Dharwad High Court to witness rare all-women judicial benches on August 1

NT Correspondent
Dharwad

The Dharwad Bench of the Karnataka High Court is set to script history on August 1 by holding its first-ever court proceedings entirely before benches comprising women judges.

The special Saturday session will feature seven all-women benches, making it one of the rarest events in India's constitutional judicial system.

The initiative follows a representation made by Sanjana S. Mudhol, the women representative of the Dharwad Advocates' Association.

Responding to the proposal, the High Court has scheduled three Division Benches and four Single-Judge Benches to function exclusively with women judges.

The Division Benches will consist of Justice Anu Sivaraman and Justice K.G. Shanthi, Justice Jyoti M. and Justice P. Sri Sudha, and Justice Lalitha Kanneganti with Justice K.S. Hemalekha. Individual courts will be presided over by Justice Chillakuru Sumalatha, Justice Tara Vitasta Ganju, Justice Geetha K.B. and Justice Rajeshwari N. Hegde.

Judicial observers said the development is significant because benches consisting entirely of women judges have been constituted only a handful of times in India's constitutional courts. The Supreme Court has witnessed such benches only on four occasions—in 2013, 2018, 2022 and 2023.

The Kerala High Court had earlier conducted a similar all-women bench on International Women's Day in 2022. Justice Anu Sivaraman, who participated in that landmark sitting, has since been transferred to the Karnataka High Court and will now be part of the Dharwad Bench's historic proceedings.

Lawyers and legal experts believe the special sitting is more than a symbolic exercise. It reflects the increasing role of women in the judiciary and underscores the progress made towards gender diversity within constitutional institutions.

The August 1 proceedings are expected to serve as an important milestone in women's representation.

Gadag cops crack high-value burglary, 3 held

Gadag , NTB: In a major breakthrough, Gadag police have dismantled an inter-state burglary racket by arresting three alleged habitual offenders accused of carrying out thefts at locked houses using masks and gloves to conceal their identities.

The arrested persons are Mohammed Rafiq (36) from Dakshina Kannada, Imran Tigadi (40) from Belagavi district and Moula Ali Darga (34) from Haveri district.

Police said the trio adopted a well-planned modus operandi, ensuring they left behind little forensic evidence during their operations.

The arrests are linked to a sensational burglary that took place on May 8 at the residence of Manjunath Basava in Gadag.

The accused allegedly stole gold ornaments weighing 342 grams worth ₹34.20 lakh, silver articles worth ₹2.2 lakh and cash of ₹8.50 lakh after breaking into the locked house.

Investigators traced the suspects after examining CCTV footage that captured a suspicious vehicle near the crime scene.

The vehicle became the key lead that enabled police to identify and apprehend the accused.

AI to be introduced in 1,642 K'taka government schools

NT Correspondent
Bengaluru

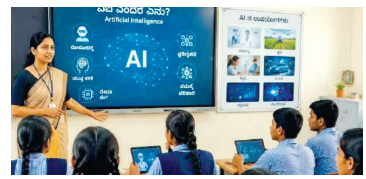
In a major push towards technology-driven education, the Karnataka School Education Department has decided to introduce Artificial Intelligence (AI) as a skill subject in 1,642 government high schools from the 2026-27 academic year. The move is aimed at equipping students with future-ready skills and improving their employment prospects in an increasingly digital economy.

The department has issued a circular directing schools to implement the AI course under the National Skills Qualification Framework (NSQF). The programme will replace vocational subjects such as Beauty and Wellness, Retail and Fashion Design, and will be offered in place of the third language in participating schools.

According to the department, the AI curriculum has been designed to develop students' understanding of emerging technologies, logical thinking, innovation, creativity and problem-solving abilities.

Officials believe introducing AI at the school level will prepare students for higher education as well as careers in technology-oriented sectors.

The initiative will cover 1,180 newly approved government



high schools, 381 NSQF schools sanctioned during the 2024-25 and 2025-26 academic years, and 81 existing single-sector schools, taking the total number of institutions to 1,642.

To support the programme, each school will recruit one AI guest teacher. Candidates with qualifications such as BCA, B.Sc. (Computer Science), B.Sc. (Information Technology), Diploma in Computer Science, PGDCA or equivalent computer-related certifications will be eligible for appointment.

The teachers will be engaged through the School Development and Monitoring Committees (SDMCs) and paid a monthly honorarium of ₹20,000.

The department has instructed schools to complete the recruitment process by July 28. Newly appointed teachers will undergo specialised training during the first week of August before classroom teaching begins.

Officials said the AI course is expected to provide government school students with hands-on exposure to emerging technologies, helping bridge the digital divide between rural and urban learners.

Developer to rebuild 49 apartments for free, after structural defect discovered

NT Correspondent
Bengaluru

Real estate developer SNN Raj Corp on Saturday announced the complete reconstruction of 49 apartment blocks at its upcoming project, SNN Raj Etternia in HSR Layout, at zero cost to the buyers.

According to the GBA officials, one of the residential towers of the multi-storey complex built by SNN Raj Corp tilted slightly.

Realising the gravity of the situation, the builder voluntarily approached the BBMP Chief Commissioner M Maheshwar Rao with a proposal to demolish the structure.

Speaking to PTI, the reality firm's director (operations) Anuj Sanjay Jain, said there was a mistake in the soil testing which caused the loss.

"We have decided to rebuild the entire structure. We will demolish it, which will take at least six months. Another 18 months will be needed to rebuild the structure," Jain said.

He said this information has been shared with the home buyers who were initially disappointed but later agreed.

A statement issued by the firm said, "Despite the structures having received the Occupancy Certificate and almost ready for handover, the developer chose to prioritise long-term structural integrity and customer safety over financial considerations."

The company said the borehole readings were interchanged and it was unfortunate that it discovered this only after the structure was ready.

"Even though the blocks are fully completed and almost ready to hand over, we have taken the decisive step to reconstruct the 49 houses because our priority is ensuring that our customers get only a perfect home and nothing short of it. The total number of units in the project is 972, out of which 822 have already been handed over for possession." The company said it has already approached the Real Estate Regulatory Authority (RERA) to formally apprise it of error.

Gold firm manager cheats ₹26 lakh in govt job scam

Bengaluru , NTB: A senior manager at a private gold firm has allegedly been cheated of ₹26 lakh by fraudsters who promised to secure him a government job as a Panchayat Development Officer, prompting police to register a criminal case.

The complainant, 36-year-old G.K. Raghunandan, approached the Vidhana Soudha Police Station after realising he had been duped. According to investigators, he was introduced in late 2024 to the prime accused, Santosh Hosamani, who claimed to have strong links with government departments and the Karnataka Public Service Commission. He allegedly demanded ₹50 lakh to secure the post, persuading the victim to pay ₹26 lakh in cash in instalments.

To allay the victim's suspicions over the delay in issuing an appointment order, an accomplice identified as Rao allegedly made repeated calls from government landline numbers, assuring him that the appointment had been confirmed. When no appointment letter arrived and the accused became untraceable, Raghunandan realised he had been cheated.

LOST

I, **AKSHAY.M.**, aged about 21 Yeas, Son of Munirajа.N., R/esiding at No. 105, 1st Floor, P-Square Relais Apt., Varthur, Bengaluru-560087, hereby declare that, I am the absolute owner of the Immovable Property bearing Flat No. 105, on 1st Floor, 1400 Sq Feet SBA, 350 Sq Ft. UDS in the P-SQUARE RELAIS APARTMENT, constructed on BBMP Khatha NO. 1451/60/3-69 Portion of Sy. No. 60/3, situated at VARTHUR VILLAGE, VARTHUR HOBLI, BETQ and Parental Deeds / Mother Deeds of the said above said Property such as Original Gift Deed vide Document Reg. No. VRT-1-02072/2016-17 Dated: 29/08/2016 and Gift Deed vide Document Reg. No. VRT-05159/2015-16 dated: 05/03/2016 both documents registered before Sub-Registrar, Varthur, Bengaluru, I could not trace-out the same by diligent efforts of search done by me, the same is irretrievably lost, subsequently I have filed Complaint before Karnataka State Police, Bengaluru Unit, in vide Petition **No. 1/2026**, Date: 21/07/2026 vide Affidavit **Sl. No. 392** dated: 21/07/2026 before Notary **YANKOBA**, Bengaluru.

IN THE COURT OF CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC AT NELAMANGALA
C.MIS.No. 208/2025.

PETITIONER: Smt. Bhagyamma. D/o. late. Dasappa, aged 46 years, R/at Aralasandra Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk

-V/s-

RESPONDENT: The Tahsildhar, Nelamangala.

NOTICE

The petitioner has filed petition in C.mis. No. 208/2025 under section 13(3) of the registration of Birth and Death act 1969 seeking orders directing the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioner's uncle late H. Ramaiah S/o. late H. Venkataiah died on 15-5-1975 at Aralasandra Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk. The Hon'ble court has fixed the date on **01-09-2026** for hearing of the petition and that if any person's desire to oppose the said petition to claim interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader or otherwise the petition will be heard and disposed off considering no objection from any person's.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 24/07/2026

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the Civil Judge Junior Division and JMFC, Nelamangala

Advocate for Petitioner: **Swamy. N.K**

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that, My client Mr. **BANSILAL PRAJAPAT**, son of Baluram, Residing at UMMED PLAZA, 3RD FLOOR, SITE NO. 49, OPP KARNATAKA GRAMEENA BANK, K.NARAYANAPURA MAIN ROAD, THANISANDRA, BENGALURU- 560077 is intending to purchase the schedule property from its owner Mrs. **NAJMUNNISA. A**, Aged about 57 Year, wife of Noor Ahmed, Residing at NO. 327, 3RD CROSS, DR. SHIVARAM KARNATH NAGA, R.K.HEGDENAGAR, BENGALURU- 560077, the Vendor and the Purchaser have entered into AGREEMENT OF SALE. If Anyone Person/s, firm, company, institution, organization or establishment, is/are having any right, title, interest, share, or objections in respect of schedule property hereby required to intimate in writing to the undersigned or may contact the undersigned with documentary proof, within 07 days hereof, and Any claim made after the stipulated period, will not be considered, it will be presumed that there is / are no claims and will not be valid, such person/s shall be considered as waived and not binding on my Clients and my Clients will proceed with completion of sale transaction of the schedule property in their joint names.

SCHEDULE

All the piece and parcel of Immovable Property bearing **Site No. 44**, having NEW E-PID NUMBER : 582789387 of Land in Property Number : 85/2 situated at THANISANDRA VILLAGE, K.R.PURAM HOBLI, BENGALURU EAST TALUK, BENGALURU DISTRICT, measuring EAST TO WEST : 50 FEET and NORTH TO SOUTH : 15 FEET, TOTALLY MEASURING 750 Square Feet, bounded on EAST BY : SITE NO. 45, WEST BY : ROAD, NORTH BY SITE NO. 43, SOUTH BY : BDA ROAD.

Place: Bengaluru **Date:- 25-Jul-26.**

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CHANGE OF NAME

I hitherto known as **LAKSHMI** W/O **S K NARASIHMHASWAMY** residing at #238 SINDHAGHATTA, KRISHNARAJPET MANDYA, KARNATAKA-571426 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **S SAROJA** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MOHAMMED RAZAK KHAN**, Aged 22 Years, S/o **Faiz Khan**. Residing at Flat No: 509, DS Max Sky City, 5th Floor, Next to Devin Paradise Enclave, Thanisandra Main Road, Bengaluru - 560064, Have Change My Name to **ABDUL RAZAK**. Vide Affidavit Dated 23.07.2026 before Notary M. RAJENDRA. Bengaluru

NAME CHANGE-ONE AND THE SAME PERSON

I, **RAJESHWARI** D/o **SHADEVAPPA S POOJARI** W/o **GANGADHAR PUJERI,** resident of Jewargi Taluk, Kachapur, Kalaburagi District., Karnataka-585325, have changed my Name from **RAJESHWARI S** to **RAJESHWARI** vide affidavit dated 25-07-2026 before Notary R BASAVARAJA, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **DARAKSHAN MAHE JABEEN**, Aged 53 Years, W/o **Noorul Hasan**, Residing at No. 587, 5th Main Yaseen Nagar, 1st Stage, 2nd Block, HBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560043. Have Changed My Name to DARAKHSHA. & My Father Name Change from **ABDUL WAFA** to **ABUL WAFA**. Vide Affidavit Dated 23.07.2026 before Notary M. RAJENDRA. Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **GAYATHRI DAYAL KUMAR** W/o. **Dayal Kumar** residing at No.85, 4th Cross, M.V Garden Halasuru, Bangalore 560008 have changed my name from **GAYATHRI DAYAL KUMAR** to **GAYATHRI A S Before** Notary Public M.Rajendra, Bangalore dated 25.07.2026

CHANGE OF NAME

I hitherto known as **MARGARET BADIGER** W/O **LATE SAMUEL BADIGER** residing at 90, GOLDEN PARK VIJAYANAGAR, SAMUDAYA BAVAN GOLDEN PARK, HUBLI, DHARWAD, KARNATAKA-580032 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **MERY MARGRET** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ABDUL RAHIM**, Residing at NO 13. D STREET, CLEVELAND TOWN, BENGALURU, KARNATAKA-560005.
I have Changed My Minor Daughter's Name from **BIBI MARIYAM** to **MIFRAH MARYAM**. D.O..B.31-03-2010. Vide Affidavit Dated 25.07.2026 before Notary PRASAD SHETTY. K.B. Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **DEEPA R** W/O **ABHILASH S** residing at #1540/28, B BLOCK, BEHIND JAYANAGARA 2ND CHURCH, SARASWATHI NAGARA, DAVANGERE, KARNATAKA-577004 have changed the name of my minor son **MANAN TEJAS** aged 06 years and he shall thereafter be known as **ATHARV A** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **HARISH KUMAR B** S/O Y **BHIMAPPA** residing at #781/6, CHURCH ROAD, NEAR DHM CHURCH, JAYANAGAR B BLOCK, DAVANGERE, KARNATAKA-577004 have changed the name of my minor daughter **DRUTHI H** aged 12 years and she shall thereafter be known as **ANVITHA H** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RASHMI GOTHE** W/O **HUSENASAB** residing at RANEVUR MASEED, BIJAPUR, KARNATAKA-586101 have changed the name of my minor son AYAAN KAROSHI aged 16 years and he shall thereafter be known as **AYANSH GOTHE** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I hitherto known as **NEHA BHUWANIA** D/O **BIMAL KUMAR BHUWANIA** residing at FLAT A 806 SV SIGNATURE, ITPL MAIN ROAD, RAJAPALYA, HOODI, BENGALURU, KARNATAKA-560048 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **NEHHA BHUWANIYAA** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I hitherto known as **RAMESH SOMANATH NAYAKA** S/O **SOMANATH** residing at WARD 1, SHIVAJINAGAR, SHINGATARAYANAKERI, GADAG, KARNATAKA-582103 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **HAMESH SOMANATH NAYAK** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I hitherto known as **NINGAYYA S** S/O **SHIVAPPA KATAL** residing at NO 2/5, BADIYAL, YADGIR, KARNATAKA-585221 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **AGASTYA** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I hitherto known as **VENKATESH** S/O **CHANNABASAMMA** residing at 2ND CROSS, NEHARU NAGARA, CHITRADURGA, CHITRADURGA, KARNATAKA-577501 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as N **KUMARA** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I hitherto known as **S K URMI** D/O **KRISHNAPPA** residing at NO 144 SONDEKOPPA, BANGALORE NORTH, POST SONDEKOPPA, BANGALORE, KARNATAKA-562130 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **S K UMA** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NETHRAVATI KORTIKERE SUBBANNA**, aged 48 years, W/o. **Srinivasa Gowda** Kampegowda, Resident of No. 35, Lakshmi Nilaya, Adugodi, Koramangala Road, Bengaluru -560030, Karnataka, that I have changed my name from **NETRAVATHI SRINIVASA GOWDA** @ **NETRAVATHI KORTIKERE SUBBANNA** to **NETHRAVATI KORTIKERE SUBBANNA**, vide affidavit dated: 25.07.2026 before notary GANESH GOWDA .M.V, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **CHANDRA SHEKHAR**, S/o. **Champa Lal**, Residing at No. 01, Ground Floor, C Block, Sri Lakshmi Narasimha Arcade, Anakapalle Cross, Bengaluru -560020, Karnataka, have changed my name to **CHANDRA SHEKHAR KHATRI,** for all the Purposes.

CHANGE OF NAME

-I hitherto known as **NIRMALA T** W/O **S BALAN** residing at #126, 6TH CROSS, KAVIKA LAYOUT, PO: GOVERNMENT ELECTRIC FACTORY, BANGALORE, KARNATAKA-560026 have changed my name and shall hereafter be known as **T PAULIN NIRMALA** vide Affidavit dated 22/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **THIPPESWAMY B M** S/O **MANJANNA B M** residing at #BOMMENAHALLI, CHITRADURGA, KARNATAKA-577520 have changed the name of my minor son **GOWTHAM T** aged 17 years and he shall thereafter be known as **GOUTHAM T** vide Affidavit dated 25/07/2026 before Notary Rajkumar.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **GEETHA BAI KAMALANATHA RAO,** W/o. **Balachandra Rao Jadav**, Residing at No. 345, 1st Main, 5th Cross, Sharadamma Nagar, Jalahalli, Bengaluru -560013, have changed my name to **GEETHA JADAV KAMALANATHA RAO**, for all the Purposes.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SYED NISAR SYED SHARFUDDIN**, Residing at No. 760, Behind Petrol Bunk, Nehurji Colony, Gauribidanur, Chikkaballapura -561208, Karnataka, today camped at Bengaluru, have changed my name to **SYED NISAR SYED NALBAND**, vide affidavit dated: 25.07.2026 before notary SIVAKUMARA .M.N, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **JEETHANDER KUMAR DEEPACHAND**, S/o. **Deepchand**, Residing at No. 75/76, 2nd Floor, NRI Layout, 2nd Stage, Kalkere, Ravanna Layout, Bengaluru -560043, Karnataka, have changed my name to **JEETHANDER KUMAR**, for all the Purposes.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SAMYA KHAN**, aged 23 years, D/o. **Rehan Khan**, Residing at No. A-002, Isha Lake Front Apartments, Ground Floor, 24th Main, Extension, 523, HSR Layout, Sector-2, Bengaluru -560102, Karnataka, that I have changed my name from **SAMYA AFZA KHAN** to **SAMYA KHAN**, vide affidavit dated: 22.07.2026 before notary A.S. NARAYANA REDDY, Bengaluru.