

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD

MONDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF MARCH

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX ✓

:PRESENT:
THE HONOURABLE MRS JUSTICE SUREPALLI NANDA

WRIT PETITION NO: 7286 OF 2026

Between:

Doddimidi Sharada, W/o Doddimidi Rajeshwar,

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Fisheries Department, Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad.
2. The District Fisheries Officer / Ex-Officio Deputy Registrar of Cooperative Societies (Fisheries), Nizamabad District.
3. The Commissioner of Fisheries / Ex-Officio Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Matsya Bhayan, Hyderabad, Telangana State.
4. The Fishermen Cooperative Society, Kallur Village, Pothangal Mandal, Nizamabad 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, Order or Direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the Respondents, particularly Respondent No.2, in issuing proceedings Rc.No.624/A/2025 dated 02.12.2025 whereby Lingapur village and its water bodies have been merged into the area of operation of the 4th Respondent Society namely Fishermen Cooperative Society, Kallur of Pothangal Mandal, as illegal, arbitrary, without jurisdiction, violative of principles of natural justice and Articles 14 and 21 of the Constitution of India and consequently set aside the said proceedings. ✓

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Petition under Section 151 OF CPC praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the Writ petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the operation of proceedings Rc.No.624/A/2025 dated 02.12.2025 issued by the 2nd Respondent and consequently direct the Respondents not to conduct any

skill test, enroll new members or create any third-party rights in respect of Lingapur village lake and its connected water bodies pursuant to the impugned proceedings pending disposal of the above writ petition.

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of SRI KATIKA RAVINDER REDDY Advocate for the Petitioner, GP FOR FISHERIES for the Respondent Nos.1 to 4 and the Court made the following.

ORDER:

Heard Sri Katika Ravinder Reddy, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner.

The learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner is permitted to take out personal notice upon the 4th respondent and file proof of service of notice upon the 4th respondent into the Registry.

It is however observed that any skill tests to be conducted shall be subject to the result of the main writ petition.

**Sd/- A.JAYASREE
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Fisheries Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad.
2. The District Fisheries Officer / Ex-Officio Deputy Registrar of Cooperative Societies (Fisheries), Nizamabad District.
3. The Commissioner of Fisheries / Ex-Officio Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Matsya Bhavan, Hyderabad, Telangana State.
4. The Fishermen Cooperative Society, Kallur Village, Pothangal Mandal, Nizamabad District. (Addresses 1 to 4 by SPAD)
5. One CC to SRI. KATIKA RAVINDER REDDY Advocate [OPUC]
6. Two CCs to GP FOR FISHERIES, High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT]
7. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

SN,J

DATED:09/03/2026

ORDER

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DIRECTION

