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NC: 2026:KHC:61685
WP No. 13101 of 2025

CNR: KAHC010269522025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 05TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE V SRISHANANDA

WRIT PETITION No.13101 OF 2025 (GM-RES)

BETWEEN:

1. SMT VANAJA V
W/O VELLADURAI,
AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS,
R/AT. NO. 83, NEAR ST. ROCKS CHURCH
MEGHANA PALAYA, CHELIKERE
BENGALURU NORTH,
BENGALURU-560 023

2. SRI. SHANKAR R,
S/O. RAMU
AGED ABOUT 51 YEARS,
R/O NO.155, 2ND CROSS,
RAMAIAH LAYOUT,
KACHARAKANAHALLI,
ST. THOMAS TOWN
BENGALURU -560 084

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Location: HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA

3. SRI T. VIJI
S/O THABASIMUTHU
AGED ABOUT 42 YEARS
R/AT NO.35, KIDZEE SCHOOL
GANGAMMA CIRCLE, JALAHALLI
BENGALURU-560 013

4. SRI. MANOHAR N K
S/O NATARAJ
AGED ABOUT 46 YEARS
R/AT NO.221, 8TH MAIN
HRBR LAYOUT, FIRST BLOCK,

KALYAN NAGAR
BENGALURU-560 043

5. SRI. PREMKUMAR K
S/O KRISHNA
AGED ABOUT 47 YEARS
R/AT NO.11, VINAYAKA LAKE VIEW RESIDENCY
KARE GOWDRU LAYOUT
LAKE LINE ROAD,
KANAKA NAGAR,
BENGALURU-560 043

…PETITIONERS

(BY SRI. TRIVIKRAM S, ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. STATE OF KARNATAKA
REPRESENTED BY ITS CHIEF SECRETARY
ROOM NO.320, 3RD FLOOR,
VIDHANASOUDHA,
BENGALURU – 560001

2. DIRECTOR-GENERAL AND
INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE
POLICE HEADQUARTERS, NO.2,
NRUPATUNGA ROAD,
BENGALURU- 560001

3. THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE
HAVING OFFICE AT,
NO.2, ALI ASKER ROAD,
VASANTHNAGAR
BENGALURU -560051

4. STATION HOUSE OFFICER
BANASWADI POLICE STATION,
BENGALURU-560043

…RESPONDENTS

(BY SMT.WAHEEDA.M.M, HIGH COURT GOVERNMENT PLEADER)

THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND 227 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA R/W SECTION 482 CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE PRAYING TO DIRECT THE RESPONDENT NO.4 TO IMMEDIATELY REGISTER AN FIR AGAINST THE ACCUSED IN PURSUANT OF THE COMPLAINTS DATED 16.01.2025 AND 18.01.2025 AS PER ANNEXURE-A TO E IN VIEW OF ORDER PASSED IN CASE OF THE LALITHA KUMARI VS. STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH IN (2013) 14 SCR 713 AND ETC.,

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

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE V SRISHANANDA

ORAL ORDER

Heard Sri Trivikram S, learned counsel for the petitioners and Smt. M.M.Waheeda, learned High Court Government Pleader.

2. Sri H.V.Sudharshan, Police Inspector, Banaswadi, who is the Station House Officer, is present before the Court.

3. Petition is filed with the following prayer:

> *"(a) Issue a writ in the nature of mandamus or nay other appropriate writ directing the respondent No.4 to immediately register an FIR against three Accused in pursuant of the complaints dated 16.01.2025 and 18.01.2025 as per Annexure-A to E in view of order passed in case of the Lalitha Kumari vs. State of Uttar Pradesh in (2013)14 SCR 713.*

(b) To issue writ in the nature of mandamus or any other writ or a direction to the respondent No.3, to refer the matter for investigation to other investigating agencies to Central Crime Branch."

4. The Station House Officer who is present before the Court would submit that he would make necessary enquiry and file the report on or before ***25th November 2026***.

5. Placing the said submission on record, writ petition stands ***disposed of.***

Sd/-
(V SRISHANANDA)
JUDGE

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