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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

FRIDAY, THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF MARCH

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE CHEEKATI MANAVENDRANATH ROY

AND

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE TUHIN KUMAR GEDELA

IA No. 2 OF 2026

IN

WP NO: 6611 OF 2026

Between:

NRI Academy of Sciences, Having its Office at Chinakakani, Mangalagiri, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh - 522503 Rep. by its Administrator, Sri Mandava Vishnu Vardhan Rao.

...Petitioner

(Petitioner in WP 6611 OF 2026

on the file of High Court)

AND

1. The Lok Adalat Bench, Narasaraopet, Represented by its Chairman and Presiding Officer.
2. Dr. Appa Rao Mukkamala, S/o. Bhaskara Rao, aged about 75 years, R/o. 4-8A, Near Post Office, Undavalli Village, Tadepalli Mandal, Guntur District-522501. Represented by his GPA Holder Kothapalli Rajasekhar S/o. Late Sri Rama Krishnayya, aged about 58 years, R/o. Flat No. 501, Classic Courts Apartments, Erramanjali, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-500082
3. Indo-American Health and Education Foundation, Michigan, USA, Represented by its Director Appa Rao Mukkamala, S/o. Bhaskara Rao, aged about 75 years R/o. 4-8A, Near Post Office, Undavalli Village,

Tadepalli Mandal, Guntur District-522501. Represented by its  
Authorized Person Kothapalli Rajasekhar S/o. Late Sri Rama  
Krishnayya, aged about 58 years, R/o. Flat No. 501, Classic Courts  
Apartments, Erramanjali, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-50082

...Respondents

(Respondents in-do-)

**Counsel for the Petitioner :M/s. CKR ASSOCIATES**

**Counsel for the Respondent No.1:Sri S. LAKSHMI NARAYANA REDDY,  
Standing Counsel**

Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the grounds filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the operation of Award dated 11.05.2018 passed by the 1<sup>st</sup> Respondent in Lok Adalat Case No. 147 of 2018 in O.S. No. 01/2018 on the file of XIII Additional District Judge, Guntur at Narasaraopet (Vacation Court), Pending disposal of WP No. 6611 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The court while directing issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this application should not be complied with, made the following order.(The receipt of this order will be deemed to be the receipt of notice in the case).

**ORDER:**

The petitioner is the defendant in O.S.No.1 of 2018 on the file of XIII Additional District Judge, Narasaraopet. The suit was filed against it for recovery of a sum of Rs.5,22,74,020.80/-. According to the petitioner, the suit was filed in the vacation Court on 04.05.2018 and immediately, it was referred to Lok Adalat on 11.05.2018 itself within a period of seven days and no summons were served on the defendant and the award was passed as if the defendant also appeared before the Lok Adalat and the award was obtained by playing fraud.

Therefore, in the said facts and circumstances of the case, there shall be interim suspension of the award dated 11.05.2018 passed in Lok

Adalat Case No.147 of 2018 in O.S.No.1 of 2018 on the file of XIII Additional District Judge at Guntur, Narasaraopet, till the next date of hearing.

SD/- M.SRINIVAS  
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR  
SECTION OFFICER

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For

To,

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4. One CC to M/s. CKR ASSOCIATES Advocate [OPUC]
5. One CC to Sri S. LAKSHMI NARAYANA REDDY, STANDING COUNSEL [OPUC]
6. Two spare copies

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**HIGH COURT**

**CMR,J &  
GTK,J**

**DATED:13/03/2026**

**LIST THE MATTER ON 10.04.2026**

**ORDER**

**IA No. 2 OF 2026**

**IN**

**WP.No.6611 of 2026**

**INTERIM SUSPENSION**

