

**IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD**

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

**WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY FIFTH DAY OF MARCH
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MRS JUSTICE SUREPALLI NANDA

WRIT PETITION NO: 8849 OF 2026

Between:

VRR RICE MILL, Vemulawada Village and Mandal, Rajanna Sircilla District,
represented by its Proprietor, Banda Mallesham S/o. Kondaiah, Age. 46 Years.

...PETITIONER

AND

1. The State of Telangana, represented by its Principal Secretary to the Consumer Affairs, Food and Civil Supplies Department, Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad.
2. The Additional Collector and Ex-Officio Executive Director, Telangana State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., Rajanna Sircilla District, Sircilla.
3. The District Manager, Telangana State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., Rajanna Sircilla District, Sircilla.
4. The Collector (CS), Rajanna Sircilla District, Sircilla.
5. The District Civil Supplies Officer, Rajanna Sircilla District, Sircilla.
6. The Commissioner Civil Supplies, Civil Supplies Bhavan, Somajiguda, Hyderabad.

...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 an order or direction more particularly one in the nature of writ of mandamus or any other appropriate writ declaring the action of the respondent authorities in not passing any orders, considering the representation of the petitioner dated 16/03/2026 permitting him to deliver the balance stocks of rice 43 ACKs (12470 Quintals) of rice which is to be delivered by the petitioner by way of FRK Sannabiyam by granting sufficient time as granted through Memos dated

24/11/2025, and not paying the milling charges, drainage 1%, transportation and godown charges payable to the petitioner rice mill for the season 2024-25, is nothing but arbitrary, illegal, null and void and violative of principles of natural justice and also violative of Articles 14, 19 and 21 of the Constitution of India. Consequently, direct the respondent authorities to consider the representation dated 16/03/2026, permitting the petitioner to deliver the balance rice to be delivered by his rice mill as stated above and to pay the milling charges, drainage 1%, transportation and godown charges payable to the petitioner.

IA NO: 1 OF 2026

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 authorities not to take any coercive steps against the petitioner for the non-delivery of the balance rice to be delivered by his rice mill.

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI K. VENUMADHAV

Counsel for the Respondents No.1,4 to 6: GP FOR CIVIL SUPPLIES

**Counsel for the Respondents No 2 & 3: SRI K. DEVENDER,
SC FOR TS CIVIL SUPPLIES CORPORATION LIMITED**

The Court made the following: ORDER

**IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
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HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUREPALLI NANDA

WRIT PETITION No.8849 OF 2026

DATE: 25.03.2026

Between :

VRR Rice Mill, Vemulawada Village and Mandal,
Rajanna Sircilla District rep. by its Proprietor,
Banda mallesham

... Petitioner

AND

The State of Telangana rep. by its Principal
Secretary to the Consumer Affairs,
Food and Civil Supplies Department,
Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad and
5 others.

... Respondents

ORDER

**Heard Sri K. Venumadhav, learned counsel
appearing on behalf of the petitioner, learned
Assistant Government Pleader for Civil Supplies,
appearing on behalf of respondent Nos.1, 4 to 6 and
Sri K. Devender, learned Standing Counsel for
Telangana State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd.,
appearing on behalf of respondent Nos.2 and 3.**

2. The petitioner approached the Court seeking prayer as under:

"...to issue an order or direction more particularly one in the nature of writ of *Mandamus* or any other appropriate writ declaring the action of the respondent authorities in not passing any orders, considering the representation of the petitioner dated 16/03/2026 permitting him to deliver the balance stocks of rice 43 ACKs (12470 Quintals) of rice which is to be delivered by the petitioner by way of FRK Sannapyyam by granting sufficient time as granted through Memos dated 24/11/2025, and not paying the milling charges, drriage 1%, transportation and godown charges payable to the petitioner rice mill for the season 2024-25, is nothing but arbitrary, illegal, null and void and violative of principles of natural justice and also violative of Articles 14, 19 and 21 of the Constitution of India. Consequently, direct the respondent authorities to consider the representation dated 16,03/2026, permitting the petitioner to deliver the balance rice to be delivered by the rice mill of the petitioner as stated above and to pay the milling charges, drriage 1%, transportation and godown charges payable to the petitioner, and to pass..."

3. The case of the petitioner, in brief as per the averments made in the affidavit filed by the

petitioner in support of the present Writ Petition**is as under:-**

It is the specific case of the petitioner that the respondent authorities had been allotting paddy to the petitioner rice mill under Custom Milling Rice Scheme, and the petitioner had been regularly milling the paddy and delivering rice without any complaints. During the Khariff season 2024-25, the respondent authorities allotted a quantity of 32908 quintals of paddy and due to heavy rains, a major portion of the stock of paddy was damaged. Consequently, the rice sent by the petitioner to the Food Corporation of India was returned, as it had not met the prescribed specifications. So, the petitioner was able to deliver 9570 quintals of rice and a balance of 12470 quintals of rice is yet to be delivered. Thereafter, the respondent authorities issued Memo No.2809/CS.I-CCS/2025, dated 24.11.2025 to the petitioner to deliver FRK Sannabiyyam within a period of 90 days time. The petitioner submitted a detailed explanation/representation dated 16.03.2026 requesting additional time to deliver the balance quantity of rice. However, the respondent authorities had not taken

any steps in this regard. Aggrieved by the same, the petitioner had approached this Court by filing the present writ petition.

PERUSED THE RECORD

DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSION:

4. The learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner mainly puts forth the following submissions:

(i) Vide Memo dated 24.11.2025 issued by the Government of Telangana, Consumer Affairs, Food and Civil Supplies (CS.I-CCS) Department permission was accorded for delivery of FRK Sannabiyyam/or recovery of cost towards pending dues from the Defaulter Rice millers pertaining to KMS 2014-15 to KMS 2023-24 under the State pool Account within a period of (90) days excluding rice millers of Rabi 2022-23.

(ii) The petitioner, *vide* detailed representation dated 16.03.2026 addressed to the Additional Collector, Rajanna Sircilla (EO/ED), Rajanna Sircilla District herein, admitted the fact that the petitioner had taken paddy of

32908 quintals during the year 2024-25 and (43 ACKs). But however, out of the said quantity the petitioner had delivered 9570 quintals of rice and 12470 quintals (43 ACKs) of rice are yet to be delivered. Further the petitioner was informed that the petitioner was ready to deliver 100% of stock for the year 2024-25, and had decided to deliver Sanna Biyyam.

(iii) The petitioner, vide the said representation dated 16.03.2026 requested the Additional Collector, Rajanna Sircilla District to grant reasonable time to deliver Sanna Biyyam. But however, no orders had been passed on the said representation dated 16.03.2026 as on date.

(iv) The subject issue in the present writ petition is squarely covered by the order of this Court dated 17.03.2026 passed in W.P. No.8105 of 2026. Hence the petitioner is also entitled for similar relief as extended to the petitioner in W.P. No. 8105 of 2026, dated 17.03.2026.

Based on the aforesaid submissions, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner contends that the writ petition needs to be allowed as

prayed for by the petitioner in the present writ petition.

5. The learned Standing Counsel appearing on behalf of Respondent Corporation and the learned Assistant Government Pleader for Civil Supplies opposed the grant of relief to the petitioner herein and contended that the period of 90 days had already been granted, but however, the petitioner did not make any efforts to clear the pending dues. Having failed to deliver the Sanna Biryam or remit the cost pertaining to the pending dues, the relief as sought for by the petitioner cannot be granted in the present writ petition.

6. A bare perusal of the Memo dated 24.11.2025 issued by Ex-Official Principal Secretary to Government, Government of Telangana, in particular para No.4, clearly indicates that a decision had been taken to recover the pending CMR dues from the Defaulting Rice millers of the previous years pertaining to KMS 2014-15 to KMS 2023-24. In order to expedite the recovery of pending dues and to safeguard and reduce the burden on the Telangana State

Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., the Government ordered that the defaulting rice millers from the KMS 2014-15 to KMS 2023-24 (excluding Rabi 2022-23 season, Auction paddy rice millers) shall be permitted to deliver FRK Sannabiyam or remit the cost equivalent to the value of defaulted quantity @125%, including penalty and 12% interest, as per the agreement entered into from time to time within a period 90 days by the rice millers with Telangana State Civil supplies Corporation Ltd.

7. This Court opines that the petitioner had admittedly submitted a representation dated 16.03.2026 to the respondent No.2 herein, which even had been acknowledged by the office of the respondent No.2 on 16.03.2026 and the petitioner does not dispute petitioner's liability to deliver the balance quantity of rice and through the said representation, the petitioner merely sought grant of time to deliver the balance quantity of rice and requested that no coercive steps be taken against the petitioner and that all the proceedings initiated against the petitioner be dropped. The respondents are bound to consider the representation of

the petitioner dated 16.03.2026 in accordance to law within a reasonable period.

8. Taking into consideration:

(a) The aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case,

(b) The submissions made by the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner learned Assistant Government Pleader for Civil Supplies, appearing on behalf of respondent Nos.1, 4 to 6 and Sri K. Devender, learned Standing Counsel for Telangana State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., appearing on behalf of respondent Nos.2 and 3,

(c) The discussion and conclusion as arrived at Para Nos.5 to 8 of this order.

The writ petition is disposed of directing the respondent No.2 to consider the grievance of the petitioner as put forth *vide* petitioner's representation dated 16.03.2026 addressed to the respondent No.2 herein seeking grant of time to deliver a quantity of 12470 quintals (43 ACKs) of rice, within a period of

two (2) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of the order and pass appropriate orders on the said representation of the petitioner dated 16.03.2026 and duly communicate the decision to the petitioner.

Till the above exercise is initiated and concluded by the respondent No.2 herein and appropriate orders passed on petitioner's representation dated 16.03.2026 and decision duly communicated to the petitioner herein, the respondents are directed not to initiate any coercive steps against the petitioner herein. There shall be no order as to costs.

Miscellaneous petitions, if any, pending in this Writ Petition, shall stand closed.

SD/- A. SRINIVASA REDDY
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary to the Consumer Affairs, Food and Civil Supplies Department, The State of Telangana, Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad.
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7. One CC to SRI. K VENUMADHAV, Advocate [OPUC]
8. Two CCs to GP FOR CIVIL SUPPLIES, High Court for the State of Telangana At Hyderabad. [OUT]
9. One CC to SRI K. DEVENDER, SC FOR TS CIVIL SUPPLIES CORPORATION LIMITED [OPUC]
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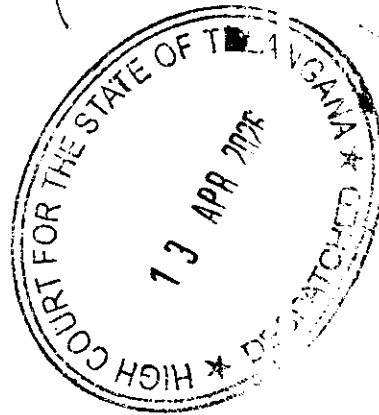
HIGH COURT

CC TODAY

DATED:25/03/2026

ORDER

WP.No.8849 of 2026



**DISPOSING OF THE WRIT PETITION
WITHOUT COSTS**

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