

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

WEDNESDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF DECEMBER

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE DR JUSTICE VENKATA JYOTHIRMAI PRATAPA

WRIT PETITION NO: 33669 OF 2025



Between:

Patan Atchukatla Khaja Khan, S/o. Ghouse Khan, aged 41 years, R/o. Door No. 14-251, Hospital Palom, Tadipathri Town and Mandal, Ananthapuram District, Andhra Pradesh.

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Represented by its Principal Secretary (Home Department), Secretariat Buildings at Velagapudi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.
2. The Director General of Police, State of Andhra Pradesh, Police Head Quarters at Mangalagiri, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.
3. The Superintendent of Police, Ananthapuram District, Andhra Pradesh.
4. The Deputy Superintendent of Police, Tadipathri, Ananthapuram District, Andhra Pradesh.
5. The Station House Officer, Tadipathri Town Police Station, Tadipathri Ananthapuram District, Andhra Pradesh.

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 or Direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the respondents in continuing the History Sheet/Rowdy Sheet against the petitioner as illegal, arbitrary, violative of the Andhra Pradesh Police Standing Orders and the principles of natural justice, and contrary to the law laid down by this Honble

Court, and consequently direct the respondents to close the said History Sheet/Rowdy Sheet and to desist from calling the petitioner to the police station without due process of law and pass

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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 respondents to close the said History Sheet/Rowdy Sheet and to desist from calling the petitioner to the police station without due process of law pending disposal of the above writ petition and 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 Chetan Ponnuru Advocate for the Petitioner, GP FOR HOME Advocate for the Respondents No.1 to 5 and the Court made the following.

ORDER

Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner.

Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Home seeks time for filing counter.

In the meanwhile, the respondent authorities shall follow the procedure directed by the Division Bench of this Court in its order dated 12.09.2022 in I.A.No.1 of 2022 in Writ Appeal No.674 of 2022, for summoning the petitioner to the police station on account of the pending rowdy sheet.

List the matter after four (4) weeks for filing counter.

Sd/- SHAIK MOHAMMED RAFI,
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary (Home Department), The State of Andhra Pradesh Secretariat Buildings at Velagapudi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh. (By Special Messenger)
2. The Director General of Police, State of Andhra Pradesh, Police Head Quarters at Mangalagiri, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.
3. The Superintendent of Police, Ananthapuram District, Andhra Pradesh.
4. The Deputy Superintendent of Police, Tadipathri, Ananthapuram District, Andhra Pradesh.
5. The Station House Officer, Tadipathri Town Police Station, Tadipathri Ananthapuram District, Andhra Pradesh. (by RPAD – 2 to 5)
6. One CC to SRI. Chetan Ponnuru Advocate [OPUC]
7. Two CCs to GP For Home, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
8. One Spare Copy.

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HIGH COURT

DR.VJP,J

DATED: 03/12/2025

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DIRECTION

