

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

FRIDAY, THE TWENTY SECOND DAY OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE BALAJI MEDAMALLI

WRIT PETITION NO: 13297 OF 2026



Between:

1. Sk. Suleman, S/o Sk. Sarvar Saheb, Aged about 52 years, Occ: Muthavali, R/o 8-6-1, Wynchipet, Runhusan Panja Vijayawada, Krishna District.
2. Sk. Zilani, S/o Sk. Sarvar Saheb, Aged about 48 years, Occ: Muthavali, R/o 8-6-1, Wynchipet, Runhusan Panja Vijayawada, Krishna District.
3. Sk. Akthar Basha, S/o Sk. Sarvar Saheb, Aged about 44 years, Occ: Muthavali, R/o 8-6-1, Wynchipet, Runhusan Panja, Vijayawada, Krishna District.

Petitioners

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Home Department, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
2. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Municipal Administration & Urban Development Department, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
3. The Commissioner of Police, Vijayawada City, Krishna District.
4. The Assistant Commissioner of Police, West Division, Vijayawada City, Krishna District.
5. Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, Rep. by its Municipal Commissioner, Vijayawada, Krishna District.

Respondents

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therewith, the High Court may be pleased to issue any Writ, Order or Direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declare the action of the respondents, particularly the respondents No.4 and 5 in not considering the representations/applications dated 09.04.2026 respectively submitted by 1st petitioner seeking for permission to Celebrate Moharam Festival (140th Peerla Panduga) at Panja Centre, Wynchipet, Vijayawada scheduled to be held from 22.06.2026 to 27.06.2026 as illegal, arbitrary, unjust, improper and unconstitutional and consequently direct the respondents to accord permission to Celebrate Moharam Festival at Panja Centre, Wynchipet, Vijayawada scheduled from 22.06.2026 to 27.06.2026.

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Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the grounds filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to direct the respondents to consider the representations/applications dated 09.04.2026 and accord permission to Celebrate Moharam Festival at Panja Centre Wynchipet, Vijayawada forthwith, Pending disposal of WP 13297 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 NAGESWARA RAO BAIPUDI, Advocate for the Petitioners, learned GP FOR HOME for the Respondent Nos.1&3, learned GP FOR MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT for the Respondent No.2, Sri S.V.S.S.SIVA RAM, Standing Counsel for the Respondent Nos.3 to 5, the Court made the following

ORDER:

"It is submitted that W.P.No. 14673 of 2026, filed by the very same Petitioner, was disposed of by this Court on 21.05.2026. In the said order, this Court directed the parties to appear before the Chief

Executive Officer of the Waqf Board on 02.06.2026 for the purpose of resolving the dispute.

Accordingly, the Petitioners herein are directed to participate in the said enquiry.

List the matter on 04.06.2026."

Sd/- U.SRIDEVI
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Chief Executive Officer, AP Waqf Board, Vijayawada, NTR District (BY SPEED POST)
2. One CC to SRI. NAGESWARA RAO BAIPUDI Advocate [OPUC]
3. Two CCs to GP FOR HOME, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
4. Two CCs to GP FOR MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
5. One CC to Sri S.V.S.S.SIVA RAM, STANDING COUNSEL [OPUC]
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HIGH COURT

BM,J

DATED:22/05/2026

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APPEARANCE

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