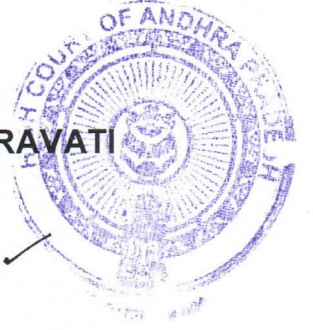


**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)**

FRIDAY, THE TWENTY FIRST DAY OF MARCH,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE



:PRESENT:

HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE VENKATESWARLU NIMMAGADDA

WRIT PETITION NO: 7401 OF 2025

Between:

Pantham Sudhakar Reddy, S/o Rama Subba Reddy, age 41 years, Occ:
Business, D.No 4-138 maddipalli VTC Cheriopalli Anthapuram District

...Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary
Prohibition and Excise Department Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur
District.
2. The Commissioner of Prohibition and Excise department, I H C
Corporate building Mangalagiri, Guntur district
3. The Deputy commissioner, Prohibition and Excise Department,
Anthapuram
4. District Prohibition and Excise Officer, Anthapuram District.
5. Station house officer, Tadipatri Proh and excise Station Anthapur
District.

...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 a Writ, Order or Direction more particularly, one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the 4th respondent passed In RC No.50/2025 dated 13-03-2025 as illegal,

arbitrary and violative of Article 19 (1)(g) of Constitution of India and ultra virus of their powers and consequently set aside the same;

IA NO: 1 OF 2025:

Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the proceeding of 4th respondent issued in RC No.50/2025/B Dated 13-03-2025, pending disposal of WP.No.7401 of 2025, 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 V.Srinivasula Reddy, Advocate for the Petitioner and GP for Prohibition Excise for the Respondents, the Court made the following;

ORDER:

“Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Pleader for the respondents.

In view of the principle laid down by this court in Writ Appeal No.280 of 2018, there shall be an interim stay of all further proceedings in RC.No.50/2025/B dated 13.03.2025. However, the respondents are at liberty to proceed further with the enquiry and to pass final orders.

For filing counter-affidavit, list the matter after four(4) weeks.”

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For A

**SD/- K. KASIRAO ACHARI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

SECTION OFFICER

To,

- 1. The Principal Secretary, State of Andhra Pradesh, Prohibition and Excise Department Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District. (by Special Messenger)**

2. The Commissioner of Prohibition and Excise department, I H C Corporate building Mangalagiri, Guntur district
3. The Deputy commissioner, Prohibition and Excise Department, Anthapuram
4. The District Prohibition and Excise Officer, Anthapuram District.
5. The Station house officer, Tadipatri Proh and excise Station Anthapur District. (Addressee Nos.2 to 5 by **RPAD**)
6. One CC to Sri. V.Srinivasula Reddy, Advocate [OPUC]
7. Two CCs to GP for Prohibition Excise, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
8. One spare copy

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HIGH COURT

NV,J

DATED:21/03/2025

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ORDER

WP.No.7401 of 2025

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