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

MONDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF APRIL

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX



**:PRESENT:
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE BATTU DEVANAND**

WRIT PETITION NO: 2729 OF 2026

Between:

Sri Sriram Chengaiah, S/o late Venkaiah, aged 56 years, Resident of Timmayapalem, Palugodu, Dakkili Mandal, Tirupathi District, Andhra Pradesh-5213

Petitioner/s

AND

1. Union of India, Represented by its Secretary of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH), Room No.316, Transport Bhavan-1, Sansad Marg New Delhi-110001.
2. The Regional Officer, Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH), situated at Door No.41-29-45A, 3rd and 4th Floor, MORTH/NHAI Building, Ranigarithota, Near Kanakadurga Varadhi, Krishna Lanka, NTR (Krishna) District, AP-520013.
3. The Project Director, Penchalakona-Yerpedu Section, National Highway No.565 (NH-565) National Highway Authority of India, Project Office at Dhanalakshmi Nagar, Vykuntapuram Road, Tirupahti-517507.

Respondent/s

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 a Writ Order or direction particularly, one in the nature of writ of Mandamus declaring the high-handed action of the 3rd Respondent, who are threatened to forcibly dispossess the petitioner from his property admeasuring 120 square feet (15 Ankanalu), a Cool Drink Shop bearing H.No.2-167, Assessment No.450, situated in Sy.No.1 of Mopuru Village Road Centre, Mopuru Village, Dakkili Mandal, Tirupathi District, without issuing any notice and without following due process of law, which is violative of the principles of natural justice and Article 300-A of the Constitution of India and consequently direct the 3rd respondent not to interfere with the peaceful possession and enjoyment of the petitioner's property admeasuring 120 square feet (15 Ankanalu), a Cool Drink Shop bearing H.No.2-167, Assessment No.450, situated in Sy.No.1 of Mopuru Village Road Centre, Mopuru Village, Dakkili Mandal, Tirupathi District, without issuing any notice and without following due process of law.

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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 direct the 3rd respondent not to interfere with the peaceful possession and enjoyment of the petitioner's property admeasuring 120 square feet (15 Ankanalu), a Cool Drink Shop bearing H.No.2-167, Assessment No.450, situated in Sy.No.1 of Mopuru Village Road Centre, Mopuru Village, Dakkili Mandal, Tirupathi District, without issuing any notice and without following due process of law, Pending disposal of WP 2729 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 the earlier order of the High Court dt.31.01.2026 made herein and upon hearing the arguments of

Sri RAJA SEKHAR SYKAM Advocate for the Petitioner, The Additional Solicitor General of India for the Respondent No.1, the Court made the following.

ORDER

Learned Standing Counsel for N.H.A.I sought time to file counter.

For filing counter, post on 20.04.2026 in Daily List-II.

Interim order granted on 31.01.2026 shall stand extended pending further orders.

**SD/-A.VIJAYA BABU
DEPUTY REGISTRAR**

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Project Director, Penchalakona-Yerpedu Section, National Highway No.565 (NH-565) National Highway Authority of India, Project Office at Dhanalakshmi Nagar, Vykuntapuram Road, Tirupahti-517507. (by SPEED POST)
2. One CC to SRI. RAJA SEKHAR SYKAM Advocate [OPUC]
3. One CC to The Additional Solicitor General of India, High Court of A.P. [OPUC]
4. One spare copy

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HIGH COURT

DEV, J

DATED:06.04.2026

post on 20.04.2026 in Daily List-II.

ORDER

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INTERIM ORDER EXTENDED

