



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

[3329]

WEDNESDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF AUGUST
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

PRESENT

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE GANNAMANENI RAMAKRISHNA
PRASAD**

WRIT PETITION NOS: 20679 & 20681 of 2025

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Between:

1. THUMMALA HEMANTH REDDY,, S/O. LATE THUMMALA
MAHESWARA REDDY AGED ABOUT 25 YEARS, R/O. DOOR NO.1-
155-A, R.THUMMALAPPALI VILLAGE, PULIVENDULA MANDAL,
Y.S.R KADAPA DISTRICT.

...PETITIONER

AND

1. THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, REP., BY ITS PRINCIPAL
SECRETARY, PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT,
SECRETARIAT BUILDINGS, VELAGAPUDI, AMARAVATHI, GUNTUR
DISTRICT.
2. THE STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, ROOM NO.192, GROUND
FLOOR, BUILDING NO.5 A.P. SECRETARIAT, VELAGAPUDI,
AMARAVATI REP., BY ITS COMMISSIONER.
3. THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR CUM ELECTION OFFICER, Y.S.R
KADAPA DISTRICT, KADAPA.
4. THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE, ANDHRA PRADESH,
MANGALAGIRI, GUNTUR DISTRICT.
5. THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE, Y.S.R KADAPA DISTRICT,
KADAPA.

6.THE SUBDIVISIONAL POLICE OFFICER, PULIVENDULA, Y.S.R KADAPA DISTRICT.

7.THE CIRCLE INSPECTOR OF POLICE, PULIVENDULA RURAL POLICE STATION, PULIVENDULA, Y.S.R KADAPA DISTRICT.

8.THE CIRCLE INSPECTOR OF POLICE, PULIVENDULA URBAN POLICE STATION, PULIVENDULA, Y.S.R KADAPA DISTRICT.

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Counsel for the Petitioner:

1.V R REDDY KOVVURI

Counsel for the Respondent(S):

1.GP FOR PANCHAYAT RAJ RURAL DEV

2.GP FOR HOME

The Court made the following:

COMMON ORAL ORDER:

Heard Sri V.R. Reddy Kovvuri, learned Counsel for the Writ Petitioners, Sri T. Sanjeeva Rao, learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue and Sri C. Viswanth, learned Counsel appearing on behalf of Sri V.Vivek Chandra Sekhar, learned Standing Counsel for Respondent No.2.

2. Sri C. Viswanth, learned Counsel appearing on behalf of Sri V.Vivek Chandra Sekhar, learned Standing Counsel for Respondent No.2 has submitted the copies of the Proceedings of the Secretary (FAC), Andhra Pradesh State Election Commission, dated 03.08.2025. Copies of it are supplied to the Counsel for the Writ Petitioners and the same are taken on record.

3. The said Proceedings were addressed to the District Collector and the same would indicate that in response to the complaint received from the Writ Petitioners herein dated 02.08.2025, the Election Commission had forwarded the same to the District Collector-cum-District Election Authority, the Superintendent of Police, YSR Kadapa District, and also to the Writ Petitioners for consideration.

4. Needless to state, the Respondent Authorities are statutorily obligated to maintain law and order and to ensure the smooth conduct of the election.
5. With these observations and directions, the Writ Petitions are disposed of. No order as to costs.
6. Interlocutory Applications, if any, stand closed in terms of this order.

GANNAMANENIRAMAKRISHNA PRASAD, J

Dt: 06.08.2025

Note: CC by today

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