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**Final request from MN Vijayakumar, IAS to Sri SV Ranganath, IAS to appear as a witness**

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**MN Vijayakumar, IAS****12/2/2011**

1981 Batch, Karnataka Cadre  
(relieved from the post of Chairman , KSMBL  
on 19/11/2010 without DPAR issuing any  
transfer order till today)

**Sub: Final request to Sri SV Ranganath, IAS  
to appear as a witness.**

*Ref: 1. My letter dated 31/1/2011 requesting  
Sri SV.Ranganath, IAS to appear as a  
witness.*

*2. My letter dated 5/2/2011 again  
requesting Sri SV.Ranganath, IAS to appear  
as a witness.*

*3. My emails and letters dated*

*31/1/2011 and 5.2.2011 addressed to many IAS officers with copies to the Chief Secretary requesting him to direct those officers to appear as witnesses*

*4. My letters dated 28/4/2010, 15/5/2010 and 8/2/2011 addressed to the Chief Secretary to make arrangements for medical assessment of my mental health*

*5. My letter dated 5/2/2011 requesting the Chief Secretary to forward my intimation to the Cabinet Secretary about quitting the Service*

*6. My letter dated 17/4/2011 to the Cabinet Secretary through Chief Secretary requesting him to give me posting after my trial as a whistleblower*

*7. My many letters to the Cabinet Secretary through the Chief Secretary informing the harassment, humiliation, discrimination and obstruction meted out to me for my stand and actions against corruption*

*8. My letters dated 9/2/2011 and 11/2/2011 about a painful incident*

*Dear Sir,*

I am writing this letter to emphasize why your appearance as a witness is absolutely necessary.

My letters addressed to you since you took charge as Chief Secretary clearly bring out how after I refused to accept the illegal and unethical suggestions made to me by you on 26/10/09 , you started ill-treating me. My letter dated 27/10/2010 contains the details. It is unfortunate that the harassments have become so unbearable that I am being forced to quit service during your tenure. It is very important to retain my sanity to fight the corrupt after I quit the Service. As I had intended in my letter dated 6/11/2006 I have documented enough to show how I would be harassed by those shielding the corrupt. The harassment not just me but even my other family members were subjected to by the corrupt officers since 2006 are too many to be mentioned here. Continuing further in the Service just to document more harassment, humiliation makes no sense. You

have over the last one year period clearly demonstrated that you would go to any length to prevent me from discharging my official duties. Even these have been documented.

In my letters/emails addressed to you at ref 1 , 2, I had requested you to appear as witness. In the letters/emails at ref 3, I had requested you to direct other IAS officers who were harassing me to appear as witnesses. I had requested you to direct the concerned in your office to make available the postal/email addresses of those who worked as Personal Secretaries to Chief Secretaries from June 2006 to March 2008. I did not get any response. I had given details as to why I wanted to examine those IAS officers as witnesses(some have retired).I had also clearly mentioned that I did not expect them to give any statement in my favor but clearly indicated that even statement against me would help establish the criminal conspiracy

*In my letter dated 1/3/2010 among other things*

*I had written to you the following*

*The fact that I am not compromising my stand against corruption to get a good posting is elaborated in my letter dated 27/1/2010...Sri KK Misra just a few days before he retired as Chief secretary called me and told me that he had handed over to you all files containing corrupt practices I observed in the Energy Sector (You were Principal Secretary to the Chief minister at that time)... honest not allowed to do right things or cannot do anything, or not allowed to do anything then record your efforts and record your harassments. This is exactly what I am doing now. But this letter also helps me to convey the seriousness of the problem to Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. If you think that I can approach any other forum or mechanism to help me work without fear, I would be too happy to pursue it before approaching the Hon'ble Supreme Court (Cabinet Secretary in his letter of 2004 held that honest officer who are harassed for taking principled stand have no forum, I have also not come across any forum or mechanism and DPAR also has*

*not informed me about any such mechanism or forum till today created by the GOK.)*

In my reminder dated 5/2/2011 I had brought the following to your notice

*I had requested in my letter dated 31/1/2011 to appear as a witness in a baseless inquiry case against me. I had indicated your name to appear as my witness to support me in December 2007 itself. This is because I thought you knew my stand against corruption and corrupt officers since my probationary days. IN FACT IN RESPECT OF ONE OF THE BASELESS CHARGES THE INFORMATION MADE AVAILABLE TO ME INDICATES THAT AN IMPORTANT FILE ABOUT THE SERIOUS CORRUPT PRACTICES OF MANY IAS OFFICERS GIVEN BY ME TO THE CHIEF SECRETARY WAS LAST FOUND WITH YOU. WHEN YOU WERE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO CM. IT BECAME UNTRACEABLE LATER*

In my letter dated 15/9/2007 I had informed the following to the Chief Secretary:

*I had given a detailed report to Sri K.K.Misra then Chief Secretary, which contained concrete evidences of corrupt practices in the Energy Sector. Sri K.K.Misra informed me just before retiring that he has given my report containing the documents to Sri S.V.Ranganath, IAS then Principal Secretary to the Chief Minister.*

As early as on 14/8/2006 this is what I had informed the Chief Secretary:

*Further Sri KK Misra had spoken to me twice on his own in the month of August 2005. During the first meeting, he asked me whether I was not afraid of the officers against whom I had leveled charges of encouraging corrupt practices. I had earlier sent a detailed report giving supporting documents giving in detail various omissions and commissions that had happened many times in the past and the details of persons who were responsible. Sri Misra made amply clear that he was afraid of these*

*officers as they would go to any extent to harm me and asked to be cautious with these officers. However I don't know the fate of the report I had given. I also made it clear that I would be continuing to expose such corrupt practices. Later on another occasion he suggested that I could join the Hon'ble Lokayukta office as Registrar and he also told me he had spoken to Hon'ble Lokayukta about me and that I should meet him. As per his advice I met him and he spoke to me on some serious issues and alternative methods he is thinking about to address these issues...*

You have not responded to any of my letters since the day you took charge. On the other hand, the ill-treatments intensified. The ill-treatments became so unbearable that in my letter dated 17/4/2010 I had indicated that I would quit the service once the inquiry is over. However, till August 2010, inquiry did not start. I am in no way responsible for this delay or the inordinate delay of not initiating the inquiry even after I gave my



response to the baseless charges as early as in December 2007. All my letters to take action as per Cabinet Secretary's letter of 2004 have been deliberately ignored. If action had been taken, the inquiry should have been initiated on all officers who harassed me by suppressing and distorting facts. On the other hand, the ill-treatments intensified so much that it started affecting me mentally. During this period, worst possible ill-treatments were given to me and I was completely obstructed by you in carrying out my duties. As though these were not enough on 20/9/2010, you recorded in the file something which clearly indicated that you never wanted the inquiry to be conducted immediately and in a fair manner. You did not deliberately respond to all my letters and only when the Inquiry Authority suggested that I should keep on trying to meet you, you unwillingly gave me an appointment in October 2010. Unfortunately, though I wanted to give some confidential information, you insisted on the presence of two officers whose presence I opposed immediately after entering your

chamber. Even after personally bringing to your notice, I got some response only after sending many reminders which clearly showed that information given by me was deliberately ignored. However, during this period you used extremely bad methods to humiliate me. As though these were not sufficient, I was relieved from KSMBL in November 2010 without DPAR issuing any transfer order. You followed this to financially harass me as your predecessors did. After attending each hearing, most of the time, I was keeping you and the CVC informed as to what was happening. But there was no action from your side. Unable to bear the harassment and humiliation, during one of the hearings in January 2011, I informed the Hon'ble IA that I would quit the Service after examination of my wife as a witness. Though the IA might not have understood the seriousness of other harassment and humiliation I was facing because of you, he understood clearly that I was being harassed by denying me salary. When I learnt that a decision to pay salary is being taken to avoid making the inquiry void,

I was disgusted . When you denied me opportunity to discuss issues of public interest in spite of several reminders, finally I had to inform you that I would meet the Hon'ble Chief Minister when he holds Janata Darshan. For this also you did not respond. Even you have not shown me the APAR for the period November 2009 to March 2010 and I do not know whether you also hold me to be mentally ill as your predecessors did since January 2007 (I have till today not received any reply from the Government in response to the objections I had filed against remarks in ACR/APAR for the periods Jan 2007 to March 2007, August 2007 to March 2008 and April 2008 to October 2008). This becomes important because after the forceful assessment by the Medical Board in December 2009, in January 2010, you again communicated to me that your predecessor doubted my mental health. All my letters written in this regard since January 2010 till last week have not been responded by you. I do not know which are the months and purposes for which I have been held to be

mentally ill from 1/1/2007 and which are the months and purposes for which I have been held sane from 1/1/2007. Not responding appears to be intentional. This is really driving me mad. All these are not expected of you , as you also still happen to be my Reporting officer. My request to name another officer as my Reporting officer has also been ignored by you till today. You did not respond to any of my requests with the sole intention of mentally torturing me. You finally forced me to send the letter dated 5/2/2011, in which I requested you to bring to the notice of the Cabinet Secretary my decision to quit the Service so that I will not lose my sanity. And now finally by not responding to my request to appear as a witness, you have shown that only to make me quit service you have ordered the unfair inquiry ignoring all facts. This is important as further documentation of my harassment does not make any sense while retaining sanity is very important to fight the corrupt after leaving the Service. Further the objectives I had set for myself and communicated to the Chief Secretary on

6/11/2006 have to some extent been achieved. I do not want to beg you either for salary or for posting. I do not have to inform you that driving any officer deliberately to quit the Service by continuously harassing, humiliating, discriminating and obstructing amount to serious criminal offence.

In my letter dated 5/2/2011 given to you I had informed you as follows: . *I have sent the copies of these letters sent by RPAD to you also with a request to direct them to give evidence as witnesses. I have even requested you to give evidence. In the email sent to you I have given reasons as to why these officers including you should have been shown as witnesses. I have informed them that I do not expect them to give evidence in my favor and that even evidence against me possibly throws light on conspirators who have been harassing me*

It is no wonder that the Expert Committee under the Chairmanship of Sri PC Hota

appointed by the GOI made the following observations in its report submitted in July 2010 and as each line is true in my case(or did the expert group make the observation after studying my plight as I had kept all authorities in GOI informed) I am reproducing it below: *One of these is the tendency to browbeat members of the All India Services through motivated action, including frequent transfers, transfers to posts which do not normally warrant posting of an officer of his seniority, suspension and initiation of Disciplinary Inquiries without adequate basis. Through such steps, State Governments humiliate and harass several officers of these Services, in effect warning others what can happen to them unless they, too, toe the line... there is need to do much more because the large proportion of the All-India Services Officers serving in connection with affairs of a state feel quite let down by the inability of the Central Government to protect their interests effectively*

It is very obvious that Chief Secretaries have exploited this helplessness of GOI to harass me to protect very corrupt officers but in the process have made Karnataka the most corrupt state in the country. The only reason for writing all these in such detail is to impress upon you to at least now respond by appearing as a witness so that you also would have a firsthand experience of what I am going through because of your act of deliberately suppressing the documents. This also gives an opportunity to see for yourself whether I have become as much insane as had been planned. All these ill-treatments including facing this humiliating inquiry based on suppression of a large number of facts which have finally led me to contemplate to quit service can be traced to the documents which you have deliberately mishandled. As mentioned by me many times I did not join the Service to show to the world how much continuous ill-treatment I would tolerate and still be normal! I once again want to remind you that I had mentioned you as a witness in my favor in December 2007 itself when I least imagined

that you would become the Chief Secretary before the baseless inquiry concludes. **For these reasons I am making this final request to you to appear as witness.**

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely

(M.N.Vijayakumar)

Sri S.V.Ranganath, IAS ,  
Chief Secretary, GOK,  
Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore