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Circular

Subject: Regarding filing of associations registered under the Karnataka Associations
Registration Act-1960.

- Reference:
1. Government Letter No.: CO 46 CSR 2023, Date: 29.08.2023.
 2. Government Letter No.: CO 207 CSR 2024, Date: 05.03.2025.
 3. Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Karnataka State, Bangalore, whose case number is ARACENA/Samphanana-01/63/2024-25, 2:19.02.2026.

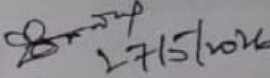
In the government letter of reference (1), the associations registered in the state under the Karnataka Societies Registration Act-1960 and which have not renewed their registration for more than 5 years have been allowed to file their registrations subject to certain conditions and imposing a penalty in the interest of the members of those associations. In the letter of reference (2), the above permission has been extended till the end of date: 31.12.2025.

In the letter of reference (3), the societies registered under the Karnataka Societies Registration Act-1960 are allowed to file the balance sheet and the annual general meeting with the registering officer of the competent authority after holding the same as per Section-13 of the Act. Although some societies registered under the Karnataka Societies Registration Act-1960 have been given a period of time from 05-03-2025 to 31-12-2025 to file for more than 05 years, several societies have failed to file and such societies

They have requested permission to file again till 31-12-2026.

Having thoroughly examined the proposal of the Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Karnataka State, Bangalore, the competent authorities concerned have been advised to take the following action in the interest of the societies registered in the state and in the interest of the administration of the societies which have not been renewed for more than 5 years.

- Organizations that have not filed for more than 5 years will have to file by paying an additional fine of Rs. 3,000/- per year.
- This opportunity will be valid until the end of the date: 31.12.2026.
- All administrative/audit reports of the association should be received and acted upon only in person/online.


27/12/2026

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Under Secretary to Government-3, Cooperation

Department.



For:

1. The Accountant General (A&E), Karnataka, Park House Road, P.O. Box No. 5329, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು.-01.
2. Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Karnataka State, No.1, Ali Oscar Road, Bangalore-52.
3. Joint Registrar of Cooperative Societies (ICDP), Registrar's Office, Bangalore.
4. Joint Registrars of all the cooperative societies in the state.
5. To the District Registrars of Societies and Deputy Registrars of Cooperative Societies in all districts of the state.
6. To the Assistant Registrars of all sub-division cooperative societies in the state.

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