

(SHOW CAUSE NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION)
IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA,
AT HYDERABAD

TUESDAY ,THE THIRD DAY OF MARCH

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE E.V. VENUGOPAL

WRIT PETITION NO: 6581 OF 2026

Between:

1. Gundapaneni Padmaja, W/o. Suresh Rao.
2. Daggu Vijayalaxmi, W/o. Hanumanth Rao.

Petitioners

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Panchayath Raj Department, Secretariat Building, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Commissioner, Panchayath Raj Department, Telangana, Hyderabad.
3. The District Collector, Mulugu, Mulugu District.
4. The District Panchayath Officer, Mulugu, Mulugu District.
5. The Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District
6. The Mandal Panchayath Officer, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District
7. The Gram Panchayath, Laxmidevpet Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. Rep. by its Panchayath Secretary.
8. The Gram Panchayath, Ramanathapalle Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. Rep. by its Panchayath Secretary.
9. Mohammed Sarvar Ahmed, S/o. Ankus, Occ. Teacher and President to Khabrasthan (Graveyard), Laxmidevpet Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. R/o. Laxmidevpet Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District.

Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioners above named through their Advocate SRI RAPOLU BHASKAR presented this 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 an appropriate writ, order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the

Respondent Nos.4 to 8 in interfering into the peaceful agriculture lands of the Petitioners to an extent of Ac.0.37 Gts in Survey Nos.5/A/1 and 5/A/2, which is situated at Ramanathapalle Revenue Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District and trying to construct the Graveyard and trying to disposes the Petitioners by colluding with the Respondent No.9 is illegal, arbitrary, unconstitutional and violation of Articles 14, 15, 21 and 300-A of Constitution of India and also violation of Principles of Natural Justice and consequently direct the Respondent Nos.4 to 8 not to interfere into the peaceful possession and not to construct the Graveyard (Khabrasthan) in the agriculture lands of the Petitioners to an extent of Ac.0.37 Gts in Survey Nos.5/A/1 and 5/A/2, which is situated at Ramanathapalle Revenue Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District and not disposes the Petitioners from their lands.

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and affidavit filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri RAPOLU BHASKAR Advocate for the Petitioners, Sri Ashok Kumar, ASST GP FOR PANCHAYAT RAJ, for the respondent Nos. 1,2 & 4, Sri Pradeep Reddy, standing Counsel for the respondent Nos. 5 to 8, directed issue of notice to the Respondent Nos. 3 & 9, herein to show cause as to why this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

1. The District Collector, Mulugu, Mulugu District.
2. Mohammed Sarvar Ahmed, S/o. Ankus, Occ. Teacher and President to Khabrasthan (Graveyard), Laxmidevpur Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. R/o. Laxmidevpur Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District.

are directed to show cause on or before 07.04.2026 to which date the case stands posted as to why in the circumstances set out in the petition and the affidavit filed therewith (copy enclosed) this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

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Petition under Section 151 CPC praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, the High Court may be pleased to direct the Respondent Nos.4 to 8 not to interfere into the peaceful possession and not to construct the Graveyard (Khabrasthan) in the agriculture lands of the Petitioners to an extent of Ac.0.37 Gts in Survey Nos.5/A/1 and 5/A/2, which is situated at Ramanathapalle Revenue Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District and not disposes the Petitioners from their lands, pending disposal of WP No. 6581 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The Court made the following: ORDER

Notice Before Admission.

Sri Ashok Kumar, learned Assistant Government Pleader for Panchayat Raj takes notice on behalf of respondent Nos.1, 2 and 4 and also seeks time to obtain instructions/file counter, if necessary.

Sri Pradeep Reddy, learned Standing Counsel takes notice on behalf of respondent Nos.5 to 8.

Issue notice, including personal notice to respondent Nos.3 and 9.

The proof of service to be filed by the next date of hearing.

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioners would submit that the present Writ Petition is filed challenging the illegal action of respondent Nos.4 to 8 in interfering with the peaceful possession and enjoyment of the petitioners' agricultural land admeasuring Ac.0.37 guntas in Survey Nos.5/A/1 and 5/A/2, situated at Ramanathapalle Revenue Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. The said respondents are attempting to construct a graveyard in the subject land and are trying to dispossess the petitioners from the subject property by colluding with respondent No. 9.

This matter requires detailed examination and the facts can be ascertained only upon filing written instructions/counter by the official respondents.

List on 07.04.2026.

As an interim measure, there shall be an order of *status quo* obtaining as on date to be maintained by all the parties in all respects.

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Sd/- A.JAYASREE
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR


SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Panchayath Raj Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat Building, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Commissioner, Panchayath Raj Department, Telangana, Hyderabad. (Addresseees 1 & 2 by SPAD) ✓
3. The District Collector, , Mulugu, Mulugu District. (by SPAD- along with a copy of petition and affidavit) ✓
4. The District Panchayath Officer, Mulugu, Mulugu District. (by SPAD) ✓
5. The Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District (by SPAD) ✓
6. The Mandal Panchayath Officer, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District (by SPAD) ✓
7. The Panchayath Secretary, Gram Panchayath, Laxmidevpur Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. (by SPAD) ✓

8. The Panchayath Secretary, Gram Panchayath, Ramanathapalle Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. (Addressees 4 to 8 by SPAD)
9. Mohammed Sarvar Ahmed, S/o. Ankus, Occ. Teacher and President to Khabrasthan (Graveyard), Laxmidevpet Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. R/o. Laxmidevpet Village, Venkatapur Mandal, Mulugu District. (by SPAD- along with a copy of petition and affidavit) ✓
10. One CC to SRI. RAPOLU BHASKAR Advocate [OPUC]
11. Two CCs to GP FOR PANCHAYAT RAJ RURAL DEV ,High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT] ✓
12. One spare copy
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HIGH COURT

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DATED:03/03/2026

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