



O.P.No.811 of 2022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: **07.06.2023**

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THE HONOURABLE **MR.JUSTICE K.KUMARESH BABU**
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1.M.Ravi Shankar

2.Umesh Muliya

... Petitioners

PRAYER: Original Petition filed for Succession Certificate under Section 372 of the Indian Succession Act, 1925 and under Order XXV Rule 6 of Original Side Rules, prays to grant a Succession Certificate in the name of Mr.M.Ravi Shankar and Mr.Umesh Muliya, the petitioners hereinwith power to collect the debts and securities and to receive the interest and dividends on and negotiate and transfer the securities specified in the scheduled hereto.

For Petitioners : Mr.G.Balasubramanian

ORDER

The petitioners seek Succession Certificate in respect of the debts and securities held by M.S.Keshava Bhat @ M.S.K.Bhat @ M.S.Kesava Bhat, who died intestate on 20.10.1991. The petitioners are the sons of the deceased M.S.Keshava Bhat @ M.S.K.Bhat @ M.S.Kesava Bhat.



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2. The first petitioner has been examined as P.W.1. He has produced the death certificate of the deceased M.S.Keshava Bhat, as Ex.P1. The legal heirship certificate of the deceased M.S.Keshava Bhat, has marked as Ex.P2. A perusal of Ex.P2 shows that the petitioners are the only surviving Class-I legal heirs of the deceased. A paper publication has been made and any objections have not been received.

3. In view of the above said evidence, the Original Petition is allowed by granting Succession Certificate in favour of the petitioners in respect of the debts and securities mentioned in the schedule to the petition.

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Index : Yes/No

Speaking: Yes/ No

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

Petitioners' witness:

P.W.1 — Mr.Ravi Shankar



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Documents exhibited by the petitioners:

<i>Exhibits</i>	<i>Documents</i>
Ex.P1	Computer generated death certificate of M.S.Keshava Bhat
Ex.P2	Computer generated Legal Heirship certificate of M S Keshava Bhat
Ex.P3	Photocopy of the first petitioner's Aadhar Card
Ex.P4	(Series 2 Nos) are the photocopies of the shares certificates in TVS Motor company limited bearing certificates Nos.6929 and 18062 standing in the Name of Bhat MSK
Ex.P5	Photocopy of the share certificate in Titan Industries Ltd bearing certificate No.10920 standing in the name of M.S.K.Bhat
Ex.P6	(Series 3 Nos) are the photocopies of the shares certificates in Sundaram-Clayton Ltd bearing certificate Nos.004075, 9079 and 3198 standing in the name of Keshava Bhat M S
Ex.P7	Photocopy of letter dated 26.07.2021 issued by TSR Darashaw Consultants Pvt Ltd addressed to the petitioner in respect of 150 shares held by MSK Bhat in TATA Steel Ltd
Ex.P8	(Series 2 Nos) are the photocopies of shares certificates in Coromandel International Ltd bearing certificate Nos.15293 and 22144 standing in the name of M S K Bhat
Ex.P9	Online printout of letter dated 27.04.2021 issued by KFIN Technologies Pvt. Ltd., addressed to MSK Bhat in respect of 320 shares held by him in Reliance Industries Ltd with E-mail dated 19.04.2021 sent by KFIN Technologies to one Ganapathy.
Ex.P10	Photocopy of share certificate in Grasim Industries Ltd., bearing certificate No.3326087 standing in the name of MSK Bhat
Ex.P11	Photocopy of share certificate in Aditya Birla Capital Ltd., bearing certificate No.346058 standing in the name of MSK



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	Bhat
Ex.P12	Photocopy of share certificate in Aditya Birla Fashion and Retail Ltd., bearing certificate No.24046 standing in the name of MSK Bhat
Ex.P13	(Series 6 Nos) are the photocopies of shares certificates in GHCL Gujarat Heavy Chemicals Ltd bearing certificate Nos.67743, 67746, 67745, 67744, 67742 and 67747 standing in the name of MSK Bhat
Ex.P14	Photocopy of share certificate in Hindalco Industries Ltd bearing certificate No.18677 standing in the name of MSK Bhat
Ex.P15	Photocopies of shares certificates in India Glycols Ltd bearing certificate Nos.160391, 160390, 160389 and 160388 standing in the name of MS Kesava Bhat
Ex.P16	Photocopy of letter dated 11.07.2021 sent by Kfin Technologies Pvt Ltd addressed to the first petitioner in respect of 180 shares held by M S Keshava Bhat in Larsen & Toubro Ltd
Ex.P17	Photocopy of share certificate in SBI Mutual Fund bearing certificate No.00184045 standing in the name of MSK Bhat
Ex.P18	(Series 5 Nos) are the photocopies of shares certificates in TVS Electronics Ltd bearing certificate Nos.025244, 025241, 024650, 006819 and 006820 standing in the name of Bhat MSK
Ex.P19	Photocopy of letter dated 07.07.2021 from Kfin Technologies Pvt Ltd addressed to the petitioner in respect of 16 nos of shares held by MS Keshava Bhat
Ex.P20	(Series 2 Nos) are the photocopies of shares certificates in Sunflag Iron & Steel Company Ltd bearing certificate Nos.7116 and 11487 standing in the name of MSK Bhat
Ex.P21	Photocopy of share certificate in APM Finvest Ltd bearing certificate No.2414 standing in the name of MSK Bhat



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Ex.P22	Photocopy of share certificate in Garware Plastics & Polyester Ltd bearing certificate No.0179193 standing in the name of MS Keshava Bhat
Ex.P23	Photocopy of letter from Link Intime India Pvt Ltd., addressed to the petitioner in respect of 25 numbers of shares held by Keshava Bhat MS in Whirlpool of India Ltd
Ex.P24	Photocopy of share certificate in Wabco-TVS(India) Ltd bearing certificate No.004075 standing in the name of Keshava Bhat MS
Ex.P25	Photocopy of share certificate in Garware Marine Industries Ltd bearing certificate No.0013743 standing in the name of MSK Bhat
Ex.P26	Photocopy of Account statement as on 15.10.2013 in respect of savings account bearing account No.603301007650 standing in the name Mr.Keshava Bhat in ICICI Bank, Besant Nagar Branch, Chennai
Ex.P27	Copy of paper publication effected in Tamil Daily “Makkal Kural” on 25.02.2023

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