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19 MP rebel MLAs holed up in B'luru may return by March 16

Like Ramesh, Will MP Speaker Disqualify Leaders For Anti-Party Activities?

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Bengaluru: It's Karnataka redux with 21 Madhya Pradesh Congress MLAs supporting Jyotiraditya Scindia tendering their resignations on Tuesday. This includes 19 MLAs holed up at a resort on the outskirts of Bengaluru.

The 19 MLAs are planning to return to Bhopal after March 16 as they hope former chief minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan will formally stake claim to form the BJP government by then. "We expect the BJP to soon move a no-confidence motion against the Kamal Nath government and seek a trust vote. It is expected to be completed early and they plan to return on or after March 16," said a senior Karnataka BJP functionary after holding a meeting with the MLAs from Madhya Pradesh.

The moot question is: Will MP assembly speaker NP Prajapati accept the resignation of rebel MLAs or will he take a cue from former Karnataka Speaker KR



Congress MLAs with their resignation letters in Bengaluru

Ramesh Kumar to disqualify 21 MLAs on charges of anti-party activities?

In July last year, 17 Karnataka MLAs were disqualified by Ramesh Kumar based on the complaint of Congress and JD(S) after their absence and resignation from the assembly during the trust vote leading to the collapse of the HD Kumaraswamy government. Ramesh

Kumar had disqualified the legislators, ruling that those disqualified ceased to be MLAs with immediate effect till the expiry of the 15th assembly (year 2023).

The disqualified MLAs later challenged the Speaker's order in the Supreme Court, which upheld their disqualification but allowed them to contest the bypolls in the state. In the December

Rebel MLAs seek police protection

Bengaluru: The Madhya Pradesh MLAs cossetted in a Bengaluru resort have requested the Karnataka DG&IGP to give them police protection. A one-page letter bearing the signatures of 19 lawmakers said they were in Karnataka "voluntarily and on important work". "We require protection and escort from local police for our safe movement and safe stay in and around Bengaluru," the letter said. A police officer said they have assured them protection.

bypolls, 11 of the 15 disqualified MLAs won the polls and enabled BJP government headed by chief minister BS Yediyurappa in Karnataka to return to power.

"A Karnataka-like scenario may not happen this time as the MP Speaker is aware it could only delay the inevitable," a BJP source in Bengaluru said, quoting his counterparts in MP.