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CNR: KAHC010547042026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 12TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2026

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANU SIVARAMAN

AND

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

WRIT PETITION NO. 25143 OF 2026 (GM-RES-PIL)

BETWEEN:

M S CHANDRA SHEKAR BABU
M.S.C. ASSOCIATES,
HIGH COURT ADVOCATE,
NO.136, 1ST FLOOR,
S.C.ROAD,
NEXT TO TRINITY CENTRAL HOSPITAL,
SESHADRIPURAM CIRCLE,
BANGALORE-560 020

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI. M S CHANDRASHEKAR BABU, PARTY-IN-PERSON)

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Location: High Court of Karnataka

AND:

1. THE COMMISSIONER
   HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
   5TH FLOOR,
   AROGYA SOUDHA,
   MAGADI ROAD,
   BENGALURU-560023

2. THE COMMISSIONER
   GREATER BENGALURU AUTHORITY,
   HUDSON CIRCLE,

N R SQUARE,
BENGALURU-560002

…RESPONDENTS

(BY SMT. PRAMODHINI KISHAN, AGA FOR R1;
SRI. H.S.PRASHANTH, ADV. FOR R2)

THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLE 226 OF CONSTITUTION OF INDIA, PRAYING TO WRIT OF MANDAMUS DIRECTING THE RESPONDENTS TO MODIFY THE CIRCULAR STATING THAT WHERE EXACTLY THE BIRDS AND ANIMALS ARE TO BE FEEDED IN PARTICULAR AREA AND AREAS IN THE ENTIRE STATE OF KARNATAKA.

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

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 the following prayers:

"i) Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to modify the circular stating that where exactly the Birds and animals are to be feeded in particular area and areas in the entire State of Karnataka.

ii) Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to allot the exact location to feed the birds and animals in particular place/area and areas in the entire state for the reason that the circular covers the entire state."

2. It is submitted by the petitioner/party-in-person that the writ petitioner has preferred a representation dated 05.10.2026 before the Commissioner, Health Department, State of Karnataka and seeks a consideration of the same.

3. The writ petitioner is permitted to make any further representation which he wishes to make with regard to his request that private persons may also be permitted to feed the pigeons on submitting an undertaking to comply with the conditions, if any, imposed by the respondents.

4. Accordingly, there will be a direction to the respondents to take up the representations of the writ petitioner and to consider and pass orders on the same in accordance with law within a period of two months from the date of receipt of copy of this judgment.

Sd/-
(ANU SIVARAMAN)
JUDGE

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

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