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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)**

**MONDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF FEBRUARY,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE NYAPATHY VIJAY

WRIT PETITION NO: 2229 OF 2026

Between:

Gunipalli Koteswara Rao Kotayya, S/o Surya Rao, Age 64 years, Occ
Agriculture, R/o Kamarajupeta Village, Kothapalli Mandal, East Godavari
District, Pin Code 518 422.

... Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department, Secretariat Velagapudi, Guntur District, Pin Code 522 503.
2. The Additional Agent to the Government and Project Officer ITDA, Rampachodavaram, Polavaram District, Pin Code 533 288.
3. The Special Deputy Collector, Tribal Welfare, Rampachodavaram, Polavaram District, Pin Code 533 288. .
4. The Tahsildar, Gangavaram (Agency) Mandal, Polavaram District, Pin Code 533 284.
5. The Special Deputy Tahsildar, Gangavaram (Agency) Mandal, Polavaram District, Pin Code 533 284

... Respondents

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therewith, the High Court may be pleased to issue order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of MANDAMUS declaring the action of the respondents in seeking to dispossess the petitioner from the land over an extent of Ac 1.00 cts in

Sy.No.13/2 situated at Bayyanapalli Village, Gangavaram Mandal, Polavaram District in pursuance of the notice in Ref.B/225/2025, dt 19.11.2025 as wholly illegal, arbitrary and unjust and consequently direct respondents not to dispossess the petitioner from the above land by setting aside the notice issued by the 4th respondent, in the interest of Justice.

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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 stay of all further proceedings in pursuance of the notice in Ref.No.B/225/2025, dt: 19.11.2025 including dispossession of the petitioner from the land over an extent of Ac 1.00 cts in Sy.No. 13/2 situated at Bayyanapalli Village, Gangavaram Mandal, Polavaram District, Pending disposal of WP 2229 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 K VENKATESH Advocate for the Petitioner, GP FOR TRIBAL WELFARE for respondent nos.1 to 3, GP FOR REVENUE for respondent Nos.4 & 5, and the Court made the following.

ORDER

In spite of the orders of this court dated 28.01.2026 instructing the learned Assistant Government Pleader for Social Welfare to produce the order passed in L.T.R.P. No. 29 of 2005, dated 13.11.2007, the learned Assistant Government Pleader submits that the same could not be procured and seeks time.

At request, post on 09.02.2026.

Till such time, there shall be status quo as on today with regard to the property in question.

SD/- T. SRINIVASA RAO
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Velagapudi, Guntur District, Pin Code 522 503.
2. The Additional Agent to the Government and Project Officer ITDA, Rampachodavaram, Polavaram District, Pin Code 533 288.
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5. The Special Deputy Tahsildar, Gangavaram (Agency) Mandal, Polavaram District, Pin Code 533 284(1 to 5 by RPAD)
6. One CC to SRI. K VENKATESH Advocate [OPUC]
7. Two CCs to GP FOR SOCIAL WELFARE ,High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
8. One spare copy

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HIGH COURT

VN, J

DATED:02/02/2026

post on 09.02.2026.

ORDER

WP.No.2229 of 2026

STATUS-QUO

