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Court : Karnataka Dharwad

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Judge : Anant Ramanath Hegde

Appeal No. : WP/103518/2024

Appellant : Dr. Bisim E

Respondent : Registrar

Judgement :

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA, AT DHARWAD

DATED THIS THE 11TH DAY OF DECEMBER 2025 BEFORE THE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANANT RAMANATH HEDGE WRIT PETITION
NO. 103518 OF 2024 (EDN-EX) BETWEEN:

1. DR. BASIM E., AGED ABOUT 41 YEARS, OCC: STUDENT, RAJIV
GANDHI EDUCATION SOCIETY'S

2. DR. KHADKA TAPENDRA RATANSINGH,

AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS, OCC. STUDENT, RAJIV GANDHI EDUCATION
SOCIETY'S, PETITIONERS Digitally signed by CHANDRASHEKAR LAXMAN (BY

SRI. ARAVIND D. KULKARNI, ADVOCATE) KATTIMANI Location: HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AND: DHARWAD BENCH Date: 2025.12.19 16:10:02 +0530

1. REGISTRAR RAJIV GANDHI UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCE KARNATAKA, 4TH, T BLOCK, JAYANAGAR, BANGALORE-560041.

2. RAJIV GANDHI EDUCATION SOCIETYS AYURVEDIC MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL, -2- GADAG ROAD, RON-582209, DISTRICT. GADAG

3. NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR INDIAN SYSTEM OF MEDICINE, MINISTRY OF AYUSH, GOVT. INDIA, OFFICE. 61-65, INSTITUTIONAL AREA, JANAKPURI, D-BLOCK, NEW DELHI-110058. RESPONDENTS (BY SRI. AVINASH BANAKAR, ADVOCATE FOR R1 & R2; SRI. AVINASH M. ANGADI, ADVOCATE FOR R3) THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND

227 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA, PRAYING TO DECLARE THE REVISED NOTIFICATION NO.RGU/REG(E)/167 SYN 2022-23 DATED 16/08/2022 PASSED BY RESPONDENT NO.1 AT ANNEXURE-G AS DISCRIMINATORY IN NATURE OF VIOLATIVE OF ARTICLE 14 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA IN SO FAR AS ITS APPLICABILITY ONLY TO AY 2014-15, 2015-16 AND 2016-17 ONLY, IS CONCERNED; ISSUE A WRIT OF MANDAMUS OR ANY OTHER WRIT ORDER OR DIRECTION TO RESPONDENT NO.1 TO CONSIDER REPRESENTATIONS DATED 20/06/2022 PRODUCED AS ANNEXURE-D, D1 AND E PERMIT THE PETITIONERS TO APPEAR FOR THE FINAL YEAR P G COURSE EXAMINATION IN AYURVEDA RESCHEDULED TO COMMENCE FROM 22/07/2024; CONSEQUENTLY, PERMIT PETITIONERS TO CONCLUDE THE ENTIRE P G COURSE IN AYURVEDA.

THIS PETITION COMING ON FOR PRELIMINARY HEARING IN B GROUP, THIS DAY, ORDER WAS MADE THEREIN AS UNDER: -3-

ORAL ORDER

(PER: THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANANT RAMANATH HEGDE) Heard.

2. This petition is filed challenging the notification dated 16.08.2022 passed by respondent No.1 marked at Annexure-G which has prescribed the time limit to complete the course.

3. The petitioner is before this Court on the premise that because of COVID-19 pandemic, the petitioner could not complete Post Graduation Ayurvedic course within the prescribed time limit.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner would also submit

that the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court in Dr. Sayuj Paul M.K. v. Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences and another¹ has held that the petitioner is entitled to extension of the time to complete the course in view of the relaxation provided by respondent No.3/National Commission for Indian System of Medicine. Said notification is issued on 15.12.2021. W.P.No.19097/2024 -4-

5. It is not in dispute that said order in W.P.No.19097/2024 has attained finality.

6. It is stated that petitioner No.1 has cleared the exam. If so, respondent No.1 shall issue the marks card and necessary certificates to petitioner No.1.

7. It is stated that petitioner No.2 has not yet

completed the course and has availed one attempt out of three extended attempts. Hence, petitioner No.2 is entitled to two more attempts to complete the course.

8. Under these circumstances, the following:

ORDER

i. Writ petition is allowed. ii. The petitioner is also entitled to similar relief. iii. The petitioner is entitled to two more attempts to complete the course. Sd/- (ANANT RAMANATH HEGDE) JUDGE CLK_CT-MCK LIST NO.: 1 SL NO.: 0