

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

THURSDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, ✓
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE D. RAMESH

WRIT PETITION NO: 22467 OF 2025



Between:

Merugu Mukkanti, S/o. Merugu Varadanam, Aged about 57
Years, Occ working as Deputy Collector, E.D.S.C. Corporation,
Eluru, R/o. opp. Sleep Well Building Kandrikagudem, Eluru, Eluru
District.

... Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Represented by its Special Chief Secretary, Revenue (Lands, R and S, DM) Department, Secretariat Buildings Velagapudi, Guntur District.
2. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Revenue (Vigilance-I) Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Guntur District.

... Respondents

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therewith, the High Court may be pleased to issue an order, direction, writ, more particularly one in the nature of certiorari to call for the records and to declare the impugned G.O.Ms.No.97, Revenue (Vigilance-I) Department, dated 20.03.2025 issued by the 2nd respondent as illegal, arbitrary and violative of Articles 14 and 21 of Constitution of India and consequently set aside the same.

IA NO: 1 OF 2025

Petition under Section 151 CPC praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the G.O.Ms.No.97, Revenue (Vigilance-I) Department, dated 20.03.2025 issued by the 2nd respondent, forthwith, Pending disposal of WP 22467 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 the earlier orders of the High Court dated 22.08.2025, 01.09.2025, 10.09.2025, 16.09.2025, 23.09.2025 & 10.10.2025 made herein and upon hearing the arguments of Smt. KAVITHA GOTTIPATI, Advocate for the Petitioner and of GP FOR SERVICES I, for the Respondents No.1 and 2 and the Court made the following;

ORDER:

List the matter after four (04) weeks.✓

Interim order granted earlier is extended for a further period of eight (08) weeks.

**SD/- M.PRABHAKARA RAO
DEPUTY REGISTRAR**


SECTION OFFICER

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HIGH COURT

DR, J

DATED:19.02.2026.

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ORDER

WP.No.22467 of 2025

INTERIM ORDER EXTENDED

