

HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

MAIN CASE No.: W.P.No.33342 of 2022

PROCEEDING SHEET

Sl.No	DATE	ORDER	
1.	13.10.2022	<u>CPK, J & AVR B, J</u> <u>W.P.No.33342 of 2022</u> Notice before admission. Sri Suresh Kumar Routhu, learned Standing Counsel for Customs, takes notice on behalf of the 2nd respondent, while Sri N. Harinath, learned Deputy Solicitor General, takes notice on behalf of the 1st respondent. Sri S. Srinivasa Reddy, learned Senior Counsel appearing for the petitioners, would submit that in similar matters, this Court directed the 2nd respondent to permit the Port authorities to load Semi-milled or wholly-milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed (other than Parboiled rice and Basmati rice), belonging to the petitioner therein, subject to furnishing bank guarantee to an extent of 50% of the export duty, within a period of one week from 30.09.2022. In case of any default, the Port authorities are at liberty to proceed further in accordance with law. It is needless to	

		mention that if any format is there for obtaining bank guarantee, the authorities may furnish the same forthwith to the petitioner therein. Since the case on hand is identical to the one referred to above and as the goods are in custody of Customs authority, which is evident from shipping bill issued, it would be just and proper to issue the same order. Accordingly, 2nd respondent is directed to permit the Port authorities to load Semi-milled or wholly-milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed (other than Parboiled rice and Basmati rice), belonging to the petitioners, subject to furnishing bank guarantee to an extent of 50% of the export duty, within a period of one week from 14.10.2022. In case of any default, the Port authorities are at liberty to proceed further in accordance with law. It is needless to mention that if any format is there for obtaining bank guarantee, the authorities may furnish the same forthwith to the petitioners. _____ CPK, J _____ AVRB, J Note:- Furnish C.C. tomorrow. B/O AMD	
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