

No. HCE 136/2017

HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA  
BENGALURU  
DATED 16<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2018

**NOTIFICATION**

**PREAMBLE:-** Publication of Modified Final Seniority Lists in few cadres on the Establishment of the High Court of Karnataka in compliance of the directions issued in terms of the Judgment dated 09.02.2017 and order dated 08.09.2017 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Civil Appeal No 2368/2011 and in Contempt Petition (C) No 1682/2017 respectively. -reg.

**READ:-**

- 1) This office Notification of even number dated 29.11.2017 wherein final seniority lists in various cadres on the Establishment of High Court of Karnataka were published.
- 2) Representations of some of the officers requesting to consider them for promotion to the cadre of Court Officer/Assistant Court Officer in view of their LL.B qualification.
- 3) Resolutions dated 06.01.2018, 11.01.2018 and 13.01.2018 of the High Court of Karnataka Service (Conditions of Service and Recruitment) (I Amendment) Rules, 2013 enforcement Committee and approval of the said resolutions by Hon'ble the Acting Chief Justice.

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In view of the Judgment dated 09.02.2017 in Civil Appeal No. 2368/2011 (B.K. Pavitra & Ors Vs Union of India & Ors.), and order dated 08.09.2017 in Contempt Petition (C) No. 1682/2017, of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, the final seniority lists in various cadres on the Establishment of High Court of Karnataka were published on the official website of the High Court of Karnataka vide Notification No. HCE 136/2017 dated 29.11.2017. Subsequently some of the officers had submitted representations requesting to consider them for promotion to the cadre of Court Officer/Assistant Court Officer in view of their LL.B qualification. The High Court of Karnataka Service (Conditions of Service and Recruitment) (I Amendment) Rules, 2013 enforcement Committee was pleased to consider the representations of Sri Neelappa Bover and Sri Dharmanna Rathod

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and to recommend to accord promotion to Sri Neelappa Bover, the then Senior Assistant as Court Officer w.e.f 20.08.2015 in Local cadre and to Sri Dharmanna Rathod, the then First Division Assistant as Assistant Court Officer w.e.f 13.03.2014. The said recommendation having been approved by Hon'ble Acting Chief Justice, necessary Notification and order has been issued on 16.01.2018. In view of the said consideration of promotion, some officers and officials in the cadre of Court Officers/Assistant Court Officer/First Division Assistant had to be placed in below cadres in view of non availability of vacancies in the said cadres.

In view of the above, the final seniority lists in the cadres of Court Officers, Section Officers and Assistant Court Officers are accordingly modified and are hereby published on the official website of the High Court of Karnataka i.e.,:-

**www.karnatakajudiciary.kar.nic.in:-**

- 1) Court Officer (Annexure-A) For the years 2015, 2016
- 2) Section Officer (Annexure-B) For the years 2015, 2016
- 3) Assistant Court Officer (Annexure-C) (For the years 2014, 2015, 2016)

**BY ORDER OF HON'BLE  
THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE,**

**Sd/-**

**(ASHOK G. NIJAGANNAVAR )  
REGISTRAR GENERAL**

**To:-**

1. The P.A.s to Registrar General / Registrar (Judicial) / Registrar (Infrastructure & Maintenance) /Registrar (Vigilance) / Registrar (Computers) / Registrar (Statistics & Review) / Registrar (Recruitment) / Registrar (Administration) /Central Project Co-ordinator (Computers).
2. The Additional Registrar General, High Court Benches at Dharwad and Kalaburagi with a request to circulate the Notification amongst the staff working in the respective Benches and also to display this Notification on the Notice Board.

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3. The Director, Karnataka Judicial Academy, Bengaluru
4. The Director, Bengaluru Mediation Centre, Bengaluru
5. The Director, Arbitration Centre, Bengaluru.
6. All the Group-A officers of this office.
7. The Registrar (Computers) and Central Project Co-ordinator (Computers) with a request to webhost this notification alongwith annexures.
8. The P.A. to Registrar (Judicial) to circulate amongst the Court Officers and Assistant Court Officers of this office.
9. All the Section Officers of this office.
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