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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

TUESDAY, THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF JUNE

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

HONOURABLE MRS. LISA GILL, THE CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE NINALA JAYASURYA

WRIT APPEAL NOS: 356 & 457 OF 2026



WRIT APPEAL NO: 356 OF 2026

(Writ Appeal under clause 15 of the Letter Patent is filed being aggrieved by the Order dated 05.11.2025 made in W.P.No.29275 of 2025)

Between:

1. Sri. Resapu Srinivasa Reddy, S/o. Late Resapu Srirama Reddy, aged 70 years, Occ. Retd, employee R/o. Door No. 9-1-45/4, New Resapuvanipalem, Vishakapatnam- 530013
2. Sri R. Sadasiva Reddy, S/o. Late Resapu Srirama Reddy, aged 58 years Occ. Business, R/o. Door No. 9-1-45/3, New Resapuvanipalem, Vishakapatnam - 530013.

Appellants

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Secretary, Department of Home Secretariat, Velgapudi, Amaravathi Guntur District
2. The Commissioner of Police, Vishakapatnam City, 18, Raja Rammohan Roy Road, Jagadamba Junction, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh - 530001
3. Indian Oil Corporation, through its Senior Divisional Manger, Dwaraka Nagar, Visakhapatnam.

(Respondent No.3 was incorporated as party respondent as per c.o.dt.20.4.2026 in W.A.No.356 of 2026)

Respondents

IA No. 4 OF 2026

Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the order dated 09-03-2026 in W.P.No.2652 of 2026, Pending disposal of WA 356 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The Appeal coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Sri B V KRISHNA RAO, Advocate for the Appellants, learned GP FOR HOME for the Respondent Nos.1&2;

WRIT APPEAL NO: 457 OF 2026

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Appellants/3rd Parties

AND

1. M/s. Indian Oil Corporation Limited, a Government Undertaking rep. by its Chief Divisional Retail Sales Manager, ALIC Building, 8th Floor, eevitha Bheema Road, Vishakapatnam-530004 Andhra Pradesh.

1st Respondent/Writ Petitioner

2. Union of India, Represented Rep by its Secretary, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, New Delhi.

2nd Respondent/1st Respondent

3. Petroleum & Explosives Safety Organisation, (PESO), Represented by
Joint Chief Controller of Explosives, Room No. 602, 5th Floor, C.G.O.
Towers, Kavadiguda, Secunderabad-500080

3rd Respondent/2nd Respondent

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The Appeal coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Sri B V KRISHNA RAO, Advocate for the Appellants, Sri ASHOK RAM V, Standing Counsel for the Respondent No.1 and of Ms. Amrutha Boppudi, Standing Counsel for the Respondent Nos.2&3 and the Court made the following;

ORDER:

At this stage, it is brought to our notice that fresh show cause notice dated 05.05.2026 has been issued to respondent No.1 in W.A.No.457 of 2026/writ petitioner in W.P.No.2652 of 2026 by the Controller of Explosives, Visakhapatnam.

List for hearing on 04.08.2026.

In the meanwhile, proceedings before the Controller of Explosives may continue with hearing being afforded to the present appellants as well.

It is informed by learned counsel for respondent No.3 in W.A.No.457 of 2026 that proceedings shall be concluded within a period of six (6) weeks.

The result of show cause notice be placed on record on or before the next date of hearing with copy thereof to learned counsel for appellants.

Photo copy of this order be placed on the file of aforementioned connected case.

SD/- N.SRINIVASA RAO
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

- 1) The Secretary, Department of Home Secretariat, Velgipudi, Amaravathi Guntur District, State of Andhra Pradesh (BY SPECIAL MESSENGER) ✓
- 2) The Commissioner of Police, Vishakapatnam City, 18, Raja Rammohan Roy Road, Jagadamba Junction, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh - 530001
- 3) The Senior Divisional Manager, Indian Oil Corporation, Dwaraka Nagar, Visakhapatnam.
- 4) The Chief Divisional Retail Sales Manager, M/s. Indian Oil Corporation Limited, a Government Undertaking, ALIC Building, 8th Floor, Beevitha Bheema Road, Vishakapatnam-530004 Andhra Pradesh.
- 5) The Secretary, Union of India, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, New Delhi.
- 6) The Joint Chief Controller of Explosives, Petroleum & Explosives Safety Organisation, (PESO), Room No. 602, 5th Floor, C.G.O. Towers, Kavadi Guda, Secunderabad-500080 (Addressee Nos.2 to 6 by SPEED POST) ✓
- 7) One CC to SRI. B V KRISHNA RAO Advocate [OPUC]
- 8) Two CCs to GP FOR HOME, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
- 9) One CC to Sri ASHOK RAM, STANDING COUNSEL [OPUC]
- 10) One CC to Ms. Amrutha Boppudi, STANDING COUNSEL [OPUC]
- 11) Two spare copies

HIGH COURT

HC,J

&

NJS, J

DATED:16.06.2026

LIST FOR HEARING ON 04.08.2026

ORDER

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DIRECTION

