

Anti Land-Grabbing Action Committee
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To:

Hon'ble Mr. Justice T.S. Thakur

Hon'ble Chief Justice,

Supreme Court of India

Tilak Marg, New Delhi-110201

Hon'ble Chief Justice,

Sub: Request for action in connection with the matter of investigation of Rs. 100 crores corruption scandal CD in possession of a sitting High Court judge of Karnataka, Justice Sri Ram Mohan Reddy.

Ref: Our Committee letter dated 19-12-2015 to the Chief Justice of Karnataka High Court.

With reference to the captioned subject, our Committee had brought to the notice of the Hon'ble Chief Justice of Karnataka vide letter dated 19-12-2015 that a sitting Justice of Hon'ble

High court namely Sri. Ram Mohan Reddy is in possession of one Compact Disc (CD) containing *podu* irregularities to the tune of Rs. 100 crores indulged into by Sri Raja Naik, Deputy Director of Land Records, Bangalore. Our committee had requested for suo moto action by the Hon'ble Chief Justice into the irregularities mentioned in the said CD.

The decision of Hon'ble Justice Ram Mohan Reddy that he would release the contents of the CD only after his retirement would erode the confidence of common public in the judiciary. It is submitted that the said Compact Disc was handed over to the Hon'ble Justice by the public in the hope that suitable remedial action would be initiated by the Court. Further, it is submitted that the CD that is handed over to the Hon'ble Justice is the property of Court. Therefore, stand of Hon'ble Justice that the contents would be released only after his retirement treating it as his private property is not in accordance with the highest standards of judicial conduct. Therefore, our Committee requests that suitable direction be issued in this regard to release the contents of CD to public domain and initiate action thereafter.

We submit that our committee has been consistently fighting against land grabbing in Karnataka under the leadership of honest and eminent persons in public life. The Committee is very much concerned about the contents of the CD as it is

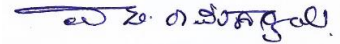
bound to throw more light upon the land grabbing by the powerful in connivance with the officers/officials.

Further our Committee submits that we are not aware of any information as to the status of our letter dated 19.12.2015 mentioned under reference as we have not received any response from the Hon'ble High Court. Since the matter is of great public importance, we resolved to bring this issue to the notice of Your Honor. We request Your Honor to consider this serious matter and take appropriate action.

Enclosure: copy of our letter dated 19-12-2015 to the Hon'ble Chief Justice of Karnataka.

Thanking You,

Yours Sincerely,



(A.T.Ramaswamy)

Convener

Copy to: Shri Ravindra Maithani, Secretary General, Supreme Court of India , Tilak Marg, New Delhi-110201 – for information and necessary action.