

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATHI
(Special Original Jurisdiction)**

**MONDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE**



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

WRIT PETITION NO: 29107 OF 2024

Between:

Kamepalli Chenchiah, S/o Polaiah, Aged 65 years, R/o.Ramapuram Village
Donakonda Mandal, Prakasam District.

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Irrigation Department, Secretariat Building, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District
2. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Secretariat Building, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District
3. The Superintendent Engineer, Irrigation Circle, Ongole, Prakasam District
4. The Executive Engineer, Special Division (Irrigation), Markapur, Prakasam District.
5. The Deputy Executive Engineer, Special Sub-Division section. Irrigation Markapur, Prakasam District.
6. The Assistant Executive Engineer, Irrigation, Kotcherla kota section, Donakonda, Prakasam 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 a writ or order more particularly one in the nature of a writ of mandamus or an appropriate writ or order declaring the inaction of the respondent nos. 3-6 in recording the M-Books as per the works (6) executed by the petitioner as per the estimates and pay the bill amount of Rs.59,78,000/- towards the construction of check dams, desiltation and bund improvement in Ramapuram village, Donakonda Mandal, Prakasam District, with interest @ 24percent per annum.

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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 direct the respondent nos. 3-6 to record the M-Books as per the works (6) executed by the petitioner as per the estimates and pay the bill amount of Rs. 59,78,000/- towards the construction of check dams, desiltation and bund improvement in Ramapuram village, Donakonda Mandal, Prakasam District, with interest @ 24 percent per annum, Pending disposal of WP No.29107 of 2024, 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 upon hearing the arguments of Sri Koti Reddy Idamakanti, Advocate for the Petitioner, and of GP for Irrigation & CAD for the Respondent Nos. 1, 3 to 6, and of GP for Finance for the Respondent no.2, the Court made the following.

ORDER

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has entered into agreement with the respondents on 10.07.2017 and completed the works in the year 2018-19.

Since then the amounts are not released to the petitioner, there shall be a direction to the respondents to record the measurement books as per the works executed by the petitioner and take steps to release an amount of Rs.59,78,000/- within ten (10) weeks.

Post the matter after ten (10) weeks.

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SD/- N.NAGAMMA
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, State of Andhra Pradesh, Irrigation Department, Secretariat Building, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District
2. The Principal Secretary, State of Andhra Pradesh, Finance Department, Secretariat Building, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District
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6. The Assistant Executive Engineer, Irrigation, Kotcherla kota section, Donakonda, Prakasam District. (1 to 6 by RPAD)
7. One CC to Sri Koti Reddy Idamakanti, Advocate [OPUC]

8. Two CCs to GP for Irrigation & CAD, High Court of Andhra Pradesh [OUT]
9. Two CCs to GP for Finance, High Court of Andhra Pradesh [OUT]
10. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

JS, J

DATED: 05/05/2025

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ORDER

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