

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI



FRIDAY, THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE GANNAMANENI RAMAKRISHNA PRASAD

IA No. 2 OF 2026

IN

WP NO: 9632 OF 2026

Between:

Indus Towers Limited, Represented by it Authorised Signatory, Sandeep Nadimpalli, S/o N.V.S.S.N Raju, aged 42 years, Having its Registered Office at Sy.No.133, 4-51, 8th Floor, Hyderabad, Telangana-500001.

...Petitioners

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Represented by its Principal Secretary, Municipal Administration and Urban Development Department, Secretariat Building, Velagapudi, Amaravati, A.P. - 522239.
2. The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration, APCRDA Building, Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh - 522239.
3. The Nellore Municipal Corporation, Represented by its Commissioner, Nellore, A.P. 524001.
4. The Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Represented by its Commissioner, Visakhapatnam, A.P. - 530001.
5. The Proddatur Municipality, Represented by its Municipal Commissioner, Proddatur, Kadapa District, Andhra Pradesh - 516360.
6. The Pulivendula Municipality, Represented by its Municipal Commissioner, Pulivendula, Kadapa District.
7. The Yerraguntla Municipality, Represented by its Municipal Commissioner, Yerraguntla, Kadapa District, Andhra Pradesh - 516309.

8. The Tadipatri Municipality, Represented by its Municipal Commissioner, Tadipatri, Anantapur District, Andhra Pradesh - 515411.
9. The Madakasira Nagar Panchayat, Represented by its Municipal Commissioner, Madakasira, Ananthapur District, Andhra Pradesh - 515301.
10. The Mandapeta Municipality, Represented by its Municipal Commissioner, Mandapeta, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Konaseema District, Andhra Pradesh - 533308.

...Respondents

Petition under Section 151 of 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 DIRECT the Respondents no.4 and 8 to unseal the telecommunication towers situated at Satram(Area), Visakhapatnam and Nandalapadu (Area), Tadipatri, pending disposal of WP No. 9632 of 2026, 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 Sai Phanindra Kumar, learned Counsel appearing on behalf of M/s CKR Associates for the Petitioner, GP FOR MUNICIPAL ADMN URBAN DEV for Respondent Nos. 1 and 2 and of Sri A.S.C.Bose, Standing Counsel for Respondent Nos. 3 and 4 and of Sri Gudapati Lakshmi Narayana, Standing Counsel for Respondent Nos.5 to 8 and of Ms. Sireesha Rani Vallabhaneni, Standing Counsel for Respondent No.10, the Court made the following

ORDER:

“This Application is filed seeking release of all the Telecommunication Equipment seized by Respondent Nos.4 and 8, situated at Satram (Area), Visakhapatnam, and Nandalapadu (Area), Tadipatri.

2. In view of the above Interim Order, there shall be a direction to Respondent Nos.4 and 8 to release the Telecommunication Equipment, including the Cell Towers, from seizure.”

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SD/- K. KASIRAO ACHARI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Commissioner, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam, A.P. - 530001.
2. The Municipal Commissioner, Tadipatri Municipality, Tadipatri, Anantapur District, Andhra Pradesh - 515411.(Addressee Nos. 1 and 2 by **SPEED POST**)
3. One CC to M/s CKR Associates, Advocate [OPUC]
4. One CC to Sri A.S.C.Bose, Standing Counsel [OPUC]
5. One CC to Sri Gudapati Lakshmi Narayana, Standing Counsel [OPUC]
6. One CC to Ms. Sireesha Rani Vallabhaneni, Standing Counsel [OPUC]
7. Two CCs to GP FOR MUNICIPAL ADMN URBAN DEV, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
8. One spare copy.

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HIGH COURT

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DATE:10/04/2026

NOTE: LIST THE MATTER ON 28.04.2026

ORDER

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DIRECTION

