

**SECTION-IIB**  
**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA**  
**CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**  
**PETITION FOR SPECIAL LEAVE TO APPEAL (CRL.) NO. 987 OF 2015**  
**WITH**  
**CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS PETITION NO. 2008 OF 2015**  
(Application for exemption from filing official translation)

ATHUL RAO ... Petitioner  
VERSUS  
STATE OF KARNATAKA & ANR. ... Respondents

**OFFICE REPORT**

The matter above mentioned was listed before the Hon'ble Court on 02.02.2015 when the Court was pleased to pass the following order:

"Delay condoned.

Issue notice.

There shall be a stay of the operation of  
Order dated 16.09.2014 passed by the High Court  
of Karnataka at Bangalore in Criminal Petition  
No. 5491 of 2014 ."

Accordingly Show Cause Notice returnable on 27.03.2015 was issued to both the Respondents through Regd. A.D. Post on 14.02.2015.

It is submitted that neither AD card nor unserved cover containing notice has been received back from respondent No.1, so far.

It is further submitted that Mr. S.N. Bhat, Advocate has filed Vakalatnama/Appearance on behalf of respondent No. 2.

Service of Show Cause Notice is incomplete in respect of respondent No. 1/State of Karnataka.

The matter is listed before the Hon'ble Court with this office report.

DATED this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2015.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

COPY TO:

1. Mrs. Sudha Gupta, Advocate
2. Mr. S.N. Bhat, Advocate
3. \*Mr. V.N. Raghupathy, Advocate

You are requested to file Vakalatnama/Appearance on behalf of the State of Karnataka.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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