

HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA

MAIN CASE: W.P.No.14786 of 2026

PROCEEDING SHEET

Sl. No.	DATE	ORDER	OFFICE NOTE
01.	04.05.2026	<u>RY, J</u> <u>I.A.No.1 of 2026</u> This application is filed under Section 151 CPC seeking to stay all further proceedings in Lr.No.ADE/OP/JADCHERLA D.No.641/26, dated 16.03.2026 & 11.03.2026 issued by respondent No.3. Respondent Nos.2 and 3 have initiated proceedings against the petitioner alleging theft of electricity, which was granted for activities in a oil farm. There is no charge for electricity utilized for agricultural activities, whereas, Pisci culture is commercial activity, which requires a different connection with different tariff. After instructions, respondent Nos.2 and 3 have issued notice dated 16.3.2026 demanding an amount of Rs.1,30,114/- towards provisional assessment of electricity charges used for fish pond and Rs.22,000/- as compounding fee for closure of criminal case. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that there is a mistake on the part of the respondents in their allegation about the electricity connection issued to the petitioner being utilized for a fish pond, when the connection was released for a oil farm. Learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents submits that it is a fact that electricity connection was released for activities in a oil farm,	

		but the same is illegally misused by the petitioner for his requirement in a fish pond. In the circumstances stated, there shall be stay of the proceedings dated 16.03.2026 and 11.03.2026, subject to payment of 50% of the provisional assessment fee and the compound fee imposed by respondent Nos.2 and 3, within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. <u>W.P.No.14786 of 2026</u> Learned Government Pleader for Energy takes notice on behalf of respondent No.1. Sri N.Sridhar Reddy, learned Standing Counsel for TGSPDCL takes notices on behalf of respondent Nos.2 and 3. List on 11.06.2026, for counter. RY,J <i>rk</i>	
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