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New Delhi-110 011, Dated: 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2025.

**NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the power conferred by clause (1) of Article 217 of the Constitution of India, the President is pleased to appoint Shri Justice Kempaiah Somashekar, Judge of the Karnataka High Court, to be Chief Justice of the Manipur High Court with effect from the date he assumes charge of his office.

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**Copy to:-**

1. Shri Justice Kempaiah Somashekar, Judge of the Karnataka High Court through the Registrar General, Karnataka High Court, Bengaluru.
2. The Secretary to the Governor, Manipur, Imphal.
3. The Secretary to the Governor, Karnataka, Bengaluru.
4. The Secretary to the Chief Minister, Karnataka, Bengaluru.
5. The Secretary to the Chief Justice, Manipur High Court, Imphal.
6. The Secretary to the Chief Justice, Karnataka High Court, Bengaluru.
7. The Chief Secretary, Government of Manipur, Imphal.
8. The Chief Secretary, Government of Karnataka, Bengaluru.
9. The Registrar General, Manipur High Court, Imphal.
10. The Registrar General, Karnataka High Court, Bengaluru.
11. The Accountant General, Manipur, Imphal.
12. The Accountant General, Karnataka, Bengaluru.
13. The President's Secretariat, (CA.II Section), Rashtrapati Bhavan, New Delhi.
14. PS to Principal Secretary to the Prime Minister, PM's Office, South Block, New Delhi.
15. Registrar (Conf.), o/o Chief Justice of India, 7, Krishna Menon Marg, New Delhi.
16. PS to MoS (I/C) (L&J)/ PPS to Secretary (J).
17. Technical Director, NIC, Department of Justice, with a request to upload the notification on the website of the Department ([www.doj.gov.in](http://www.doj.gov.in)).

  
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