

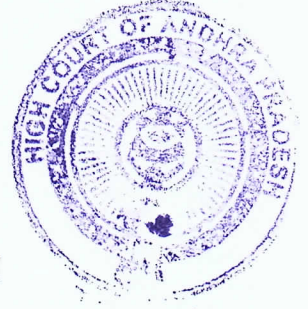
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)**

**FRIDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF MAY,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE**

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SMT JUSTICE SUMATHI JAGADAM

WRIT PETITION NO: 12679 OF 2025



Between:

Sri Bade Yadava Rao, S/o late Dillesu, aged about 52 Years, Occ:
F.P.Shop Dealer, F.P.Shop No.0134055, R/o Yekuvuru Village, Sompeta
Mandal, Srikakulam District.

...Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep., by its Principal Secretary, Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs (CS-I) Dept., Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Guntur District.
2. The District Collector, Srikakulam, Srikakulam District.
3. The Collector (CS), Srikaulam, Srikakulam District.
4. The Revenue Divisional Officer, Palasa, Srikakulam District.
5. The Tahsildar, Sompeta Mandal, Srikakulam 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 of mandamus or any other appropriate writ order to declaring the order passed by the Revenue Divisional Officer, Palasa, Srikakulam District, the 4th respondent herein vide Rc.No.113/2025/ DT(LR) dt.24.04.2025, Cancelling the authorization of the petitioner, without conducting enquiry, as illegal, arbitrary, without jurisdiction, in utter violation of principles of natural justice and contrary to the provisions of A.P State Targeted Public Distribution System (Control) Order, 2018 and set aside the same by restoring to supply essential commodities to the petitioner.

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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 direct the respondents to allow the petitioner to distribute the Essential Commodities to the respective card holders as F.P shop dealer, attached to in shop No.0134055 of Ekuvuru Village, in Sompeta Mandal, Srikakulam District, by suspending the operation of the order vide Rc.No.113/2025/DT(LR) dt. 24.04.2025, passed by the Revenue Divisional Officer, Palasa, Srikakulam Distrit, pending disposal of WP 12679 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 Mr. M.Gnaneswara Rao, Advocate for the Petitioner and of GP FOR CIVIL SUPPLIES for Respondent Nos. 1 to 5, the Court made the following

ORDER:

“Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the respondents, without conducting any enquiry, have issued the impugned proceedings on 24.04.2025, cancelling the authorization of the petitioner.

As seen from the show cause notice, the variation found is within the permissible limits and the petitioner has submitted his explanation to the charges leveled against him. The respondents, without discussing the explanation submitted by the petitioner, have issued the impugned proceedings, cancelling the authorization of the petitioner, which violates the principles of natural justice.

Therefore, there shall be an interim suspension of the impugned proceedings dated 24.04.2025 issued by the 4th respondent, for a period of eight (8) weeks.

Post the matter after Summer Vacation, 2025.

In the meantime, the respondents are directed to file their counter affidavits."

Sd/- K.TATA RAO
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs (CS-I) Dept., State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Guntur District.(by **SPECIAL MESSENGER**)
2. The District Collector, Srikakulam, Srikakulam District.
3. The Collector (CS), Srikaulam, Srikakulam District.
4. The Revenue Divisional Officer, Palasa, Srikakulam District.
5. The Tahsildar, Sompeta Mandal, Srikakulam District.(Addressee Nos. 2 to 5 by RPAD)
6. One CC to Sri Gnaneswara Rao Mittireddi, Advocate [OPUC]
7. Two CCs to GP FOR CIVIL SUPPLIES, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
8. One spare copy.

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HIGH COURT

JS,J

DATED:09/05/2025

NOTE: POST THE MATTER AFTER SUMMER VACATION, 2025.

ORDER

WP.No.12679 of 2025

INTERIM SUSPENSION

