

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR.ASHOK BHUSHAN
&
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE A.M.SHAFFIQUE**

THURSDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2015/7TH KARTHIKA, 1937

WP(C).No. 32936 of 2015 (N)

PETITIONER :

**BALAKRISHNA GOWDA
S/O. LAKSHMANA GOWDA, AGED 56 YEARS, DELAMPADI
DELAMPADI P.O., KASARAGOD DISTRICT.**

BY ADV. SRI. I.V. PRAMOD

RESPONDENT(S) :

- 1. DISTRICT COLLECTOR
VIDYANAGAR, KASARAGOD DISTRICT – 671 101.**
- 2. DISTRICT POLICE CHIEF
VIDYANAGAR, KASARAGOD DISTRICT – 671 101.**
- 3. SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE
ADHUR POLICE STATION,
KASARAGOD DISTRICT – 671 106.**
- 4. STATE ELECTION COMMISSION
REPRESENTED BY SECRETARY
CORPORATION OFFICE, BUILDING COMPLEX
LMS JUNCTION, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM – 695 033.**

**R1 TO R3 BY STATE ATTORNEY SRI. P. VIJAYARAGHAVAN
R4 BY ADV. SRI.MURALI PURUSHOTHAMAN, SC**

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 29-10-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE
FOLLOWING:**

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APPENDIX

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS :

EXT.P1 : COPY OF THE REPRESENTATION DATED 20/10/2015 SUBMITTED TO
THE 2ND RESPONDENT.

EXT.P1(a) ENGLISH TRANSLATION FO EXHIBIT P1.

RESPONDENT'S EXHIBITS : NIL

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P.S. TO JUDGE

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**ASHOK BHUSHAN, C.J &
A.M. SHAFFIQUE, J.**

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Dated this the 29th day of October 2015

J U D G M E N T

Ashok Bhushan, CJ.

The petitioner has approached this Court seeking for police protection. It is a matter relating to conduct of election. According to him, he is a candidate for election which is notified to be held on 2.11.2015.

2. We have already observed in WP(C).31592 of 2015 that it is for the Government to take necessary action to ensure proper conduct of election. In that case, learned counsel appearing for the State Election Commission has stated that the Commission shall take such steps as has been notified by the police and which had been declared as a vulnerable polling booth in which proper instructions will be given.

We take on record the above submission and dismiss the writ petition.

**Sd/-
ASHOK BHUSHAN
CHIEF JUSTICE**

**Sd/-
A.M. SHAFFIQUE
JUDGE**