IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU

DATED THIS THE 31ST DAY OF MAY 2016

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE S. ABDUL NAZEER WRIT PETITION NOS.30611-30612/2016 (GM-POLICE)

Between:

- Sri Durgaparameshwari Stone Crushers, Karje Village, Udupi Taluk and District, Reptd. By its Managing Partner, T.Suresh Shetty, S/o late Rajeeva Shetty, Aged about 50 years, r/a Shreyas, Karje Village and Post, Udupi Tq. & Dist. 576 101.
- 2 Smt.Vimala Shetty,
 W/o Suresh Shetty,
 Aged about 45 years,
 R/a Shreyas Nilaya,
 Hosur Grama and Post,
 Udupi Taluk & Dist. 576 101. Petitioners.

(By Sri Vigneshwar S. Shastri, Adv.)

And:

State of Karnataka,
 Reptd. By Principal Secretary,
 Department of Home,
 Vidhana Soudha, Dr. Ambedkar Veedhi,
 Bengaluru 560 001.

- Director General of Police,Nrupatunga Road,Bengaluru 560 001.
- 3 Superintendent of Police, Udupi District 576 101.
- 4 Station House Officer, Brahmavar, Udupi Tq. & Dist. 576 101.

.... Respondents.

(By Smt.Prathima Honnapura, HCGP)

These Writ Petitions are filed under Articles 226 & 227 of the Constitution of India, praying to direct the respondents to extend the police protection to the petitioners for carrying on stone crushing business as per complaints filed at Anenxures 'N' and 'P' and representation at Annexure 'Q' etc.

These Writ Petitions coming on for Preliminary Hearing in 'B' Group this day, the Court passed the following:

<u>ORDER</u>

I have heard the learned Counsel for the parties.

2. The contention of the petitioners is that they have lodged complaints at Annexures 'N' and 'P' informing the 4th

respondent the commission of certain offences by the third parties. It is further contended that the 4th respondent has not considered the complaints and suitable action has not been taken so far.

3. It is evident from the materials on record that complaints have been lodged by the petitioners as per Annexures 'N' and 'P'. I am of the view that the 4th respondent has to consider the aforesaid complaints in accordance with law. Ordered accordingly. Writ petitions are disposed of in the aforesaid terms. No costs.

Sd/-JUDGE.

BMM/-