the such employees were directed to resume the duty. The said interim order was questioned in the writ appeal before the Division Bench of the High Court which set aside the interim order by arriving at a conclusion that without exhausting alternative remedy of approaching the Administrative Tribunal, writ petitions were not maintainable. The said case also involved total detention of about 2211, out of which 74 were ladies and only 165 male and 7 female personals had been released on bail. Considering the pathetic conditions of arrestees who were mainly clerks and subordinate staff the Court had directed their release on bail. This order of the Division Bench was challenged by filing an appeal seeking similar reliefs under Article 32 of the Constitution. The Apex Court

in the aforesaid factual background of the matter at paragraphs 5 held that,

"5. At the outset, it is to be reiterated that under Article 226 of the Constitution the High Court empowered to exercise its extraordinarv is jurisdiction to meet unprecedented extraordinary situation having no parallel. It is equally true that the extraordinary powers are required to be sparingly used. The fact of the present case reveal that this was most extraordinary case which called for interference by the High Court as the State Government has dismissed about two Lakhs employees for going on strike. "

(Emphasis supplied by us)

32. At paragraph 6 and 7 taking note of the law laid down in the case of *L.Chandrakumar*, and also the observation of the Court at para 77, 78 and 81 of *Keshvananda Bharathi* case, at para 10 has held as under;

"10. There cannot be any doubt that the aforesaid of judgment of the larger Bench of this Court and we respectfully agree with same. However, in a case like this, thousand of employees are directed to approach the Tribunal, the Tribunal would not be in a position to render justice to the cause. <u>Hence, as stated earlier</u> <u>because of very very exceptional circumstances</u> <u>that arose in the present case, there was no</u> <u>justifiable reason for the High Court not to</u> <u>entertain the petition on the ground of alternative</u> <u>remedy provided under the statute."</u>

(Emphasis supplied by us)

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33. It is further seen in the said judgment the larger issue involved was also with regard to the consideration of fundamental right to go on strike.

34. As rightly pointed out by Sri. P.S.Rajagopal, learned Senior counsel appearing for some of the appellants, that the facts obtained in the case of *T.K.Rangarajan* (supra) on completely different and distinct from that of the facts involved in the case at hand. In the instant case it is only rejection of caste and income certificates of some of the candidates during the recruitment process. Their names are only figured in a selection provisional list. No vested right as such is created in their favour except expectation of being selected. This cannot be construed as "an unprecedented extraordinary situation having no parallel", as pointed out by the Apex Court in its judgment in **T.K.Rangarajan's** case.

35. It is also relevant to note at this juncture that a similar petition seeking quash of endorsement had been filed in W.P.No.200032/2023 (S-RES) before learned Single

Judge at Kalburagi Bench of this court and another batch of writ petitions in W.P.No.5009/2023 (S-RES) connected with other matters were filed before learned Single Judge of this Court. Taking note of the law laid by the Apex Court in the case of *L.Chandra Kumar* (supra) and relevant provisions the Administrative Tribunal Act, 1985, these writ petitions were dismissed/disposed of by orders dated 12.01.2023 and 26.5.2023 respectively, reserving liberty to the petitioners their in to approach the Tribunal constituted under the Administrative Tribunal Act, 1985.

36. As rightly pointed out by Sri. Lakshminarayan, learned Senior counsel appearing for some of the appellants the aforesaid orders passed by the Coordinate Benches in dismissing the writ petitions and the impugned order in entertaining the writ petition on the very ground of jurisdiction by interpreting the law laid down by the Apex Court in the *L.Chandra Kumar's* case has lead to an irreconcilable anomalous situation.

37. Necessary to note at this iuncture the submissions made by Sri. K.N.Phanindra, learned Senior counsel who sought to make a distinction between "maintainability" and "entertainability" of a writ petition. any writ petition in exercise of review True it is that jurisdiction of the high Court under Article 226 and 227 is maintainable. The question whether relief sought therein in the given facts and the position of law could be entertained?. As noted in the instant case, in view of statutory bar contained under the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985 and the legal position enunciated by the Apex Court in L.Chandra Kumar's case, it is very clear that the Tribunals constituted under the Act, 1985 are the courts of first instance in the matters pertaining to the process of recruitment and it is only a Division Bench of the respective High Courts vested with power of judicial review against the decision/orders passed by the Tribunals.

38. For the aforesaid reasons and analysis, we are of the considered view that the writ petition filed by the respondent Nos. 27 to 47 seeking reliefs as sought for therein, under the facts and circumstances of the case could not have been entertained that too solely relying upon the judgment of the Apex Court in the case of **T.K.Rangarajan** (supra), facts of which are palpably different and distinguishable.

39. Since our conclusion on the entertainability of the writ petition having been arrived at in the negative, we refrain from expressing any opinion on the merits or otherwise of the contentions raised on the two other issues dealt with by learned Single Judge. It is therefore, appropriate that impugned order be set aside and all the contentions regarding the said issues be kept open to be urged before the Tribunal.

40. Before parting, it is necessary and imperative to note, at the cost of repetition, that in the affidavit dated 24.08.2023 filed on behalf of the respondents -State it is deposed that in terms of the notifications dated 21.03.2022 issued for each of the 35 Districts 15,000 posts were notified for recruitment of Graduate Primary Teachers

in Government primary schools (6 to 8 standard) (5,000 for Kalyana Karnataka District and 10,000 for other Districts). It is further deposed that 1,06,083 applicants had participated, out of which a total number of 67,892 candidates were found eligible for selection in all subjects. That out of said 67,892 eligible candidates an eligible list in the ratio of 1:2 was prepared and instead of 30,000 candidates only 22,432 were selected on roster and merit basis from all 35 Districts. It is deposed that it is because some of the categories did not have required number of candidates, as such, there was a shortfall in numbers of candidates selected in specific subject. It is further deposed that subsequent to the impugned order passed by the learned Single Judge a selection list in the ratio of 1:1 was prepared and published on 08.03.2023. That the said list was prepared taking into consideration both the Government order dated 12.12.1986 and the order of the In that, out of 22,432 eligible learned Single Judge. candidates, income certificate of both husband and parents was considered and a list consisting of 13,352 candidates

was prepared on the basis of merit cum roster. Out of this 8,376 are women candidates, 4,973 are male candidates and 3 are transgenders. It is further deposed that on account of re-doing the exercise by applying both circular dated 12.12.1986 and the order of the learned Single Judge while drawing up a fresh list on the basis of individual merits of the candidates 451 candidates whose names were enlisted in the earlier selection list dated 18.11.2022 have been left out and have not found place in the revised selection list published on 08.03.2023.

Referring to aforesaid contents of the affidavit 41. and the documents produced at Annexure-R1, R2, R3 R4, R5 and R6 to the said affidavit, Sri. Vikram Huilgol, learned Additional Advocate General submitted that the respondent-State Government be permitted to proceed with appointments at least in respect of the said 13352 candidates. He submitted that acute shortage of teachers is impacting the State function in imparting education which is a constitutional obligation of the State. He further submitted that the candidates whose names that were

found in the earlier selection list dated 18.11.2022 and did not find place in the revised selection list published on 08.03.2023 is only numbering 451 and the names of the remaining candidates were in any case existed in the said earlier selection list dated 18.11.2022. He submitted that the State would ensure that such appointments would be subject to the outcome of the challenge being made by the petitioners in these petitions.

42. In response, it was contended on behalf of the appellants that if such a process is adopted same would adversely affect the carrier prospects of the appellants. It is also contended on behalf of the appellants that the effect of the impugned order passed by the learned Single Judge is that around 350 selectees are now substituted by another set of 350 candidates. Therefore, it is contended on behalf of the appellants that even the appellants herein be appointed against the admitted vacant posts subject to outcome of the challenge being raised by them.

43. In response, learned Additional Advocate General, submitted that the request of the appellants to accommodate them in the selection process was not practicable inasmuch as different notifications were issued for each of the 35 districts and the candidates who have applied in one district cannot be considered for another district merely because vacancy available in other districts. Also because the requirement in each district varies as the notification has been issued considering the local requirement arising on subject wise. Such accommodation of the appellants would also impact the reservation roster.

44. We have given our anxious consideration to the aforesaid submissions made on behalf of the State and the appellants. It is not in dispute that the Deputy Director of Public Instruction the appointing authority had rejected the candidature of the writ petitioners on the premise of they not furnishing the caste cum income certificates as prescribed in the notifications and had brought them under General Merit Category. This issue however requires consideration in a properly constituted petition before the Administrative Tribunal as held by us hereinabove.

45. Thus, considering imminent requirement of the Graduate Primary School Teachers and large vacancy across the State and in the interest of the students of 6 to standards who are left high and dry for want of 8 teachers, we are of the considered view that the respondent-State be permitted to proceed with appointing teachers from 13352 selected candidates as per the list dated 08.03.2023 produced at Annexure-R6 to the affidavit. It is however made clear since it is deposed in the affidavit that the said list at Annexure-R6 has been prepared and published on 08.06.2023 by taking into consideration income certificate of both husband and parents, as well as on merit cum roster, the appointment of the candidates who have not submitted the caste cum income certificate in the form prescribed in the notification and which is not in terms of Government Order dated 12.12.1986, and who are included in the list in view of the order passed by learned Single Judge be deferred until the outcome of the result of the challenge.

46. As regards the remaining 451 posts since it is contended that their names have been excluded purely on the merit basis, it is clarified that if in the event the eligibility of such candidates who have not furnished the caste cum income certificate in the prescribed form is held to be invalid, such posts may be filled from amongst the candidates who have been excluded on merits and the candidates who have submitted certificates in the prescribed form.

47. We further make it clear that this provision enabling the State Government to proceed with the process of appointment is made under the peculiar fact situation of the matter wherein the present litigation has brought the process of appointment of teachers of class 6 to 8 across the State to a grinding halt only on account of rejection of application of some of the candidates by the Deputy Director of Public Instruction for want of caste cum income certificate in the prescribed form.

With the above observation, writ appeals are partly allowed. Impugned order dated 30.01.2023 passed in W.P.No.23752/2022 (GM-CC) is set aside. Respondent-State is permitted to proceed appointing the teachers in the lines of observation made in paragraphs 45 and 46 hereinabove.

> Sd/-CHIEF JUSTICE

> > Sd/-JUDGE

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