

APHC010012372026



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
AT AMARAVATI
(Special Original Jurisdiction)



WEDNESDAY, THE 12th DAY OF AUGUST 2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K SREENIVASA REDDY

WRIT PETITION NO: 1417 OF 2026

Between:

PLR Projects Private Limited, Represented by its authorized signatory, C. Chandra Sekhar Reddy, S/o late Venkata Subba Reddy, Aged about 57 years, Occ Contractor, R/o Survey No. 12 (part). Plot No.2-91/12/A/AM/G-1, 5th floor, Astra Towers, Kothaguda Post, Kondapur, Hi tech city, Hyderabad

...Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District. (522238)
2. The Project Director & Engineer-in-Chief, Andhra Pradesh Rural Road Project (APRRP)/AIIB, P R Vijayawada, Bandar Road, ZP Compound, Vijayawada. (520002)
3. The Superintending Engineer, PR Circle, Chittoor District
4. The Executive Engineer, Project Implementation Unit (P.I.U), Chittoor, Chittoor District. (517001)
5. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep., by its Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District. (522238)
6. The Director General V and E, General Administration Department, O/at 2nd Floor, Pandit Nehru Bus Stand, Vijayawada, NTR District (520013).

7. The Regional Vigilance and Enforcement Officer, Tirupati, Tirupati District (517501).

RR 6 and 7 are impleaded as per Courts Order Dt. 12.08.2026 in I.A.No.2 of 2026

...Respondents

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therewith, the High Court may be pleased to issue a WRIT OF MANDAMUS declaring the action of the Respondents herein, in withholding the payment of CC 9th and Part Bill, Net Amount of Rs. 16,72,57,153/- (Gross Amount of Rs. 19,36,03,132/-) under Nidhi Portal No 2025-9078773, even after finalizing the bills payable to the petitioner in relation to the Package No. 31/APRRP/PRED/CTR/Road/003 - consists of 64 Road works in Chittoor District as per the Agreement No.2/2019-20, Dt. 11.12.2019 is questioned, as the same is illegal, arbitrary and violative of Articles 14, 16, 19 85 300-A of Constitution of India and consequently direct the respondents to consider for payment of CC 9th and Part Bill, Net Amount of Rs. 16,72,57,153/- (Gross Amount of Rs. 19,36,03,132/-) under Nidhi Portal No 2025-9078773 with an interest @24percent per annum for the delayed amount to the petitioner in respect of execution of above-mentioned work forthwith;

IA NO: 1 OF 2026:

Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to DIRECT the respondents to consider for payment of CC & Part Bill, Net Amount of Rs. 16,72,57,153/- (Gross Amount of Rs. 19,36,03,132/-) under Nidhi Portal No: 2025-9078773 with an interest of 24% per annum for the delayed amount to the petitioner in respect worksof execution of under 'Package 31/APRRP/PRED/CTR/Road/003 - consists of 64 Road works in Chittoor District as per the Agreement No.2/2019-20, Dt. 11.12.2019, pending disposal of WRIT PETITION 1417 of 2026, on the file of the High Court

The Petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Sri Suresh Kumar Reddy Kalava, Counsel for the Petitioner and GP for Panchayat Raj Rural Dev for the Respondent Nos.1 to 4 and GP for finance for the Respondent No.5, the Court made the following;

ORDER:

A perusal of the record shows that the matter has been undergone several adjournments for want of the Vigilance Report from the Respondent Nos.6 and 7.

Learned Government Pleader appearing on behalf of the respondents submits that the entire record is lying with the Vigilance Department and, as such, they are not in a position to obtain instructions from the concerned department.

In view of the above, Respondent Nos.6 and 7 are directed to be present before this Court through online mode on 19.08.2026.

SD/- T.SRINIVASA RAO
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Director General V & E, General Administration Department, O/at 2nd Floor, Pandit Nehru Bus Stand, Vijayawada, NTR District (520013). (directed to appear through virtual mode on the next date of hearing i.e., on 19.0.2026)
2. The Regional Vigilance and Enforcement Officer, Tirupati, Tirupati District (517501). (directed to appear through virtual mode on the next date of hearing i.e., on 19.0.2026) (Addressee Nos.1 & 2 by Speed post)
3. One CC to Sri. Suresh Kumar Reddy Kalava, Advocate [OPUC]

4. Two CCs to GP for Panchayat Raj Rural Dev, High Court of Andhra Pradesh [OUT]
5. Two CCs to GP for Finance, High Court of Andhra Pradesh [OUT]
6. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

SRK,J

DATED:12/08/2026

POST ON 19.08.2026

ORDER

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APPEARANCE

