

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

THURSDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF JANUARY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE DR JUSTICE VENKATA JYOTHIRMAI PRATAPA

IA No. 1 OF 2025

IN

WP NO: 35990 OF 2025

Between:

1. Jagati Publications Limited, Rep. by its Editor, Printer and Publisher, Sakshi Telugu Daily Newspaper, Dhanunjaya Reddy Rakkasi, S/o Venkat Reddy, Aged 45 years. Having its registered office at 6-3-249/1, Sakshi Towers, Road No. 1, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad, Telangana, 500034.
2. Dhanunjaya Reddy Rakkasi, S/o Venkat Reddy Aged 45 years. Editor, Printer and Publisher, Sakshi Telugu Daily Newspaper, R/o Flat No.411, Ashoka Liviano Towers, Puppalaguda, Narsingi, Service Road, Near My Home Avatar, Hyderabad-500089, Telangana.
3. Indira Television Limited, having its registered office at 6-3-248/3, Sakshi Towers, Road No. 1, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad, Rep. by its B. Ramana Reddy, S/o B. Yegi Reddy, Aged 45 years, Whole-Time Director of the Company,
4. B. Ramana Reddy, S/o B. Yegi Reddy, Aged 45 years, Whole-Time Director of the Company, R/o Plot No.107/108, Flat No.501, Allwyn Colony, West Sai Nagar, Kukatpally-500072, Telangana.

...Petitioners

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep by its Principal Secretary, Home Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi Amaravati, 522503.
2. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri, Guntur District.- 522503



3. The Superintendent of Police, Parvathipuram Manyam District, Parvathipuram Manyam. 535501.
4. The Station House Officer, SalurTown Police Station, Parvathipuram Manyam District. -535501,
5. Nimmadi Tirupathirao, S/o Late Samaiah, Aged 59 years, R/o Dabbi Veedhi, SalurTown, Parvathipuram Manyam District.-535501.

...Respondents

Counsel for the Petitioner : SRI. V MAHESWAR REDDY

Counsel for the Respondent Nos. 1 to 4 : GP FOR HOME

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 stay all further proceedings in Cr.No.146/2025 on the file of Salur Town Police Station, Parvathipuram Manyam District for the offences u/s 353 (1) (b), 353 (1) (c), 356 (1), 356 (2) BNS, 67 I.T. Act, 2000-2008 including the notice Dt.31.11.2025 issued u/s 94 of BNSS in the interest of justice, pending disposal of WP No. 35990 of 2025, on the file of the High Court.

The court while directing issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this application should not be complied with, made the following order.(The receipt of this order will be deemed to be the receipt of notice in the case). The Court made the following

ORDER:

Heard Sri V.Maheswara Reddy, learned counsel for the Petitioners and Smt.A.Jayanthi, learned Government Pleader for Home.

Learned counsel for the Petitioners would submit that respondent No.5 lodged a complaint against the Petitioners. Respondent Police without conducting any preliminary enquiry, registered the present crime against the Petitioners. The allegations levelled against the Petitioners would not attract

the offences registered against them. Learned counsel would further submit that respondent No.4 without there being any authority issued the notice under Section 94 BNSSS, 2023, which is illegal and arbitrary.

Learned Government Pleader takes notice on behalf of respondent State and seeks time for filing counter.

Considering the submissions made and having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, respondent Police are directed not to call the Petitioners to the Police Station and not to take any coercive steps against them. Respondent Police are further directed not to insist the Petitioners for furnishing any documents which discloses self-incriminating material against them.

List the matter on 06.02.2026.

SD/- K.TATA RAO
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, State of Andhra Pradesh, Home Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi Amaravati, 522503. (by spl. messenger)
2. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri, Guntur District.- 522503
3. The Superintendent of Police, Parvathipuram Manyam District, Parvathipuram Manyam. 535501.
4. The Station House Officer, SalurTown Police Station, Parvathipuram Manyam District. -535501,
5. Nimmadi Tirupathirao, S/o Late Samaiah, Aged 59 years, R/o Dabbi Veedhi, SalurTown, Parvathipuram Manyam District.-535501. (2 to 5 by RPAD)

6. One CC to Sri. V Maheswar Reddy Advocate [OPUC]
7. Two CCs to GP for Home, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
8. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

DR.VJP,J

DATED:08/01/2026

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