

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA**

**SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL.) NO.1404/2025  
C/W  
SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL.) NO.1808/2025  
AND  
SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL.) NO.1910/2025**

**IN THE MATTER OF:**

**DEEKSHA N AMRUTHESH  
VS  
STATE OF KARNATAKA & OTHERS**

**TO:**

**THE HON'BLE JUDGES OF THE  
HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA.**

**IN COMPLIANCE OF THE ORDER DATED 24.03.2025  
COMPLIANCE REPORT IN THE FORM OF AFFIDAVIT OF THE  
REGISTRAR GENERAL, HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA,  
BENGALURU**

1. I, K.S. Bharath Kumar, S/o Sri K.B.Shantappa, aged 48 years, the Registrar General, High Court of Karnataka, Bengaluru, Karnataka State, do hereby solemnly affirm and state on oath as follows:-
2. I respectfully submit that I am working as the Registrar General, High Court of Karnataka, Bengaluru. I am well conversant with the facts of the case and I am swearing this Affidavit on the basis of the records available in my office. Hence, I am competent to swear this Affidavit.
3. I respectfully submit that in compliance with the directions of this Hon'ble Court, vide Order dated 24.03.2025 in the above



matter, the information was obtained from the Bar Associations across the State of Karnataka. Some of the Bar Associations in the State of Karnataka have stated that they have complied the directions of this Hon'ble Court, while some Bar Associations have stated that they will undertake to comply the said directions. Further, some Bar Associations have not submitted any report in this regard. A comprehensive Statement showing the compliance reports of the Bar Associations of the State of Karnataka in which the post of 'Treasurer' and 30% of the posts of Councilors/Members of the Executive Committee have been earmarked/reserved for women candidates, is as under:

**STATEMENT SHOWING THE COMPLIANCE REPORTS OF THE BAR ASSOCIATIONS OF THE STATE OF KARNATAKA**

<b>SI. No.</b>	<b>DISTRICT-BAGALKOTE</b>	
1.	Bar Association, Bagalkote	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Jamakhandi	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Badami	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Gulegudda	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
5.	Bar Association, Rabkavi Banahatti	With our Bar Association Election process began on 27/06/2025 for the post of President, General Secretary and Joint Secretary in the candidate of event. Joint Secretary post preference is given to woman candidate. No woman come to file Nomination paper and only General Secretary and Joint Secretary post are nomination done by two men candidates and they are un-opposed and got elected and President post is only contesting and election schedule to be held on 07/07/2025 and we complied woman reservation in our election process despite, we do not have woman reservation in our byelaws.
6.	Bar Association, Bilagi	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
7.	Bar Association, Hunagunda	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
8.	Bar Association, Ilkal	Complied the directions by electing woman



		members.
<b>DISTRICT-BALLARI</b>		
1.	Bar Association, Ballari	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Hagaribommanahalli	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Hospete	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth
4.	Bar Association, Siruguppa	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth
5.	Bar Association, Huvina Hadagali	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
6.	Bar Association, Sandur	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
7.	Bar Association, Harapanahalli	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth
8.	Bar Association, Kudligi	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
<b>DISTRICT-BELAGAVI</b>		
1.	Bar Association Athani	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association Bailhongal	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Belagavi	<p>It is submitted by the Bar Association, Belagavi that, in compliance with the direction contained in the orders dated 24.01.2025, 28.01.2025 and 24.03.2025 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Special Leave Appeal (C) Nos. (S) 1404/2025, the Bar Association, Belagavi has initiated the process of amending its bylaws.</p> <p>As part of these amendments, it has been resolved to reserve the post of Treasurer exclusively for women candidates and to earmark 30% of the posts of councilor/members of the Executive Committee for women candidates. These amendments are proposed to be adopted in the forthcoming elections of the Association.</p>
4.	Bar Association, Chikkodi	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
5.	Bar Association, Gokak	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
6.	Bar Association, Hukkeri	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
7.	Bar Association, Kagawad	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
8.	Bar Association, Khanapur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
9.	Bar Association, Kittur	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
10.	Bar Association, Mudalagi	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble



		Apex Court henceforth.
11.	Bar Association, Nippanni	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
12.	Bar Association, Raibag	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
13.	Bar Association, Ramdurg	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
14.	Bar Association, Sankeshwar	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
15.	Bar Association, Saundatti	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

#### **DISTRICT-BENGALURU URBAN-SOUTH**

1.	Bar Association, Ramanagara	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Channapatna	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Kanakapura	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
4.	Bar Association, Magadi	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

#### **DISTRICT-BENGALURU URBAN**

1.	Bengaluru, City Civil Court Complex	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
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#### **DISTRICT-BENGALURU RURAL**

1.	Bar Association, Doddaballapura	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Devanahalli	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Hosakote	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Anekal	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

#### **DISTRICT-BIDAR**

1.	Bar Association, Bidar	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, Basavakalyan	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Bhalki	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Humnabad	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
5.	Bar Association, Aurad-B	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

#### **DISTRICT-CHAMARAJANAGARA**

1.	Bar Association, Chamarajanagara	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Gundlupete	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Yelanduru	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.



4.	Bar Association, Kollegal	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
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**DISTRICT-CHIKKABALLAPURA**

1.	Bar Association, Chikkaballapura	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
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**DISTRICT-CHIKKMAGALURU**

1.	Bar Association, Chikkamagaluru	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, Mudigere	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Kadur	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Tarikere	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
5.	Bar Association, N.R.Pura	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
6.	Bar Association, Koppa	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
7.	Bar Association, Sringeri.	The elections for the Executive Council of our Bar Association have been held for the year 2024-25 and this Executive Council will be in operation for two years. We hereby wish to bring to your notice that as there is currently only one senior woman advocate in our Bar Association and she has not indicated her consent for the post of Treasurer, we would like to inform you that there will be no woman candidate for the post of Treasurer.

**DISTRICT-CHITRADURGA**

1.	Bar Association, Chitradurga	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, Challakere	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Molakalmuru	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

**DISTRICT-DAKSHINA KANNADA**

1.	Bar Association, D.K.Mangaluru	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Puttur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Sullia	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
4.	Bar Association, Belthangady	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
5.	Bar Association, Moodbidiri	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
6.	Bar Association, Bantwal	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

**DISTRICT-DAVANGERE**

1.	Bar Association, Davangere	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Harihar	Complied the directions by electing woman



		members.
3.	Bar Association, Channagiri	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
4.	Bar Association, Honnali	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
5.	Bar Association, Jagalur	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

#### **DISTRICT-DHARWAD**

1.	Bar Association, Dharwad	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, Hubballi	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Kalaghatagi	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
4.	Bar Association, Kundgol	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
5.	Bar Association, Navalgund	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

#### **DISTRICT-GADAG**

1.	Bar Association, Gadag	Complied the directions by electing woman members..
2.	Bar Association, Mundargi	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Laxmeshwar	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Ron	As per the tradition, practice and tradition that has been followed by our Bar Association since long, this year too, i.e. the year 2025-26, we have selected the office bearers on the basis of seniority without any election. We request you that, unlike in the past, there will be no elections in our Bar Association this year, i.e. the year 2025-26.
5.	Bar Association, Naragund	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

#### **DISTRICT-HASSAN**

1.	Bar Association, Hassan	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Sakleshpura	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Holenarasipura	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Channarayapatna	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
5.	Bar Association, Belur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
6.	Bar Association, Arkalgud	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
7.	Bar Association, Alur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
8.	Bar Association, Arsikere	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.



**DISTRICT-HAVERI**

1.	Bar Association, Byadgi	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, Hangal	A letter was received by the President of the Bar Association, Hanagalla on 02-07-2025 and the letter has been noted in detail. Since there is no information regarding the said case in our association's office regarding the Hon'ble High Court, Bangalore's S.L.A. No. 1404/2025, this matter will be left to the analysis of the Hon'ble Supreme Court.
3.	Bar Association, Hirekeruru	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Ranibennur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
5.	Bar Association, Savanuru	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
6.	Bar Association, Shiggaon	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

**DISTRICT-KALABURAGI**

1.	Bar Association, Kalaburagi	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, Aland	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Chittapur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
4.	Bar Association, Sedam	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
5.	Bar Association, Chincholli	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
6.	Bar Association, Afzalpur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth

**DISTRICT-KODAGU-MADIKERI**

1.	Bar Association, Madikeri	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, Virajpet	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Somwarpet, Kodagu	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Ponnampet	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
5.	Bar Association, Kushalnagar	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

**DISTRICT-KOLAR**

1.	Bar Association, Kolar	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Bangarpet	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, KGF	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
4.	Bar Association,	Complied the directions by electing woman



	Srinivasapura	members.
5.	Bar Association, Malur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
6.	Bar Association, Mulbagal	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

#### **DISTRICT-KOPPAL**

1.	Bar Association, Koppal	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Gangavathi	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Kushtagi	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Yelburga	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

#### **DISTRICT-MANDYA**

1.	Bar Association, Mandya	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, K.R.Pete	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Srirangapatna	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Pandavapura	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
5.	Bar Association, Malavalli	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
6.	Bar Association, Nagamangala	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
7.	Bar Association, Maddur	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

#### **DISTRICT-MYSURU**

1.	Bar Association, Mysuru	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, T.Narasipura	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Hunsur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
4.	Bar Association, Periyapatna	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

#### **DISTRICT-RAICHUR**

1.	Bar Association, Raichur	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Lingasuguru	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Devadurga	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
4.	Bar Association, Manvi	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
5.	Bar Association, Sindhanoor	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

#### **DISTRICT-SHIVAMOGGA**

1.	Bar Association, Shivamogga	Complied the directions by electing woman
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		members.
2.	Bar Association, Bhadravathi	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Sagar	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
4.	Bar Association, Shikaripura	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
5.	Bar Association, Soraba	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
6.	Bar Association, Thirthahalli	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
7.	Bar Association, Hosanagara	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

#### **DISTRICT-TUMAKURU**

1.	Bar Association, Tumakuru	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
2.	Bar Association, Pavagada	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
3.	Bar Association, Turuvekere	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.

#### **DISTRICT-UTTARA KANNADA**

1.	Bar Association, Uttar Kannada, Karwar	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
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#### **DISTRICT-VIJAYAPURA**

1.	Bar Association, Basavana Bagewadi	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
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#### **DISTRICT-YADGIRI**

1.	Bar Association, Yadgir	Undertakes to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Apex Court henceforth.
2.	Bar Association, Shahapur	Complied the directions by electing woman members.
3.	Bar Association, Shorapur	Complied the directions by electing woman members.

WHEREFORE, I pray that this Compliance report in the form of Affidavit, may kindly be taken on record, in compliance of the directions issued vide Order dated 24.03.2025 in SLP (Civil).No. 1404/2025, 1808/2025 and 1910/2025, in the interest of justice and equity.



**DEPONENT**

**VERIFICATION**

I, the Deponent above named, do hereby verify that the contents of paragraphs 1 to 3 of the aforesaid affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and information based on the available records.

Solemnly affirmed on the 03<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2025 at Bengaluru, Karnataka.

  
**DEPONENT**

Solemnly affirmed / sworn to before me  
the day of .. .20...

*DC/3/9/25*  
Registrar (Judicial)  
High Court of Karnataka, Bengaluru