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WP No. 13316 of 2022

CNR: KAHC010297642022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 28TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2026

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANU SIVARAMAN

AND

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.S.BHARATH KUMAR

WRIT PETITION NO. 13316 OF 2022 (LB-RES)

BETWEEN:

1. SRI GURUNATH VADDE
   S/O VAJINATH VADDE,
   AGED ABOUT 55 YEARS,
   RESIDING AT JANASEVA ASHRAMA BHAVANI,
   BIJAL GAUM, KAMALANAGARA TALUK,
   BIDAR DISTRICT-585443.

…PETITIONER

(BY SRI. J. R. MOHAN., ADVOCATE)

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Location: High Court of Karnataka

AND:

1. THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
   DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE,
   GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA,
   BENGALURU-560001.

2. THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
   DEPARTMENT OF PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT,
   GOVT. OF KARNATAKA,
   BENGALURU-560001.

3. THE SECRETARY
KALYANA KARNATAKA PRADESH ABHIVRUDHI
MANDALI,
KALBURGI-585401.

4. THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
BIDAR DISTRICT,
BIDAR 585401.

5. THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
ZILLA PANCHAYATH,
BIDAR 585326.

…RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI.PRUTHVI WODEYAR., ADVOCATE FOR R3;

SRI. N. PRAVEEN KUMAR, ADVOCATE FOR R5;

SRI. KHAMROZ KHAN, AGA FOR R1, R2 AND R4)

THIS WP IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND 227 OF CONSTITUTION OF INDIA TO ISSUE A WWRIT IN NATUR OF MANDAMUS DIRECTING THE RESPONDENTS 1 TO 5 SHALL CONSIDER THE REPRESENTATION DATED 01.06.2022 VIDE ANNEXURE-A WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT AND ISSUE A WRIT OR ORDER AS THIS HON'BLE COURT DEEMS FIT UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CASE, IN THE INTEREST OF JUSTICE AND EQUITY.

THIS PETITION IS COMING ON FOR PRELIMINARY HEARING, THIS DAY, JUDGMENT WAS DELIVERED THEREIN AS UNDER:

CNR: KAHC010297642022

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANU SIVARAMAN
and
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.S.BHARATH KUMAR

ORAL JUDGMENT

(PER: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANU SIVARAMAN)

This writ petition is filed seeking directions to respondents No.1 to 5 to consider Annexure-A representation dated 01.06.2022.

2. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the complaint raised in Annexure-A representation is with regard to lack of road and connectivity in respect of the Thandas in Aurad Taluk.

3. It is submitted that the residents of the Thandas are required to walk to the Grama Panchayath and Taluk Centres, as well as to various Government offices including two hospitals, in order to access essential public services. It is further submitted that the representation submitted by the petitioner deserves consideration by the respondents. Having considered the contentions advanced, we are of the opinion

that it is appropriate to direct the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation in accordance with law.

4. In the above view of the matter, respondents No.4 and 5 are directed to consider Annexure-A to the representation, examine the matter, and take appropriate steps in accordance with law. While considering the representation and passing appropriate orders, respondents Nos. 4 and 5 shall also take into account the existing state of affairs and the accessibility and the facilities available at present.

5. For the purpose of proper consideration of the matter, it shall be open to the petitioner to submit a fresh representation setting out all their grievances before respondents No.4 and 5. Respondent No.5 shall also afford an opportunity of hearing to a representative of the petitioners before passing orders.

6. Respondents Nos.4 and 5 shall pass appropriate orders within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this judgment.

7. Accordingly, the writ petition is ***disposed off.***

Sd/-
(ANU SIVARAMAN)
JUDGE

Sd/-
(K.S.BHARATH KUMAR)
JUDGE

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