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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

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Karnataka Government Secretariat,
M.S. Building,
Bengaluru, dated: 29.08.2025

NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the Karnataka Land Revenue Act, 1964 (Karnataka Act No. 12 of 1964) provides for the filing of petitions, applications, appeals, second appeals, reviews, revisions and other proceedings before Revenue Courts, Revenue Officers and other competent authorities under various provisions of the said Act;

And whereas, it is considered expedient, in the interest of transparency, efficiency, timely disposal and accessibility, to provide for online filing and electronic management of all such proceedings through a centralised platform, with authentication by Digital Signature or other legally recognised electronic means;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 197 and 201 read with other enabling provisions of the Karnataka Land Revenue Act, 1964 and the rules made thereunder, the Government of Karnataka hereby issues the following Notification :—

1. Short title and commencement:

(1) This Notification may be called the Karnataka Revenue Court Proceedings (Online Filing, Digital Authentication and Digitisation) Notification, 2025.

(2) It shall come into force from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

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2. Definitions:

- (1) “Act” means the Karnataka Land Revenue Act, 1964.
- (2) “RCCMS” means the Revenue Court Case Monitoring/Management System maintained by the Revenue Department, Government of Karnataka.
- (3) “e-signature” includes electronic signatures recognised under the Information Technology Act, 2000, and as may be notified by the Government for RCCMS.
- (4) “Revenue Court” shall have the meaning assigned by the Act and shall include Revenue Commissioner, Regional Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner, Special Deputy Commissioner, Assistant Commissioner, Special Assistant Commissioner, Tahsildar and Special Tahsildar or Any other Officer appointed under the Act acting as Revenue Courts.

3. Scope and application:

- (1) This Notification shall apply to all petitions, applications, appeals, second appeals, reviews, revisions, objections, statements and other filings made under any provision of the Karnataka Land Revenue Act, 1964 and the rules made thereunder.
- (2) It shall also apply to any other proceedings under any Act or Rules wherein Revenue Authorities are empowered to hold quasi-judicial proceedings and adjudicate matters.

4. Authorisation of RCCMS:

- (1) The RCCMS platform is hereby authorised as the official system for—
 - a) Filing of all proceedings covered under para 3;
 - b) Submission of replies, counter-statements, evidence and supporting documents;
 - c) Service of notices, summons and orders;
 - d) Updating of case-diary, preponement or postponement of hearings;
 - e) Viewing of case status, schedules, orders and judgments.
- (2) Filing through RCCMS, duly authenticated in the manner provided in para 6, shall be deemed valid and proper filing under the Act.

5. Equivalence to physical filing:

All proceedings filed, authenticated, recorded and processed through RCCMS in accordance with this Notification shall have the same legal validity, enforceability and evidentiary value as proceedings filed in physical form.

6. Digitisation of physical filings:

- (1) Where any petition, application, appeal or other proceeding is filed in physical form, the receiving office shall digitise the same and upload it into RCCMS before placing the matter before the concerned Revenue Court or Revenue Officer.
- (2) Petitions, appeals or revisions received at the counter shall be digitised and uploaded immediately. The RCCMS acknowledgement shall constitute proof of filing.
- (3) The digitised record shall be treated as the official case record for all purposes of hearing, reference and preservation.

7. Digital authentication and case records:

- (1) All online filings under this Notification shall be authenticated by—
 - a) a valid Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) under the Information Technology Act, 2000; or
 - b) Aadhaar-based e-sign recognised by the Controller of Certifying Authorities, Government of India; or
 - c) such other electronic authentication method as may be notified by the Government.
- (2) The entire case record including pleadings, affidavits, documents, case-diary and orders shall be created, maintained and preserved within RCCMS. Certified copies shall be generated electronically with secure verifiable features.
- (3) Revenue Courts shall record proceedings directly in RCCMS, fix hearing dates, and generate electronic cause-lists.
- (4) Orders shall be digitally signed and uploaded in RCCMS, and the RCCMS-generated copy shall be deemed an authenticated copy under the Act and Rules.

8. E-service of notices and communications:

- (1) Issue and service of notice, summons and communications shall be effected electronically through RCCMS to the addresses, mobile numbers and emails provided by parties, with automated SMS/Email/WhatsApp intimation where available. Proof of dispatch and delivery generated by RCCMS shall constitute prima facie proof of service.
- (2) Where e-service is unsuccessful, RCCMS shall record the steps taken for substituted service as directed by the Revenue Court.

9. Fees and payments:

- (1) Court-fees and statutory fees shall be paid online, and RCCMS shall generate e-challan/e-receipts.
- (2) Refunds or additional payments, if any, shall be processed through RCCMS.

10. Transparency and open access:

- (1) Daily cause-lists, next dates of hearing, and final orders shall be published on RCCMS, subject to confidentiality directions.
- (2) Parties shall have facility to track case status online and download orders.

11. Power to issue guidelines:

The Principal Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, shall issue detailed guidelines, Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) and instructions from time to time for implementation of this Notification, including procedures for digitisation, online hearings and record management.

By Order and in the name of the
Governor of Karnataka

(Rajender Kumar Kataria)
Principal Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.