

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

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

:PRESENT: ✓

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE GANNAMANENI RAMAKRISHNA PRASAD ✓

WRIT PETITION NO: 20789 OF 2025 ✓

Between:

Sadhu Haritha, W/o. Sadhu Shiva Reddy, Aged about 47 yrs, Occ. House
Wife, R/o. 8/11, Reddyvari Palli, Dudyala, Sambepalli Mandal, Y.S.R
District. ✓

...Petitioner ✓

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, rep., by its Principal Secretary,
Energy Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravathi. ✓
2. The Southern Power Distribution Company., Rep by its Managing
Director, having its head office at D.No. 19-13-65/A, Srinivasapuram,
Tiruchanoor Road, Tirupati, Chittoor Dt., A.P., PIN-517503 ✓
3. The Superintending Engineer, Rayachoty, Annamayya District. ✓
4. The Assistant Executive Engineer(APSPDCL), Sambepalli Circle,
Annamayya District. ✓
5. The Deputy Executive Engineer, APSPDCL Rayachoty Circle,
Annamayya District. ✓
6. The Tahsildar, Sambepalli, Annamayya District. ✓

...Respondents

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 an appropriate Writ order or direction more
particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the inaction of

the Respondents in disconnecting the electricity service connection bearing No.2412656000413 situated in Sy.No.747 of Dudhyala Village, Sambepalli Mandal, Annamayya District, without following due process of law as is arbitrary, illegal, highhanded, and a colorable exercise of power, contrary to well-established legal principles and violative of the fundamental and constitutional rights guaranteed to me under Articles 14, 19, 21, and 300 A of the Constitution of India and consequently direct the respondents to restore the electricity connection bearing No. 2412656000413 situated in Sy.No.747 of Dudhyala Village, Sambepalli Mandal, Annamayya District;

IA NO: 1 OF 2025:

Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, the High Court may be pleased to direct the respondents to restore the electricity connection bearing No.2412656000413 situated in Sy.No.747 of Dudhyala Village, Sambepalli Mandal, Annamayya District, pending disposal of WP.No.20789 of 2025, 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 Papudippu Sashidar Reddy, Advocate for the Petitioner and Sri T.Sanjeewa Rao, GP for Revenue for Respondent No.6 and Sri Venkata Rama Rao Kota, Standing Counsel for the Respondent Nos.2 to 5, the Court made the following;

ORDER:

“Heard Sri Papudippu Sashidhar, learned Counsel for the Writ Petitioner, T. Sanjeeva Rao, learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue and Sri Venkata Rama Rao Kota, learned Standing Counsel for APSPDCL.

2. Learned Counsel for the Respondents have made a submission that the electricity connection has been restored. ✓

3. If the electricity connection is not restored, the Respondents Authorities are directed to restore the electricity connection till the next listing. ✓

4. There shall be a direction to all the parties to maintain Status-quo obtaining as on today, till the next listing. ✓

5. Let Counter Affidavit be filed within three weeks. One week thereafter for filing Re-joinder, if any. ✓

6. List the matter on 09.09.2025." ✓

SD/- M.PRABHAKARA RAO
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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For

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, State of Andhra Pradesh, Energy Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravathi. (by **Special Messenger**)
2. The Managing Director, Southern Power Distribution Company, having its head office at D.No. 19-13-65/A, Srinivasapuram, Tiruchanoor Road, Tirupati, Chittoor Dt., A.P., PIN-517503
3. The Superintending Engineer, Rayachoty, Annamayya District.
4. The Assistant Executive Engineer (APSPDCL), Sambepalli Circle, Annamayya District.
5. The Deputy Executive Engineer, APSPDCL Rayachoty Circle, Annamayya District.
6. The Tahsildar, Sambepalli, Annamayya District. (Addressee Nos.2 to 6 by **RPAD**)
7. One CC to Sri. Papudippu Sashidar Reddy, Advocate [OPUC]

8. Two CCs to GP for Energy, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
9. Two CCs to GP for Revenue, High Court of AP [OUT]
10. One CC to Sri Venkata Rama Rao Kota, Standing Counsel
[OPUC]
11. One spare copy

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HIGH COURT

GRKP,J

DATED:06/08/2025

LIST THE MATTER ON 09.09.2025

ORDER

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