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NC: 2026:KHC:59860-DB
CCC No. 672 of 2026
CNR: KAHC010396782026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU
DATED THIS THE 28TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2026
PRESENT
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAYANT BANERJI
AND
THE HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE N.V.BHAVANI
CIVIL CONTEMPT PETITION NO.672 OF 2026

BETWEEN:

1. M. NAGAPPA
   S/O. MUNISHETTY
   AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS,
   RETIRED AS COOK (DAILY WAGE EMPLOYEE)
   GOVERNMENT POST METRIC BOYS HOSTEL 1,
   CHINTHAMANI, CHIKKABALLAPUR.

2. SHIVANNA,
   S/O MUNIVENKATAPPA,
   AGED ABOUT 56 YEARS,
   WORKING AS COOK (DAILY WAGE EMPLOYEE)
   GOVERNMENT POST METRIC BOYS HOSTEL 1,
   CHINTHAMANI, CHIKKABALLAPUR.

3. MAHAZAN
   W/O CHAN PASHA,
   AGED ABOUT 63 YEARS,
   RETIRED AS COOK (DAILY WAGE EMPLOYEE)
   GOVERNMENT POST METRIC BOYS HOSTEL 1
   CHINTHAMANI, CHIKKABALLAPUR.

4. MANJUNATHA
   S/O SRIRAMAPPA,
   AGED ABOUT 53 YEARS
   WORKING AS COOK (DAILY WAGE EMPLOYEE)
   GOVERNMENT BOYS HOSTEL,
   SADALI, SIDLAGATTA TALUK,
   CHIKKABALLAPUR.

…COMPLAINANTS

(BY SRI. SRINIVASA M.A, ADVOCATE)

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AND:

1. SRI. K.P.MOHAN RAJ. I.A.S
   SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
   DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE,
   VIKASA SOUDHA, BANGALORE – 560 001.

2. DR. RAKESH KUMAR. K. I.A.S
   COMMISSIONER,
   SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT,
   M.S. BUILDING, BANGALORE – 560 001.

3. TEJA ANANDA REDDY
   DEPUTY DIRECTOR
   SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT,
   CHIKKABALAPUR, CHIKKABALAPUR DISTRICT – 562 101.

…ACCUSED

4. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
   REP. BY ITS SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
   DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE
   VIKASA SOUDHA, BENGALURU - 560 001

…PROFORMA RESPONDENT

(BY SMT. B. SUKANYA BALIGA, AGA FOR A1 TO A3 &
PROFORMA RESPONDENT)

THIS CCC IS FILED UNDER SECTION 11 AND 12 OF THE CONTEMPT OF COURTS ACT, R/W ARTICLE 215 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA BY THE COMPLAINANT WHEREIN PRAYS THAT THE HONBLE COURT BE PLEASED TO INITIATE APPROPRIATE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST THE ACCUSED INCLUDING ACTION FOR CONTEMPT OF THE ORDER DATED 14.07.2025 IN W.P.NO.18740/2024 (S-KAT) PASSED BY THIS HON'BLE COURT VIDE ANNEXURE-B PUNISH THEM FOR THE WILFUL DISOBEDIENCE AND CONTEMPT COMMITTED THEREBY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE RULES AND THEREBY CAUSE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ORDERS OF THIS HON'BLE COURT THUS HOLD THE MAJESTY OF LAW.

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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 MRS. JUSTICE N.V.BHAVANI

ORAL ORDER

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

An affidavit of compliance has been filed today in Court by the learned counsel for the accused, which is taken on record. In paragraph No.3 of the affidavit it is stated that as per the calculation the arrears of salaries has been released to the complainants on 29.07.2026.

2. An unconditional apology has also been tendered by the deponent, Sri. Tej Anand Reddy, Deputy Director, Social Welfare Department, Chikkaballapur District.

3. Learned counsel for the complainants also states that the order has been complied with.

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4. This contempt petition is consigned. The accused are discharged.

SD/-
(JAYANT BANERJI)
JUDGE

SD/-
(N.V.BHAVANI)
JUDGE

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List No.: 1 Sl No.: 20