



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

[3328]

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

PRESENT

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE GANNAMANENI RAMAKRISHNA
PRASAD**

WRIT PETITION NO: 8160/2025

Between:

- 1.BAPATLA EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY, REP BY ITS PRESIDENT,
MUPPALANENI SRINIVASA RAO, S/O. LATE SESHAGIRI RAO,
MAHATMAJIPURAM, BAPATLA, BAPATLA DISTRICT.
- 2.BAPATLA ENGINEERING COLLEGE,, REP.BY ITS PRINCIPAL,
N.RAMA DEVI G.B.C. ROAD, MAHATMAJIPURAM, BAPATLA,
BAPATLA DISTRICT.

...PETITIONER(S)

AND

- 1.THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, REP. BY ITS PRI. SECRETARY,
PANCHAYAT RAJ DEPARTMENT, SECRETARIAT, VELAGAPUDI,
GUNTUR DISTRICT.
- 2.THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR, BAPATLA, BAPATLA DISTRICT
- 3.THE DISTRICT PANCHAYAT OFFICER, BAPATLA, BAPATLA
DISTRICT
- 4.THE DIVISIONAL PANCHAYAT OFFICER, BAPATLA, BAPATLA
DISTRICT
- 5.THE WEST BAPATLA GRAM PANCHAYAT, REP BY ITS
SECRETARY, BAPATLA, BAPATLA DISTRICT.

...RESPONDENT(S):

Counsel for the Petitioner(S):

1.DEVI PRASAD MANGALAPURI

Counsel for the Respondent(S):

1.GP FOR PANCHAYAT RAJ RURAL DEV

The Court made the following:

ORAL ORDER:

Heard Sri N. Subba Rao, learned Senior Counsel appearing on behalf of Sri Devi Prasad Mangalapuri, learned Counsel for the Writ Petitioners, Sri Panku Rajesh Kumar, learned Assistant Government Pleader for Panchayat Raj for Respondent Nos.3 & 4 and Sri Vidya Sagar, learned Counsel appearing on behalf of Sri Sudhir Mattegunta, learned Standing Counsel for Gram Panchayat for Respondent No.5.

2. Sri Panku Rajesh Kumar, learned Assistant Government Pleader for Respondent Nos. 3 and 4, and Sri Vidya Sagar, learned Counsel appearing for Respondent No. 5, are directed to obtain Written Instructions whether the statutory mandate prescribed under Section 61 of the Panchayat Raj Act and the procedure set out in G.O.Ms.No.30, dated 20.01.1995, have been followed by the Official Respondents or not.

3. There shall be a direction not to initiate any coercive steps until the next listing.

4. List the matter on 08.04.2025 in the 'Motion list'.

GANNAMANENI RAMAKRISHNA PRASAD, J

Date: 28.03.2025

Note: Issue C.C. today

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