## **STATEMENT**

High Court Collegium on 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2016 had, inter alia, recommended the name of Shri P. Krishna Bhat, Judicial Officer, for appointment as Judge of the Karnataka High Court.

On reconsideration of the above proposal, referred back by the Department of Justice, Government of India to the Chief Justice of India, the Supreme Court Collegium in its meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2019, has resolved to recommend that its recommendation made on 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2016 and reiterated on 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2017 be processed most expeditiously.

