

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)**

MONDAY, THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF JUNE,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX



**:PRESENT:
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE TUHIN KUMAR GEDELA**

WRIT PETITION NO: 26423 OF 2021

Between:

Choppara Venkateswara Rao, S/o. Narasimha Rao, aged 38 years,
Occ: Advocate, R/o. 30-4-19/2, Karmikapuram, Vijayawada, Krishna
District.

Petitioner

AND

1. State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep by its Principal Secretary, Department of Home, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
2. The Station House Officer, Mangalagiri Rural Police Station, Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
3. The Sub-Inspector, Mangalagiri Rural Police Station, Guntur 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 writ or order of direction more so in the nature of Writ of Mandamus, declaring the action of the 3rd Respondent in issuing E-Challan No. AP21110267940001 dated 02-11-2021 in respect of the petitioner's vehicle bearing registration No. AP 39 JV 4929 as illegal, arbitrary, unconstitutional and contrary to the provisions of Central Motor Vehicle Rules, 1989 issued under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 and consequently set-aside the same;

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Petition under Section 151 CPC., is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to direct the Respondents not to take any coercive steps pursuant to the E-Challan No. AP21110267940001 dated 02-11-2021 in respect of the petitioner's vehicle bearing registration No. AP 39 JV 4929 pending disposal of the above writ petition;

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and the earlier order of the High Court dated: 12.11.2021 made herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri P BADRINATH, Advocate for the Petitioner and of GP FOR HOME for the Respondents;

The Court made the following ORDER:

Learned counsel for the petitioner made his arguments in consonance with Rule 167(a) of the Central Motor Vehicle Rules, 2021.

On 12.11.2021, this Court passed an interim order, directing the respondents not to take any coercive steps in pursuance of the e-challan, dated 02.11.2021.

On 19.11.2021, a direction was given to the respondents to file counter and on this date, there is no response from the respondents.

If the counter is not filed by the next date of hearing, the same shall be forfeited.

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**SD/- M.SRINIVAS
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER**

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To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Department of Home, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District. (by SPECIAL MESSENGER)

2. The Station House Officer, Mangalagiri Rural Police Station, Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
3. The Sub-Inspector, Mangalagiri Rural Police Station, Guntur District.
(Addressee Nos. 2 & 3 BY RPAD)
4. One CC to Sri. P BADRINATH, Advocate [OPUC]
5. Two CCs to GP FOR HOME, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
6. **One spare copy**

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HIGH COURT

GTK, J

DATED:15/06/2026

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ORDER

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DIRECTION

