

HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

MAIN CASE No.: W.P.No.20794 of 2020

PROCEEDING SHEET

Sl. No	DATE	ORDER	
	05.11.2024	<u>KM, J</u> On 09.11.2020, this Court has directed the 4th respondent-District Collector to conduct a thorough enquiry with regard to the allegations made in the writ petition against the respondent Nos.7 to 9 and submit report within four (04) weeks from the date of order. However, no report has been placed before this Court, so far. It appears from the record that the written instructions dated 07.05.2024 of the District Collector, Tirupati were is placed before this Court on the last date of hearing, which reads as follows: “(i) On filing of W.P.No.20794/2020, the Hon’ble High court of A.P., Amaravati has issued interim orders on 09.11.2020, directing the respondent No.4 (District collector, Chittoor) to conduct an enquiry thoroughly with regard to the allegations made in this writ petitions against respondent No.7 to 9 (The Tahsildar, Renigunta, The IDT, Chittoor and the Sub-Registrar, Gajulamandyam). (ii) By the date of issuance of the above interim orders, new Districts were formed in A.P and the matter related to Tirupati District at present. (iii) Keeping in view of the above directions of the Hon’ble Court, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Srikalahasthi has Dated 29.09.2023 & 18.01.2024 directed to submit the detailed report regarding to the allegations made in the writ petition against the respondent Nos.7 to 9 (The Tahsildar, Renigunta, The IDT, Chittoor and the Sub-Registrar, Gajulamandyam). But the report is still awaited from the Revenue Divisional Officer, Srikalahasthi. (iv) Meanwhile the District collector has issued notices on	

		13.02.2024 before the District collector, Tirupati. On enquiry it is ascertained that, the post of Inam Deputy Tahsidlar, Chittoor is vacant. (v) Meanwhile the Election Commission has announced scheduled on 16.03.2024 and issued notification on 18.04.2024 for General Election to House of Parliamentary & Legislative Assemble to A.P 2024b and model code of conduct and election code came into force. This respondent is engaged in receiving the nomination, Randomization of EVMS and distributions, enforcement of MCC, training to polling personnel and verifying of polling centers etc which is mandatory as well as statutory and time bound work. In the instant case the records of Inam Deputy Tahsildar (Vacant), Chittoor are necessarily be examined to take further action in the matter. (vi) It is further submitted that, soon after completion of election process, appropriate action shall be taken in the matter as per directions of the Hon'ble High Court. It has been four years since the order was passed directing the 4th respondent to conduct enquiry. Till now, no report has been placed before this Court nor it is reported if any such enquiry has been conducted pursuant to the directions of this Court dated 09.11.2020. Post after two (02) weeks. By the next of hearing, learned Government Pleader shall ensure that the copy of the report in compliance of the order dated 09.11.2020, is placed before this Court. Registry is directed to communicate this order to the 4th respondent-District Collector. KM, J ANS	
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