

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

MONDAY, THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF APRIL
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:
THE HONOURABLE SMT JUSTICE RENUKA YARA
WP NO: 11188 OF 2026

Between

Allapur Viswanath Goud, S/o. Allapur Hannaiah Goud

Petitioner

AND

1. Union of India, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs, South Block, Secretariat, Raisina Hills, New Delhi, India.
2. Regional Passport Officer, O/o. Regional Passport Office, 73, Red Cross Road, Shivaji Nagar, Secunderabad, Telangana.
3. Regional Passport Officer, O/o. Regional Passport Office, Bengaluru, 8th Block, 80 Feet Road, Koramangala, Bengaluru-560095, Karnataka

Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioner above named through his Advocate SRI T ARCHAN KUMAR 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 grant an order, direction or writ, more so in the nature of Mandamus a)Declaring the action Respondents of 2nd and 3 is in not renewing the Petitioner's Passport bearing No.N9828112 pursuant to Application No.BN7076592045926 dated 24.03.2026 on the ground of pendency of Criminal Case vide C.C.No.110 of 2024 on the file of Judicial First Class Magistrate, at Tandur, Vikarabad District, against the Petitioner, as illegal, arbitrary, unconstitutional, in violation of principles of natural justice and contrary to the provisions of Passport Act, 1967 b)Consequently, direct the Respondents to renew the Petitioner's Passport No.N9828112 pursuant to Application No.BN7076592045926 dated 24.03.2026 without relying or taking reference of pendency of Criminal Case vide C.C.No.110 of 2024 on the file of Judicial First Class Magistrate, at Tandur, Vikarabad District.

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and memorandum of grounds filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of SRI. T ARCHAN KUMAR Advocate for the Petitioner and Sri N. Bhujanga Rao, learned Deputy Solicitor General of India for the respondents 1 & 2, directed issue of notice

to the Respondent No.3 herein to show cause as to why this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

Regional Passport Officer, O/o. Regional Passport Office, Bengaluru, 8th Block, 80 Feet Road, Koramangala, Bengaluru-560095, Karnataka

are directed to show cause on or before 20.04.2026 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.

The Court made the following:

ORDER

Sri N. Bhujanga Rao, learned Deputy Solicitor General of India takes notice on behalf of the respondents 1 & 2 and seeks time to get instructions in the matter.

Issue notice to the respondent No.3.

Personal notice is permitted.

List this matter on 20.04.2026.

**Sd/- M.JAWAHAR REDDY
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. Regional Passport Officer, O/o. Regional Passport Office, Bengaluru, 8th Block, 80 Feet Road, Koramangala, Bengaluru-560095, Karnataka[by SPAD-along with a copy of petition and affidavit]
2. One CC to SRI. T ARCHAN KUMAR Advocate [OPUC]
3. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

RY, J

DATED: 13-04-2026

LIST ON 20.04.2026

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