

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

**TUESDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF MARCH
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

: PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE GANNAMANENI RAMAKRISHNA
PRASAD**

WRIT PETITION NO: 5354 OF 2026



Between:

Shaik Hassan Basha (Bashi), S/o.Saleha, aged about 45 years, Occ: Business, Joint Secretary, Haleem and Falooda Stalls, Welfare Association committee, R/o.8-13-35, Kattavari Street, Wynchipeta, Vijayawada-, NTR District.

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep by its Special Chief Secretary, Municipal Administration and Urban Development Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravathi Guntur District- 522241
2. The District Collector, O/o Collectorate, Old Sub Collector Office, MG Road Vijayawada NTR District - 520010
3. The Sub Collector, Opp: Radio Station Old Montessori School, MG Road Vijayawada NTR District - 520010
4. Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, Rep by its Commissioner, Jawaharlal Nehru Building Complex, Vijayawada NTR District - 520001
5. The City Planner, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, Vijayawada NTR District 520001
6. The Commissioner of Police, Pingali Venkaiah Marg, Near PWD Grounds, Suryaraopeta, Buckinghampeta, Vijayawada NTR District - 520002

7. The Deputy Educational Officer, K-Section, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, Jawaharlal Nehru Building Complex, Vijayawada NTR District-520001
8. The Superintendent Engineer, Andhra Pradesh Central Power Distribution Corporation Ltd, Near PW D Grounds, Vijayawada, NTR District 520001
9. The Assistant Engineer, Electricity Department APCPDCL, Vijayawada-West, NTR District 520001
10. The Head Master, Mohammadalipuram Municipal School, Near Gandhi Bomma, Wynchipet, Vijayawada, NTR District 520001

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 or directions or orders more particularly Writ of Mandamus calling for the records pertaining to the impugned proceedings Rc.No.G5-120418/2025, dt.21.02.2026 issued by the 4th Respondent and set aside the same and consequentially declare the inaction of the Respondents in not giving NOC to the Petitioners' representation dated 24.11.2025 to run the Haleem Centre during Ramzan Festival with effect from 18.02.2026 to 20.03.2026 or until the sighting of the Moon by the members of the Petitioner's Society at Panja Centre, Mohd. Aleepuram High School, Opp: Hazia Masjid, Amma-Nayanamma Street, Wynchi Pet, Vijayawada-1 as illegal, arbitrary, Official bias and violative of Articles 14, 19, and 21 of the Constitution of India, in the interest of justice.

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Petition under Section 151 CPC praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the impugned proceedings Rc.No.G5-120418/2025, dt.21.02.2026 issued by the 4th Respondent while directing the Resondents to allow the Petitioner to rune Haleem Center in the name 7 style of "M/s Z & S Bahsi Haleem Center" to run the Haleem Centre during Ramzan

Festival with effect from 18.02.2026 to 20.03.2026 or until the sighting of the Moon at Panja Centre, Mohd. Aleepuram High School, Opp: Hazia Masjid, Amma-Nayanamma Street, Wynchi Pet, Vijayawada-1, in the interest of justice, Pending disposal of WP No.5354 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 order of the High Court dated:24.02.2026 and upon hearing the arguments of M/s Corpus Juris Law Panel LLP, Advocate for the Petitioner, and of GP for MA & UD for Respondent No.1, and of Sri Abdul Matheen, Junior Standing Counsel for APEPDCL for Respondent Nos. 8 and 9, and of Sri S.V.S.S Siva Ram, Standing Counsel for Respondent Nos. 4 & 5, Advocate for the Respondent(s) and the Court made the following.

ORDER:

Heard Sri Dr. M.V. Raja Raam, Ld. Counsel appearing on behalf of M/s. Corpus Juris Law Panel, for the Writ Petitioner (appearing through online), Sri S.V.S.S. Siva Ram, Ld. Standing Counsel for the Vijayawada Municipal Corporation (Respondent No.4).

2. In compliance with the Order of this Court dated 16.03.2026, Sri H.M. Dhyanchandra, Commissioner of Vijayawada Municipal Corporation is present. This Court has interacted with the Commissioner.

3. Ld. Counsel for the Respondent No.4 has submitted an Affidavit along with the various documents and the Photographs indicating that the Order of this Court dated 24.02.2026 had been complied with by the Respondent Corporation in all respects. He has taken this Court through the Photographs indicating the conduct of mock firedrill on daily basis. He would also submit that in compliance with the order of this Court dated 24.02.2026, the stalls have been removed in excess of 35 in number, but the street vendors on wheel carts have occupied the place which led the Ld. Advocate Commissioner to count such of those. The Report of Ld. Advocate Commissioner also indicates that there are four wheeler stalls present.

4. In this view of the matter, the appearance of Sri H.M. Dhyanchandra, Commissioner of Vijayawada Municipal Corporation is dispensed with.

5. Ld. Counsel for the Writ Petitioner seeks time to respond on the Affidavit filed today. Let the response be filed before the next date of listing.

6. List on 31.03.2026.

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Sd/-U.SRIDEVI
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. Sri H.M. Dhyanchandra, Commissioner, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, Jawaharlal Nehru Building Complex, Vijayawada NTR District – 520001 (BY SPEED POST)
2. One CC to M/s Corpus Juris Law Panel LLP, Advocate [OPUC]
3. One CC to Sri S.V.S.S Siva Ram, Standing Counsel [OPUC]
4. One CC to Sri Abdul Matheen, Jr Standing Counsel [OPUC]
5. Two CCs to GP for Muncipal Admn & Urban Dev, High Court of Andhra Pradesh [OUT]
6. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

GRKP, J

DATED: 17.03.2026

LIST ON 31.03.2026

ORDER

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DISPENSED WITH

