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

WEDNESDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF JUNE
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE VENKATESWARLU NIMMAGADDA
WRIT PETITION NO: 15711 OF 2026

Between:

Smt. P. Sabitha, W/o P.V. Ramana, Aged about 54 years, Occ Authorized Representative R R Fresh Foods, R/o Dr. No. 54-29-15, B-202, Potiuri Residency, CTO Colony, Road No.2, Gurunanak Colony, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh-520 007

.... Petitioner/s

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Energy Department, Secretariat Buildings, Amaravati 522020
2. The Andhra Pradesh Central Power Distribution Corporation Limited (APCPDCL), Rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director, Vidyut Soudha, Gunadala, Vijayawada.520004
3. The Superintending Engineer, Operation Division, APCPDCL, Kanuru Section, Vijayawada. 520007
4. The Executive Engineer, Operation Division, APCPDCL, Kanuru Section, Vijayawada. 520007
5. The Deputy Executive Engineer, Operation Division, APCPDCL, Kanuru Section, Vijayawada. 520007
6. The Assistant Accounts Officer, ERO, APCPDCL, Kanuru Section, Vijayawada. 520007

.... Respondent/s

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 any appropriate Writ, order, direction, more particularly one in the nature of Mandamus declaring action of the Respondents in issuing Notice for Development Charges dated 07.04.2026 vide Lr. No. Dy. EE/OSD/KNR/F.No. ADDL LOAD/D.No. 732/26 and Lr. No. Dy. EE/OSD/KNR/F.No. ADDL LOAD/D.No. 733/26 for service connections SC No. 6521214006917 and 6521214037114 respectively and thereby demanding the Petitioner to pay an amount of Rs. 3,30,200 and Rs. 5,800 through respective notices as being illegal, arbitrary, violative to principles of natural justice, and Article 14, 19, 21 and 300-A of Indian Constitution and consequently, set-aside the same.

IA NO: 1 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 direct the Respondents not to take any coercive steps pursuant to the Notice dated 07.04.2026 vide Lr. No. Dy. EE/OSD/KNR/F.No. ADDL LOAD/D.No. 732/26 and Lr. No. Dy. EE/OSD/KNR/F.No. ADDL LOAD/D.No. 733/26 for service connections SC No. 6521214006917 and 6521214037114, Pending disposal of WP 15711 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 SINGAMSETTY V.M. SANKAR Advocate for the Petitioner, GP FOR ENERGY for the Respondent No.1, Sri V.V.Satish, Standing Counsel for respondent Nos.2 to 6, the Court made the following.

ORDER

Respondents are directed not to take any coercive steps against the petitioner till the next date of hearing.

Post on 22.06.2026.

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SD/- S.SHYAMALA
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Energy Department, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Buildings, Amaravati 522020
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6. The Assistant Accounts Officer, ERO, APCPDCL, Kanuru Section, Vijayawada. 520007 (1 to 6 by RPAD)
7. One CC to SRI. SINGAMSETTY V.M. SANKAR Advocate [OPUC]
8. One CC to Sri V.V.Satish, Standing Counsel [OPUC]
9. Two CCs to GP FOR ENERGY ,High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
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HIGH COURT

NV, J

DATED:17/06/2026

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ORDER

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DIRECTION

