

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

**FRIDAY, THE TWENTY SIXTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE**

:PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K SREENIVASA REDDY
WRIT PETITION NO: 25404 OF 2025**



Between:

Bhimineni Karunakar Chowdary, S/o. Late B.Kanakaiah Naidu, Aged about 49 years, Occ Ex-Director, R/o.Kadirimangalam, Vadamalapeta Post, Vadamalapeta, Chittoor District.

...Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Agriculture, Cooperation and Marketing Department, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Andhra Pradesh - 500 022.
2. Commissioner for Cooperation AND Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Skylark Towers, near D.No. 2/16/83, 11th Line Syamala Nagar, Guntur, Guntur District,
3. The District Collector AND Executive Magistrate, Chittoor, Chittoor District.
4. The Inquiry Officer/District Revenue Officer, District Cooperative Central Bank Ltd., Chittoor, Chittoor District.
5. The Public Information Officer, O/o. District Collector, Chittoor District.
6. The District Cooperative Central Bank Ltd., Chittoor, represented by its Manager.

...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 order, direction, writ, more particularly Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the Respondents No.2 and 3 in

contemplating to initiate civil and criminal proceedings against the Petitioner pursuant to the inquiry report submitted by the Respondent No.4, without supplying the inquiry report and other relevant documents as sought by the Petitioner from the Respondent No.5 as illegal, improper, unjust, arbitrary and 'Contrary to law and consequently direct the Respondent No.5 to consider and furnish relevant documents to the Petitioner.

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 petition, the High Court may be pleased to direct the Respondent No.2 & 3 not to take any coercive action against the Petitioner, Pending disposal of WP 25404 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 order of the High Court dated. 18.09.2025 made herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri K RAGHU VEER, Advocate for the Petitioner and of Government Pleader for Cooperation for Respondent Nos.1, 2, 4 and 5 and of Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue for respondent No.3 and of Sri S. Vijay Kumar, learned counsel, for respondent No.6, and the Court made the following;

ORDER:

When the Writ Petition came up for admission, this Court passed an order on 18.09.2025 directing the respondents to furnish copies of the inquiry report and other relevant documents to the petitioner, within a period of two (2) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of the said order. Thereafter, this matter has come up for hearing today.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the facts in the present matter are similarly placed with the facts in W.P.No.26403 of 2025. The petitioner therein relied upon a decision of the combined High Court for the State of Telangana and the State of Andhra Pradesh reported in *Mekala Obula Reddy and others v. The Government of Andhra Pradesh, rep. by its Secretary, Department of Cooperation* (2014

0 Supreme (AP) 1566) : (2017 1 ALD 187) and this Court passed an order, granting interim stay of all further proceedings pursuant to Section 51 inquiry report dated 20.05.2025 of 5th respondent, for a period of eight (8) weeks. Thereafter, a mention has been made in respect of W.P.No.25404 of 2025 on the ground that the petitioner herein stands on same footing.

In view of the same, there shall be interim stay of all further proceedings pursuant to Section 51 inquiry report dated 20.05.2025 of 5th respondent, for a period of eight (8) weeks.

List the matter along with W.P.No.26403 of 2025 after Dussehra Vacation, 2025.

SD/- G.HELANAIDU
DEPUTY REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER

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To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Agriculture, Cooperation and Marketing Department, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Andhra Pradesh - 500 022. (by SPECIAL MESSENGER)
2. Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Skylark Towers, near D.No. 2/16/83, 11th Line Syamala Nagar, Guntur, Guntur District,
3. The District Collector and Executive Magistrate, Chittoor, Chittoor District.
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5. The Public Information Officer, O/o. District Collector, Chittoor District.
6. The District Cooperative Central Bank Ltd., Chittoor, represented by its Manager. (Addressees 2 to 6 by RPAD)
7. One CC to Sri. K RAGHU VEER, Advocate [OPUC]
8. Two CCs to GOVERNMENT PLEADER FOR COOPERATION, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]

9. Two CCs to GOVERNMENT PLEADER FOR REVENUE, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
10. One CC to Sri S. VIJAY KUMAR, STANDING COUNSEL, High Court of Andhra Pradesh.
11. One spare copy

JSS

HIGH COURT

SRK, J

DATED:26.09.2025.

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ORDER

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INTERIM STAY

