



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

[3331]

WEDNESDAY, THE 12th DAY OF AUGUST 2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE SUBBA REDDY SATTI

WRIT PETITION NO: 18027/2024

Between:

M/s Apr Construction Ltd And Pvr Projects Ltd

...PETITIONER

AND

The State Of Ap and Others

...RESPONDENT(S)

Counsel for the Petitioner:

1.VENKAT CHALLA

Counsel for the Respondent(S):

1.GP FOR IRRIGATION COMM AREA DEV

2.GP FOR FINANCE PLANNING

The Court made the following:

The above writ petition was filed to declare the action of the respondents in not releasing an amount of Rs.67,23,70,461/- payable to the petitioner, in relation to the works i.e., "Major Irrigation - Nellore District - Modernization of pennar Delta - System – Investigation, Designs, Drawings, Estimation and contrition of all the following works duly getting approval from the competent authority including repairs Reconstruction of all existing Structres/New Constructions on the following channels including maintenance of the same for a period of two years completion of the works etc., a) Providing lining in cement concrete to 26 Distributaries ad minors of Southern Channel System, B) Providing lining in Cement concrete to 26 Distributaries

and minors of Eastern canal and Allur Tank Supply Channel, C) Providing lining in cement concrete to 38 Distributaries and minors of Jaffer Saheb Canal System, D) providing lining in Cement Concrete to 34 Distributaries and minors of Survepalli canal System” sanctioned *vide* G.O.Ms.No.24 dated 10.02.2009, as illegal and arbitrary.

The writ petition was listed on 05.08.2026 and adjourned at the request of Assistant Government Pleader to produce the vigilance report.

Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Irrigation submitted the instructions of the Executive Engineer, (FAC), Nellore Central Division, Nellore – 3rd respondent.

As seen from the instructions, the V&E Department submitted a confidential report to the Government on 06.03.2026. Soon after receipt of V&E report, further necessary action will be taken to process the bill of the petitioner for payment. The written instructions do not indicate about furnishing a copy of the vigilance report to the Court.

At request of learned Assistant Government Pleader, for filing vigilance report or getting instructions, list the matter on 02.09.2026 finally.

SUBBA REDDY SATTI, J
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