

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

**MONDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF APRIL,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**



**:PRESENT:
THE HONOURABLE SMT JUSTICE SUMATHI JAGADAM**

WRIT PETITION NO: 21686 OF 2018

Between:

Ramadurgam Nagesh, S/o. R.C.Naganna, Aged about 38 years,
Temporarily residing in Merchetal Village, Raichur District, Karnataka
and Permanent residence is at Basapuram Village, Adoni Mandal,
Kurnool District.

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep.by its Principal Secretary, Revenue Department, Secretariat, Amaravathi, Andhra Pradesh.
2. The District Collector, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.
3. The Joint Collector and Addl, District Magistrate, Adoni, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.
4. The Revenue Divisional Officer, Adoni, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.
5. The Tahsildar, Adoni Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.
6. Smt.Kondapuram Koulamma, W/o. Late. Thikkanna, R/o. 104, Basapuram Village, Adoni Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.

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 a writ of Certiorari declaring the orders vide Rc.D5.NO.1362/2017, dt.26-5-2018 passed by the respondent No.3 as contrary to the records, illegal, arbitrary and violative of Article 21 of the Constitution of India and consequently direct the respondents to implement the orders vide R.C.E.No.1471/2016, dt.27-6-2017 issued by the respondent No.4 for deletion of the name of the respondent No.6 in the revenue records;

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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 suspend the orders vide Rc.D5.NO.1362/2017, dt.26-5-2018 passed by the respondent No.3, pending disposal of the main Writ Petition;

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Sri. KIRAN KUMAR VADLAMUDI, Advocate for the Petitioner and of GP FOR REVENUE (AP), for the Respondent Nos. 1 to 5 and of Sri. G. RAMA CHANDRA REDDY, Advocate for the Respondent No.6;

The Court made the following ORDER:

Though sufficient time was granted, as no counter-affidavit was forthcoming, at the request of learned Assistant Government Pleader, the matter was adjourned for filing counter-affidavit, subject to payment of costs of Rs.5,000/- to the A.P. State Legal Services Authority by the 3rd respondent – Joint Collector.

Today when the matter is listed, in spite of the specific direction, no counter-affidavit is filed by the respondents.

Therefore, the 2nd respondent – District Collector is directed to file counter-affidavit before this Court within two (2) weeks from today. This direction is subject to payment of costs of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) to be levied against the 3rd respondent – Joint Collector, which shall be deducted from his salary and deposited with the A.P. High Court Advocates Clerks Association.

List the matter on 20.04.2026.

Further, if the counter-affidavits are not filed before the next date of hearing, the 2nd respondent – District Collector and the 3rd respondent – Joint Collector shall appear before this Court in person.

Registry is directed to communicate a copy of this order to the respondent Nos.2 and 3 forthwith.

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Sd/- N. NAGAMMA
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The District Collector, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.
2. The Joint Collector and Addl, District Magistrate, Adoni, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh. (1 & 2 by **SPEED POST**)
3. One CC to Sri. KIRAN KUMAR VADLAMUDI, Advocate [OPUC]
4. One CC to Sri. G. RAMA CHANDRA REDDY, Advocate [OPUC]
5. Two CCs to GP FOR REVENUE (AP), High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
6. The Section Officer, Writ Non-Service Section, High Court of Andhra Pradesh.
7. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

JS, J

DATED:06/04/2026

LIST THE MATTER ON 20.04.2026.

ORDER

WP.No.21686 of 2018

DIRECTION

