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NC: 2026:KHC:55275
WP No. 27960 of 2026
CNR: KAHC010610512026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2026

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S SUNIL DUTT YADAV

WRIT PETITION NO. 27960 OF 2026 (EDN-RES)

BETWEEN:

1. MAK SCHOOL OF NURSING
GLOBAL FOUNDATION(R)
JAYANAGAR, BANGALORE - 560 041
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL HARISHANKAR A.

2. SACRED HEART SCHOOL OF NURSING
NEAR HIGH COURT, RING ROAD
KALBURAGI - 585 103
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL IBHRAHIM KHAN

3. SREEKANTH SCHOOL OF NURSING
SMART SKILL EDUCATION SOCIETY(R)
HADADI MAIN ROAD OPP TO SHRUSHTI HOSPITAL
DAVENGERE - 577 005
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL SAHEBAJAN
FAKKISAB BILLAHALLI

4. MAHANANDI SCHOOL OF NURSING
SMART SKILL OF EDUCATION SOCIETY (R)
NAVULE NEAR SARJI CONVENTION HALL
SHIVAMOGGA - 577 204
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL
DR. ANANDA NAGAPPA KAURI

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5. BASAVASHRI SCHOOL OF NURSING
CHOUDHARI HOSPITAL TRUST
DEODURGA TALUK, DEODURGA
RAICHUR - 584 111
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL
APPA SHEB PATTANASHETTI

6. SHARABESHWARA INSTITUTE OF NURSING
NO.527/1, VARKODU GATE VARUNA HOBLI
T.NARSIPURA MAIN ROAD MYSURU - 570 028
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL DEVARAJ

7. ALLAMAPRABHU SCHOOL OF NURSING
SURVEY NO.512/14 NEAR GOVERNMENT HOSPITAL
GOKAK ROAD
MUDALAGI - 591 312
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL
MAHANTESH NAGANUR

8. AB PATIL SCHOOL OF NURSING
MASS EDUCATION AND CHARITABLE TRUST
ABBAY FALLS ROAD MADIKERI
KODAGU - 571 201
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL SANTHOSH

9. SHOBHA SCHOOL OF NURSING OLD APMC,
NEAR KCC BANK NARAGUND - 582 207.
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL
SHRUTI R GANGADHAR

10. SRINIVASA SCHOOL OF NURSING
VISHVA SOCIETY FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT
TIPPANAHALLI NEAR DHOBHOGHAT,
DODDABIDARAKALU

BANGALORE - 560 073
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL ABHILASH

…PETITIONERS

(BY SRI. PRADEEP KUMAR P.K., ADVOCATE)

AND:

1. STATE OF KARNATAKA
   REPRESENTD BY THE SECRETARY
   VIDHANASOUDHA
   BANGALORE - 560 001.

2. THE KARNATAKA STATE DIPLOMA IN NURSING
   EXAMINATION BOARD
   1ST FLOOR, LIBRARY BLOCK BMCRI CAMPUS,
   K.R.ROAD, BANGALORE - 560 002
   REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY
   EXAMINATION BOARD

…RESPONDENTS

(BY SMT. RASHMI RAO, HCGP FOR R1
SRI. SUDHARSHAN SURESH, ADVOCATE FOR R2)

THIS WP IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND 227 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA PRAYING TO A) ISSUE A WRIT OF MANDAMUS OR ANY OTHER APPROPRIATE WRIT, ORDER OR DIRECTION DIRECTING RESPONDENT NO.2-KARNATAKA STATE DIPLOMA IN NURSING EXAMINATION BOARD (KSDNEB), BENGALURU, TO FORTHWITH FORWARD THE FEASIBILITY/ INSPECTION REPORTS PREPARED PURSUANT TO THE INSPECTION CONDUCTED AT THE CHANGED PREMISES OF PETITIONER NOS. 1 TO 10 TO RESPONDENT NO.1 - STATE OF

KARNATAKA, REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL EDUCATION.

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

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S SUNIL DUTT YADAV

ORAL ORDER

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioners' institutions, running courses relating to nursing. The petitioners have sought for issuance of writ in the nature of *mandamus* or an appropriate order directing the second respondent i.e., the Karnataka State Diploma in Nursing Examination Board (for short, 'KSDNEB'), Bengaluru, to forward the feasibility/inspection reports prepared pursuant to the inspection conducted and such reports to be forwarded to the first respondent - State for further action.

2. The petitioners have sought for further direction that, upon receipt of the inspection reports, the first respondent be directed to consider and dispose of the

applications seeking change of address/premises and to consider passing orders regarding fresh affiliation after taking note of the inspection/feasibility reports.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the second respondent submits that after conducting inspection, reports have been sent to the first respondent for all of the petitioners' institutions. A copy of the communication is filed to evidence the same.

4. Learned Government Advocate submits that, in light of the inspection reports having been received by the first respondent, necessary action would be taken and suitable orders passed on such inspection reports after taking note of the plea of the petitioners within a period not later than one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of the order.

5. In light of such stand taken by the learned Government Advocate, the writ petition is ***disposed of*** by recording the stand of the first respondent to pass

appropriate orders as regards the plea of the petitioners, based on the inspection reports sent by the second respondent as regards the petitioners' institutions.

6. The first respondent is at liberty to call upon the petitioners for clarification, etc., to enable proper and effective disposal of their request.

Sd/-
(S SUNIL DUTT YADAV)
JUDGE

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