

NC: 2025:KHC:2842-DB WP No. 33725 of 2024

# IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU DATED THIS THE 22<sup>ND</sup> DAY OF JANUARY, 2025

#### **PRESENT**

THE HON'BLE MR. N.V. ANJARIA, CHIEF JUSTICE AND

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.I. ARUN
WRIT PETITION NO. 33725 OF 2024 (GM-RES-PIL)

### **BETWEEN:**

1. RODDA VEERSHETTY
S/O BHIMRAO
AGED ABOUT 68 YEARS
SENIOR CITIZEN, ADVOCATE
RESIDING AT NO. 204/4
ERAPPA BUILDING, AMRUTHAHALLI
POST SAHAKARNAGAR
BENGALURU - 560 092
KARNATAKA STATE, INDIA

...PETITIONER

(BY SRI RODDA VEERSHETTY, PARTY-IN-PERSON)

#### AND:

Digitally
signed by
PRABHAKAR
SWETHA
KRISHNAN
Location:
High Court
of Karnataka

- 1. UNION OF INDIA REPRESENTED BY SECRETARY HOME DEPARTMENT PARLIAMENT HOUSE NEW DELHI - 110 001
- 2. STATE OF KARNATAKA
  REPRESENTED BY SECRETARY
  HOME DEPARTMENT
  VIDHANA SOUDHA
  BENGALURU 560 001

...RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI H SHANTHI BHUSHAN, DSGI FOR R-1; SMT. NILOUFER AKBAR, AGA FOR R-2)

## **VERDICTUM.IN**

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THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTILCES 226 AND 227 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA PRAYING TO ISSUE A WRIT OF MANDAMUS AN ORDER OR DIRECTIONS TO THE RESPONDENTS TO PROTECT THE LIFE, PROPERTY AND OTHER RELIGIOUS PLACES OF HINDUS AND OTHER MINORITY COMMUNITY PEOPLE RESIDING IN BANGLADESH VIDE ANNEXURE-A DATED 13.08.2024 AND ETC.,

THIS PETITION, COMING ON FOR ORDERS, THIS DAY, JUDGEMENT WAS DELIVERED THEREIN AS UNDER:

CORAM: HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. JUSTICE

N. V. ANJARIA

and

HON'BLE MR JUSTICE M.I.ARUN

# **ORAL JUDGMENT**

(PER: HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. JUSTICE N. V. ANJARIA)

Heard learned party-in-person-the petitioner Mr. Rodda Veershetty.

In this petition styled as public interest petition, the prayer is made seeking a direction to the respondents, who are the Union of India and the State of Karnataka, to protect the life, property and other religious places of Hindus and other minority community people residing in Bangladesh.

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The subject matter and the prayer are based on the news

item dated 13.08.2024 in Kannada newspaper Prajavani titled

"Communal unrest in Bangla". Not only the petition is peculiarly

vague, it is thoroughly misconceived and cannot be entertained in

the public interest jurisdiction.

The petition is summarily dismissed.

Sd/-(N. V. ANJARIA) CHIEF JUSTICE

> Sd/-(M.I.ARUN) JUDGE

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