



(SHOW CAUSE NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION)
IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)

MONDAY, THE TWENTY THIRD DAY OF MARCH,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE BATTU DEVANAND
WRIT PETITION NO: 7582 OF 2026

Between:

B.Vajpayee Reddy, S/o. B.Subbarami Reddy, Aged about 30 years, Occ:
Software Professional, R/o G5, Udyoga Nilayam, N.G.O. Colony, Near
Apsara Circle, Kadapa, Andhra Pradesh – 516002.

...Petitioner

AND

1. The Union of India, Ministry of Finance, Rep. by its Secretary, 166-B North Block, New Delhi - 110001.
2. ICICI Bank, Rep by its Manager, D.No.5/495-496, Ward No 5, Trunk Road, YSR Kadapa, Andhra Pradesh - 516001.
3. The Additional S.P. Crime Branch, Rani Sarai, Regal Square Indore, Madhya Pradesh.
4. ICICI Bank, Rep by its CEO, ICICI Bank towers, Bandra-Kurla complex, Mumbai, Maharastra - 400051.
5. The Reserve Bank of India, Represented by Regional Director for Andhra Pradesh, 6-1-56, Secretariat Road, Saifabad, P.B.No.1 Hyderabad - 500004.

...Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioner above named through his Advocate Sri B.Parthasaradhi Reddy presented this 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 more particularly one in the nature of "Writ of Mandamus"

declaring the action of the 3rd Respondent in addressing e-mail dated 25.10.2023 to ICICI Bank, Kadapa Branch with IFSC Code ICIC0000674 relating to the account number 056701512986 and thereby instructing to Debit Freeze the account of the petitioner and consequential action of respondents 2 in Debit Freezing the accounts of the petitioner basing on such communication is being assailed as being illegal, arbitrary, unconstitutional and in violation of provisions of CRPC/BNSS and Set aside the said proceedings and further direct the respondents not to interfere with the operation of the said bank account by the petitioner;

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and affidavit filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri B.Parthasaradhi Reddy, Advocate for the Petitioner and of Sri Ponna Rao, Advocate for Respondent No.1, directed issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

1. The Manager, ICICI Bank, D.No.5/495-496, Ward No 5, Trunk Road, YSR Kadapa, Andhra Pradesh - 516001.
2. The Additional S.P. Crime Branch, Rani Sarai, Regal Square Indore, Madhya Pradesh.
3. The CEO, ICICI Bank, ICICI Bank towers, Bandra-Kurla complex, Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400051.
4. The Regional Director for Andhra Pradesh, Reserve Bank of India, 6-1-56, Secretariat Road, Saifabad, P.B.No.1 Hyderabad - 500004.

be and hereby are directed to show cause, either appearing in person or through Advocate, as to why in the circumstances set out in the petition and the affidavit filed therewith (copy enclosed) this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted on or before 20.04.2026, on which date the case stands posted for hearing.

THE COURT MADE THE FOLLOWING ORDER:

"Notice before admission.

Mr Ponna Rao, learned counsel takes notice for the 1st respondent.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is permitted to take out personal notice to Respondent Nos.2 to 5 by RPAD and file proof of service within a period of two(2) weeks.

Post the matter on 20.04.2026 in Daily List-II."

**Sd/-U.SRIDEVI
DEPUTY REGISTRAR**

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Manager, ICICI Bank, D.No.5/495-496, Ward No 5, Trunk Road, YSR Kadapa, Andhra Pradesh - 516001.
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(Addressee Nos. 1 to 4 by RPAD- along with a copy of petition and affidavit)
5. One CC to Sri Barri Parthasaradhi Reddy, Advocate [OPUC]
6. One CC to Sri Ponna Rao, Advocate [OPUC]
7. One spare copy.

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HIGH COURT

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DATE:23/03/2026

NOTE: POST THE MATTER ON 20.04.2026 IN DAILY LIST-II.

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