



CNR: KAHC010549052026

NC: 2026:KHC:42099-DB
WP No. 24723 of 2026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 10TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2026

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAYANT BANERJI

AND

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE T.P.VIVEKANANDA

WRIT PETITION NO. 24723 OF 2026 (EDN-RES)

BETWEEN:

SRI AKHILESH VUPPALAPATI
S/O PADMARAJU VUPPALAPATI
AGED ABOUT 17 YEARS 300 DAYS,
REPRESENTED BY HIS NATURAL GUARDIAN
SRI. PADMARAJU VUPPALAPATI
R/A.09, 4TH MAIN, 6TH CROSS,
NEAR NANJAPPA CIRCLE,
GURUDARSHAN LAYOUT,
BANGALORE NORTH, VIDYARANYAPURA,
BANGALORE-560 097

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. VIVEK SUBBA REDDY, SENIOR ADVOCATE FOR
SRI. SUBBA REDDY K.N., ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. UNION OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION,

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signed by K S
RENUKAMBA
Location:
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REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY
KARTAVYA BHAWAN 2,
CENTRAL SECRETARIAT
NEW DELHI-110001

2. INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY,
KHARAGPUR-721302
REPRESENTED BY ITS REGISTRAR
3. JOINT SEAT ALLOCATION AUTHORITY,
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION,
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY
KARTAVYA BHAWAN 2,
CENTRAL SECRETARIAT
NEW DELHI-110001

...RESPONDENTS

THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLE 226 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA PRAYING TO i)ISSUE A WRIT IN THE NATURE OF MANDAMUS, OR ANY OTHER APPROPRIATE WRIT, ORDER OR DIRECTION, DIRECTING THE RESPONDENT AUTHORITIES TO FORTHWITH CONFIRM THE SEAT ALLOTTED TO THE PETITIONER IN THE 4 YEAR BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (PHYSICS) PROGRAMME AT THE RESPONDENT NO.2 INSTITUTE FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2026-27 IN TERMS OF THE PROVISIONAL SEAT ALLOTMENT LETTER DATED 21/07/2026 VIDE ANNEXURE-F, AND TO PERMIT THE PETITIONER TO CONTINUE AND COMPLETE THE SAID COURSE AND ETC.

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

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAYANT BANERJI
and
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE T.P.VIVEKANANDA



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ORAL ORDER

(PER: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAYANT BANERJI)

This petition is filed seeking the following reliefs:

"I. Issue a Writ in the nature of Mandamus, or any other appropriate writ, order or direction, directing the Respondent Authorities to forthwith confirm the seat allotment to the Petitioner in the 4 Year Bachelor of Science (Physics) programme at the Respondent No.2 Institute for the academic year 2026-27 in terms of the Provisional Seat Allotment Letter dated 21.07.2026 vide Annexure-F, and to permit the Petitioner to continue and complete the said course, in the interest of justice and equity.

II. Grant such reliefs as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit under the facts and circumstances of the case at hand in the interest of justice and equity."

2. After some submissions, Sri.Vivek Subba Reddy, learned Senior counsel for the petitioner has fairly sought leave of the Court to withdraw this petition with liberty to file a petition before the appropriate Court having territorial jurisdiction in the matter.



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3. The Petition is therefore dismissed leaving it open for the petitioner to avail of such remedy before the appropriate Court as advised.

**Sd/-
(JAYANT BANERJI)
JUDGE**

**Sd/-
(T.P.VIVEKANANDA)
JUDGE**

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