

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU**

DATED THIS THE 01<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF JULY 2015

PRESENT

HON'BLE MR.SUBHRO KAMAL MUKHERJEE, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE B.V.NAGARATHNA

WRIT PETITION No.39432/2013 (GM-POL-PIL)

BETWEEN:

SUO-MOTU.

... PETITIONER

(BY MRS.B.V. VIDYALATHA – AMICUS CURIAE)

AND:

1. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA  
VIDHANA SOUDHA  
BANGALORE – 560 001  
BY ITS CHIEF SECRETARY.
2. THE STATE OF KARNATAKA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT  
VIDHANA SOUDHA  
BANGALORE – 560 001  
BY ITS SECRETARY.
3. KARNATAKA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
"PARISARA BHAVANA"  
NO.49, 4<sup>TH</sup> AND 5<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR  
CHURCH STREET  
BANGALORE – 560 001  
REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRMAN.
4. THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE  
INFANTRY ROAD  
BANGALORE – 560 001.
5. BRUHAT BANGALORE MAHANAGARA PALIKE  
BANGALORE CITY

BANGALORE – 560 002.  
BY TIS COMMISSIONER.

6. CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
PARIVESH BHAVAN  
EAST ARJUN NAGAR  
SHAHADARA NAGAR  
DELHI – 110 032  
BY ITS MEMBER SECRETARY.
7. KARNATAKA STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION  
BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR  
CENTRAL OFFICES  
K.H. ROAD, SHANTHINAGAR  
BANGALORE – 560 027.
8. BANGALORE METROPOLITAN  
TRANSPORT CORPORATION  
BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR  
CENTRAL OFFICES  
K.H. ROAD, SHANTHINAGAR  
BANGALORE – 560 027. ... RESPONDENTS

(BY SRI D. NAGARAJ, AGA FOR R1, R2 & R4;  
SRI GURURAJ JOSHI, ADVOCATE FOR R3;  
SRI K.V. NARASIMHAN, ADVOCATE FOR R5;  
SRI PUTTIGE R. RAMESH, ADVOCATE FOR R6;  
SRI P.D. SURANA, ADVOCATE FOR R7 & R8)

THIS WRIT PETITION IS FILED UNDER ARTICLES 226 AND 227 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF INDIA PRAYING TO TAKE THE FACT WITH REGARD TO 'HORN NOT OK PLEASE' AS PUBLISHED IN THE NEWS PAPER 'THE HINDU' DATED 29.08.2013, AS SUO-MOTU FOR NECESSARY ORDERS.

THIS WRIT PETITION COMING ON FOR ORDERS THIS DAY,  
**ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE** MADE THE FOLLOWING:

**ORDER**

After hearing the learned advocates appearing for the parties concerning this *suo motu* public interest litigation concerning controlling of air and noise pollution in Bengaluru city, and upon perusal of written suggestions given by the Pollution Control Boards, both the State and the Central, we dispose of this writ petition directing the respondents-authorities to implement the written suggestions given by the Pollution Control Boards as far as practicable.

2. We acknowledge and place on record our appreciation of the service rendered by Mrs. B.V. Vidyulatha, who assisted the court as Amicus Curiae.

Sd/-  
ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

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JUDGE