



2025:KER:75775

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE N.NAGARESH

MONDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2025 / 21ST ASWINA, 1947

WP(C) NO. 31555 OF 2025

PETITIONER:

STEPHEN V. THOMAS
AGED 23 YEARS
S/O. LIJU V. STEPHEN, 7 A NOEL TALL TERRACE,
AMRITHA NAGAR, CHERANALLOR, EDAPALLY,
ERNAKULAM, PIN - 682034

BY ADVS.
SHRI.THAREEQ ANVER
SRI.T.KRISHNANUNNI (SR.)
SRI.VINOD RAVINDRANATH
SMT.MEENA.A.
SRI.K.C.KIRAN
SMT.M.R.MINI
SHRI.ANISH ANTONY ANATHAZHATH
SMT.NIVEDHITHA PREM.V
SRI.ANANTHAKRISHNAN A. KARTHA
SMT.MARIYA JOSEPH
SMT.AMEERA JOJO

RESPONDENTS:

- 1 BAR COUNCIL OF INDIA
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY, 21 ROUSE AVENUE
INSTITUTIONAL AREA NEAR BAL BHAWAN, NEW DELHI
(DELHI), PIN - 110002
- 2 HIGH COURT OF KERALA
REPRESENTED BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL, HIGH
COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM, PIN - 682031



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- 3 REGISTRAR- GENERAL
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM, PIN - 682031
- 4 BAR COUNCIL OF KERALA
REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY, BAR COUNCIL, BAR
COUNCIL BHAVAN, HIGH COURT OF KERALA CAMPUS,
ERNAKULAM, PIN - 682031
- 5 ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE
REPRESENTED BY THE CHAIRMAN, ENROLMENT
COMMITTEE, BAR COUNCIL, BAR COUNCIL BHAVAN,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA CAMPUS, ERNAKULAM, PIN -
682031
- 6 STATE OF KERALA
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF
LAW, SECRETARIAT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN -
695001

BY ADVS SRI.HARIKUMAR G.
SRI.RAJIT, SC
SMT.M.U.VIJAYALAKSHMI, SC
SMT.K.AMMINIKUTTY, SR GOVERNMENT PLEADER

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR
ADMISSION ON 13.10.2025, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY
DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:



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N. NAGARESH, J.

W.P.(C) No.31555 of 2025

Dated this the 13th day of October, 2025

J U D G M E N T

Petitioner has filed this writ petition seeking the following reliefs:

- (I) To call for the records leading to Exhibit P4;
- (II) To issue a Writ of Certiorari setting aside Exhibit P4;
- (III) To issue writ of mandamus or other appropriate Writ, order or direction, directing the 4th and 5th Respondents to conduct the enrolment as expeditiously as possible within the time frame fixed by this Hon'ble court deems fit and proper in the facts and circumstances of the case or in the alternative a direction may be issued to the 2nd Respondent to invoke Section 58 of the Advocates Act 1961 for conducting enrolment of lawyers to the roll of the Kerala Bar Council at the earliest in accordance with law so as to secure the ends of justice;
- (IV) To issue writ of mandamus or other appropriate Writ, order or direction, directing the Respondents 3 to 5 to consider Exhibit P8. P9 and P10 expeditiously, in accordance with law;



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2. It is submitted that enrollment ceremony was over yesterday and the petitioner has been enrolled.

Recording the said submission, the writ petition is disposed of.

**Sd/-
N. NAGARESH
JUDGE**

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APPENDIX OF WP(C) 31555/2025

PETITIONER EXHIBITS

Exhibit P1	A TRUE COPY OF THE PETITIONER'S DEGREE CERTIFICATE DATED 29/05/2025 ISSUED BY CHRIST UNIVERSITY
Exhibit P2	A TRUE COPY OF THE JUDGMENT DATED 20- 06-2025 IN WA NO.1043/2025 OF THIS HON'BLE COURT
Exhibit P3	A TRUE COPY OF THE REPRESENTATION DATED 10-7-2025 MADE TO 2ND RESPONDENT
Exhibit P4	A TRUE COPY OF THE COMMUNICATION DATED 11-08-2025 ISSUED BY THE 2ND RESPONDENT
Exhibit P5	A TRUE COPY OF THE REPRESENTATION DATED 10-7-2025 MADE TO 1ST RESPONDENT
Exhibit P6	A TRUE COPY OF THE REPRESENTATION DATED 10-7-2025 MADE TO THE 4TH RESPONDENT
Exhibit P7	A TRUE COPY OF THE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT DATED 21-7-2023 RECEIVED FROM THE 4TH RESPONDENT
Exhibit P8	A TRUE COPY OF THE REPRESENTATION DATED 19-8-2025 SENT TO THE 1ST RESPONDENT BY EMAIL TO BCIINF021@GMAIL.COM
Exhibit P9	A TRUE COPY OF THE REPRESENTATION DATED 19-8-2025 MADE TO THE 4TH RESPONDENT BY EMAIL SENT TO SECRETARY@BCKONLINE.ORG
Exhibit P10	A TRUE COPY OF THE REPRESENTATION DATED 19-8-2025 MADE TO THE 5TH RESPONDENT BY EMAIL SENT TO ENROLMEMT@BCKONLINE.ORG