



Veerashaiva Samaja of North America (VSNA)

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Ref No: VSNA/2021/06/04

Date: June 21st 2021

To Whom It May Concern,

The Board of directors of Veerashaiva Samaja of North America during the Anubhava Mantapa Session # 3 (BOD Meeting) held on Saturday, June 12th 2021 (attended by 32 out of 35 directors), passed the following VSNA Resolution # 2021-5 unanimously. Board of Regents meeting held on Saturday, June 19th, 2021 (attended by all 7 regents) unanimously ratified the VSNA Resolution # 2021-5, in accordance with the VSNA bylaws. Hence, the resolution is implemented effective immediately.

VSNA Resolution # 2021-5: Revocation of Primary Membership of Mr. Shrishail Kumar Hadimani.

1. Mr. Shrishail Kumar Hadimani, having been accused of allegedly "Falsifying a document/ Forgery", a crime under US laws, and unwilling to exonerate himself despite many opportunities presented to him. The Board of Directors (BOD) had suspended his VSNA membership on Dec 6th, 2020, until he could clear his name from suspicion of the 'alleged crime'. Even after six months of waiting, Mr. Hadimani has refused, failed and not even attempted to provide the anticipated & needed proof. **(Reference: Special BOD Minutes of Meeting, Sunday, Dec 6th, 2020)**
2. The Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan entered the Declaratory Judgement on March 26th, 2021. Excerpt from the recorded judgment: "IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECLARED, that there is evidence of fraud in the voting process by the "System Administrator", Shrishail K. Hadimani, and improprieties in tabulating the vote. **(Reference: Declaratory Judgment, March 26th, 2021)**
3. Shrishail Hadimani was responsible for multiple counts of bylaw violations, overriding several majority BOD resolutions while continuing to mislead and misinform the general members. He engaged VSNA in a legal counterchallenge going against explicit BOD mandate, direction & resolutions. **(Reference: Special BOD Minutes of Meeting, Sunday, Aug 16th, 2020)**

Above are some of the key reasons, by which we concluded that Mr. Shrishail Kumar Hadimani has demonstrated "conduct unbecoming, and detrimental to the goals and objectives of the Religious Corporation". In an attempt, to safeguard the image, reputation, legal and financial interests of VSNA, we the Board of Directors are forced to do our duty, and invoke Article III sec 3 of the VSNA bylaws, to revoke Mr. Shrishail Kumar Hadimani's primary life membership and past president privileges from the Veerashaiva Samaja of North America and its chapters, without any refund of his membership fees.

Compelling Reasons for VSNA BOD & BOR actions: Proven fraudulent actions of Mr. Shrishail Kumar Hadimani could have been legally dealt and further tried in a court of criminal law, if pursued by VSNA. After consulting with most of the current board members and advisors, the following internal action, only within the VSNA organization has been implemented for now. To ensure that this never happens again in our religious organization, the current VSNA BOD & BOR have acted unitedly against the fraudulent actions stated above.

For reviewing the detailed VSNA BOD and BOR Minutes of Meeting or referenced documents or any questions or clarifications, please contact the VSNA Secretary or undersigned.

On behalf of VSNA BOD and BOR,

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