

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

THURSDAY, THE TWENTY SIXTH DAY OF MARCH

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

**:PRESENT:
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE NAGESH BHEEMAPAKA**

WRIT PETITION NO: 9119 OF 2026

Between:

Katragadda Veera Madhu Kumar, S/o. K.V.Ranga Rao

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Revenue Department (Land Acquisition), Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. Ministry of Road Transport and Highways Transport Bhawan, Rep by its Principal Secretary, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001.
3. National Highway Authority of India, Rep by its Regional Officer, Regional Office, Hyderabad, Administrative Staff College of India (ASCI) 1st Floor, New Building, College Park Campus, Road No.3, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-500 034.
4. The Deputy Secretary, Road Transport and Highways, Transport Bhavan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi
5. Project Director, D. No. 9-86, Vidyanagar Colony, National Highway Authority of India, PIU, Pothireddypally, Sangareddy District, PIN 502295.
6. The Executive Engineer, Roads and Buildings, National Highway A.C Guards, Hyderabad District.
7. The Deputy Executive Engineer, Roads and Buildings, National Highway , Sangareddy District At Sanga Reddy.
8. The District Collector, (Land Acquisition). Sangareddy District at Sanga Reddy
9. The Revenue Divisional Officer-cum-Land Acquisition Officer, Sangareddy, Sangareddy District.

Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioner above named through his Advocate SRI. SRINIVAS VELAGAPUDI 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 a writ of Mandamus or any other appropriate writ, order or direction declaring that the action of the Respondent Nos.2 to 9 from trying to dispossess the Petitioner, by widening the road from the existing 66 feet on the south side of the National Highway No.65 (NH65 -Hyderabad to Mumbai via Sanga Reddy and Solapur) to an extent of about 67 feet from the centre of the existing National Highway No.65, to an extent of 2345 sq.yds out of 4416.5 sq.yds in Sy.No.778/A, situated at Kandi Village and Mandal, Sanga Reddy District of the Petitioner as illegal and arbitrary. Consequently, to direct the Respondents No. 2 to 9 not to dispossess the Petitioner from the said land without initiation of any land acquisition proceedings,

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and affidavit filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Ms.Bhavana, counsel representing Sri SRINIVAS VELAGAPUDI Advocate for the Petitioner, Government Pleader for Land Acquisition takes notice for respondent Nos.1, 8 and 9, Smt N.V.R.Rajya Lakshmi, Standing Counsel for Central Government representing Sri N. Bhujanga Rao, Deputy Solicitor General of India, takes notice for respondent Nos.2 and 4, Sri Ramu, Standing Counsel for NHAI takes notice for respondent Nos.3 and 5, Government Pleader for Roads and Buildings takes notice for respondent Nos.6 and 7, directed issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

1. The Principal Secretary, Revenue Department (Land Acquisition), State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Principal Secretary, Ministry of Road Transport and Highways Transport Bhawan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001.
3. The Regional Officer, Regional Office, National Highway Authority of India, Administrative Staff College of India (ASCI) 1st Floor, New Building, College Park Campus, Road No.3, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad-500 034.
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9. The Revenue Divisional Officer-cum-Land Acquisition Officer, Sangareddy, Sangareddy District.

are directed to show cause on or before 23.04.2026 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.

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 Respondents No. 2 to 9 not to dispossess the Petitioner from an extent of 4416.5 sq.yds in Sy.No.778/A, situated at Kandi Village and Mandal, Sanga Reddy District, without initiation of any land acquisition proceedings, pending disposal of WP No. 9119 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

**The Court made the following
ORDER:**

Notice before Admission.

Learned Government Pleader for Land Acquisition takes notice for respondent Nos.1, 8 and 9.

Smt N.V.R.Rajya Lakshmi, learned Standing Counsel for Central Government representing Sri N.Bhujanga Rao, learned Deputy Solicitor General of India, takes notice for respondent Nos.2 and 4.

Sri Ramu, learned Standing Counsel for NHAI takes notice for respondent Nos.3 and 5.

Learned Government Pleader for Roads and Buildings takes notice for respondent Nos.6 and 7.

Heard Ms.Bhavana, learned counsel representing learned counsel for the petitioner.

List on 23.04.2026.

There shall be interim direction as prayed for till the next date of hearing.

**Sd/- S.MALLIKARJUNA RAO
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

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8. The District Collector, (Land Acquisition). Sangareddy District at Sanga Reddy
9. The Revenue Divisional Officer-cum-Land Acquisition Officer, Sangareddy, Sangareddy District (RR1 to 9 by SPAD- along with a copy of petition and affidavit)
10. One CC to SRI. SRINIVAS VELAGAPUDI Advocate [OPUC]
11. Two CCs to GP FOR LAND ACQUISITION ,High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT]
12. Two CCs to GP FOR ROADS AND BUILDINGS, High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT]
13. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

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DATED:26/03/2026

LIST ON: 23.04.2026

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DIRECTION

