



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
AT AMARAVATI
(Special Original Jurisdiction)**

[3331]

THURSDAY, THE TENTH DAY OF JULY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE SUBBA REDDY SATTI

WRIT PETITION NO: 16754/2025

Between:

Sadhu Saritha

...PETITIONER

AND

The State Of Ap and Others

...RESPONDENT(S)

Counsel for the Petitioner:

1.PAPUDIPPU SASHIDAR REDDY

Counsel for the Respondent(S):

1.VENKATA RAMA RAO KOTA SC FOR APSPDCL

2.GP FOR ENERGY

The Court made the following:

I.A.No.2 of 2025

This interlocutory application is filed seeking amendment of the petitioner's name as Sadhu Haritha in the place of Sadhu Saritha as mentioned in the writ affidavit as well as interlocutory applications.

For the reasons mentioned in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the petition is ordered.

SUBBA REDDY SATTI, J

W.P.No.16754 of 2025

Registry is directed to carryout necessary amendments.

Rule Nisi. Call for records.

Notice returnable in four (04) weeks.

Heard Sri Papudippu Sashidhar Reddy, learned counsel for the petitioner and Smt. A.Jyothi Ratna, learned Junior Standing counsel appearing for the respondents.

The above writ petition has been filed to declare the action of respondents 4 and 5 is in attempting to disconnect electricity service connection bearing No.2412656000413 situated in Sy.No.747 of Dudhyala Village, Sambepalli Mandal, Annamayya District, without following due process, as illegal and arbitrary.

Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that petitioner dug a borewell in her land for drinking as well as agriculture purpose. The respondents 4 and 5 without following due process are trying to disconnect the power supply.

Learned Standing counsel appearing for the respondents would submit that a memo dated 25.06.2025, was issued to the petitioner based on the instructions of the Tahsildar, Sambepalli. A copy of the memo is placed on record.

A perusal of the memo would indicate that the 4th respondent received a letter from the Tahsildar and recommended to remove the service connection. Hence notice is issued and further the petitioner is directed to approach the Tahsildar, Sambepalli.

Whether the memo issued by the 4th respondent is inconsonance with the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003, requires consideration.

Learned Standing counsel appearing for the respondents seeks time to file counter-affidavit.

Given the facts and circumstances of the case, the 4th respondent shall not disconnect the power supply to the service connection bearing No.2412656000413 situated in Sy.No.747 of Dudhyala Village, Sambepalli Mandal, Annamayya District.

SUBBA REDDY SATTI, J
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