



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
AT AMARAVATI**



**MONDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF AUGUST
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE**

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE VENKATESWARLU NIMMAGADDA

CONTEMPT CASE NO: 1348 OF 2025

Contempt Case under Sections 10 to 12 of Contempt of Courts Act 1971 praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit file herein the High Court may be pleased to reasons stated in the accompanying affidavit. Hence this Honourable court may be pleased to issue summons to the Respondents upon due enquiry may be pleased to punish the Respondents for contempt of court under section 10 to 12 of Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, for their willful disobedience of order dated 30-01-2025 passed in Writ Petition No 2238 of 2025.

BETWEEN:-

Yaqub Saheb Masjid Developement Committee, (Reg. No. 50 of 2021) Rep., by its President Named Panvale Mohammad Akram, S/o. Late Panwale Yousuf, Residing at Door No. 8/145-2, Mastan Valli Street, Kadapa City and District, A.P.

...Petitioner

AND

1. Kati Harshavardhan IAS, Principal Secretary, Minorities Welfare Department, Secretariat Velagapudi Amaravathi Guntur District
2. Shaik Mohammad Ali, Chief Executive Officer, 4th and 5th Floor, Imdad Ghar Waqf Complex, Kaleswara Rao Market, Vijayawada-520001, Krishna District.

3. Sri Shaik Abdul Aziz, The Chairman, A.P State Waqf Board 4th and 5th Floor, Imdad Ghar Waqf Complex, Kaleswara Rao Market, Vijayawada-520001, Krishna District.
4. Shaik Vaseem Ahamad, The Inspector Auditor of Kadapa Dt (I/C), Waqf Board Office, New Collector Office, YSR Kadapa District.

...Respondents

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI. KARIMIREDDY HEMA CHANDRA REDDY

Counsel for the Respondents: SRI SHAIK KHAJA BASHA

The Court made the following ORDER:



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(Special Original Jurisdiction)**

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CONTEMPT CASE NO: 1348/2025

Between:

1. YAQUB SAHEB MASJID DEVELOPEMENT COMMITTEE, (REG. NO. 50 OF 2021) REP. BY ITS PRESIDENT NAMED PANVALE MOHAMMAD AKRAM, S/O LATE PANWALE YOUSUF, RESIDING AT DOOR NO. 8/145-2, MASTAN VALLI STREET, KADAPA CITY AND DISTRICT, A.P.

...PETITIONER

AND

1. KATI HARSHAVARDHAN IAS, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY, MINORITIES WELFARE DEPARTMENT, SECRETARIAT VELAGAPUDI AMARAVATHI GUNTUR DISTRICT

2. SHAIK MOHAMMAD ALI, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, 4TH AND 5TH FLOOR, IMDAD GHAR WAQF COMPLEX, KALESWARA RAO MARKET, VIJAYAWADA-520001, KRISHNA DISTRICT

3. SRI SHAIK ABDUL AZIZ, THE CHAIRMAN, A.P STATE WAQF BOARD 4TH AND 5TH FLOOR, IMDAD GHAR WAQF COMPLEX, KALESWARA RAO MARKET, VIJAYAWADA-520001, KRISHNA DISTRICT

4. SHAIK VASEEM AHAMAD, THE INSPECTOR AUDITOR OF KADAPA DT (I/C), WAQF BOARD OFFICE, NEW COLLECTOR OFFICE, YSR KADAPA DISTRICT.

...CONTEMNOR(S):

Petition under Sections 10 to 12 of Contempt of Courts Act 1971
praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit file herein the

High Court may be pleased to be pleased For the reasons stated in the accompanying affidavit. Hence this Honourable court may be pleased to issue summons to the Respondents upon due enquiry may be pleased to punish the Respondents for contempt of court under section 10 to 12 of Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, for their wilful disobedience of order dated 30-01-2025 passed in Writ Petition No 2238 of 2025 by Honourable Justice Sri. Venkateswarlu Nimmagadda and pass

Counsel for the Petitioner:

1.KARIMIREDDY HEMA CHANDRA REDDY

Counsel for the Contemnor(S):

1.SHAIK KHAJA BASHA

The Court made the following:

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE VENKATESWARLU NIMMAGADDA**CONTEMPT CASE NO.1348 of 2025****ORDER:-**

1. This Contempt Case has been filed complaining willful disobedience in implementing the Order dated 30.01.2025 passed by this Court in W.P.No.2238 of 2025.

2. Heard Sri K. Hemachandra Reddy, learned counsel for the petitioner, and Sri Shaik Khaza Basha, learned counsel for the Respondent Nos.1 & 2 and perused the material available on record.

3. The petitioner filed W.P.No.2238 of 202 to declare the inaction of respondents No.s 2 to 4 in considering the petitioner's application dated 22.12.2024 under Section 65(2) of the Waqf Act, 1995, submitted by the petitioner and consequently, direct Respondent Nos.2 to 4 to dispose of the application made by the petitioner as per the provisions of Waqf Act, 1995 and A.P. Waqf Managing Committee (Constitution, Function and Duties), Regulations.

4. On 30.01.2025, this Court disposed of W.P.No.2238 of 2025 with the following direction:

"Having regard to the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Standing Counsel for the respondents and on perusal of the material placed on record, this Court is of the considered view that the present Writ

Petition can be disposed of directing the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the 2nd respondent Board to place the application/representation of the petitioner dated 22.12.2024 before the 2nd respondent Board for appropriate action and to issue speaking order by considering the application of the petitioner.

6. With the above direction, the Writ Petition is disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs."

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that, without implementing the orders of this Hon'ble Court in W.P.No.2238 of 2025 dated 30.01.2025 in true spirit, the respondents deliberately flouted the orders of this Court. He further submits that despite the second respondent issuing proceedings dated 10.04.2025, the order fails to address the contentions raised by the petitioner and does not take into account regarding the representation submitted. Without taking into consideration the contention of the petitioner, the second respondent passed the order without assigning any reasoning or explanation. He submits that this Court had specifically directed the second respondent to issue a speaking order, but that direction has not been followed. He further contends that, failure on the part of the respondents in implementing the orders of this Court would amount to disobedience of the orders of this Hon'ble Court, and, therefore, they are liable for punishment under Sections 10 to 12 of the Contempt of Courts Act. Complaining the same, the petitioner filed the present Contempt Case.

6. Sri Shaik Khaja Basha, learned counsel for the respondents, has placed on record the proceedings/speaking order issued by the Chief Executive Officer of the A.P. Waqf Board in F.No. 03/CUD/K/2008/Z-IV, dated 10.04.2025. In the said order, it is mentioned that, in accordance with Resolution No. 80/2025, dated 02.04.2025, passed by the Board, the proceedings dated 10.04.2025 were issued. He further submits that the petitioner's representation was thoroughly considered before passing the speaking order and only thereafter, the petitioner's claim was rejected, and an alternate panel was appointed, which is deemed eligible as the Managing Committee for the subject mosque. Accordingly, the respondents have fully complied with the orders of this Hon'ble Court, and therefore, he prays that the contempt petition be dismissed and closed.

7. Having heard the submissions of the respective counsel and upon perusal of the material available on record, it appears that, in compliance of the order of this Court in W.P.No.2238 of 2025 dated 30.01.2025, and pursuant to the Board Resolution No. 80/2025, dated 02.04.2025, the second respondent had issued proceedings F.No. 03/CUD/K/2008/Z-IV, dated 10.04.2025 constituting Managing Committee under the Presidentship of Sri Vakaipalli Shaik Sabi and six others to the Yaqub Saheb Masjid along, with attached shopping complex and burial ground at Kadapa City for a period of two years from the date of issue of

proceedings under Section 18 of the Waqf Act, 1995 to manage the day-to-day affairs of the Waqf Institution smoothly, thereby, dismissing the claim of the petitioner.

8. A "speaking order" is a type of decision made by the Court where the reasons for the judgment are clearly explained. It is a final decision or instruction, coupled with detailed explanation connecting the decision to the facts, evidence, and applicable laws to ensure that the decision is arrived in a fair and transparent manner, so also to review the decision by the higher authorities, if necessary.

9. In the present case, the order passed by the second respondent dated 10.04.2025 is a reasoned order. The second respondent did not act unilaterally and passed the order in accordance with the Board Resolution dated 02.04.2025. The reason mentioned in the order for not considering the request of the petitioner is that, certain financial allegations, misappropriation and mismanagement were leveled against Panel - I & II, which have driven the Board to come to a conclusion to consider alternate Panel i.e. Panel-III under the Presidentship of Sri Vakaipalli Shaik Sabir and 6 others, to maintain peaceful atmosphere in the vicinity of the Waqf Institution as well as to avoid Law and Order Problems.

10. On consideration of the entire material available on record, in view of the facts and circumstances of the case and in the light of the fact that the order of this Court is complied with, as stated by the learned counsel for the respondents, this Court is of the considered view that the orders passed by this Court are complied with.

11. In the result, contempt case is closed. No costs.

12. Consequently, miscellaneous petitions pending, if any, in this contempt case shall stand closed.

Sd/- K TATA RAO
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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P. H. S. R. S.
SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. Kati Harshavardhan IAS, Principal Secretary, Minorities Welfare Department, Secretariat Velagapudi Amaravathi, Guntur District.
2. Shaik Mohammad Ali, Chief Executive Officer, 4th and 5th Floor, Imdad Ghar Waqf Complex, Kaleswara Rao Market, Vijayawada-520001, Krishna District.
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5. One CC to Sri. Karimireddy Hema Chandra Reddy, Advocate [OPUC]
6. One CC to Sri. Shaik Khaja Basha, Advocate [OPUC]
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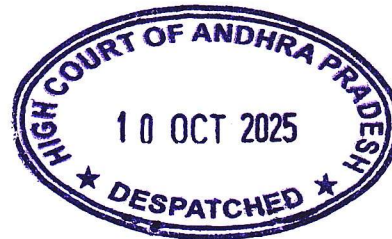
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HIGH COURT

DATED:04/08/2025

ORDER

CC NO. 1348 OF 2025



**CLOSING THE CONTEMPT CASE
WITHOUT COSTS**