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HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD
TUESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:
THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE E.V. VENUGOPAL
WP NO: 15352 OF 2026

Between

1. Mujja Sandhya, W/o. Bhaskar Rao,
2. Adekar Supriya, W/o. Adekar Sachin,

Petitioners

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Panchayat Raj Department, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The District Collector, Nirmal District.
3. The Gram Panchayat, Beltharoda Village, Tanoor Mandal, Nirmal District, Rep. by its Panchayat Secretary.
4. The District Panchayat Officer, Nirmal District, Nirmal.

Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioners above named through their Advocate Sri G. Vasantha Rayudu, 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, Order or Direction, more so, a Writ in the nature of Mandamus, by declaring the action of the 3rd respondent in issuing the notice No.02/GP/2026, dated 20.04.2026 to the petitioners, as arbitrary, illegal, highhanded, tainted with malafides and opposed to the principles of natural justice and unsustainable under law and consequentially to set aside the same and further directing the 3rd respondent, to issue occupancy certificate to the petitioners herein, for the said premises of the godowns at Belthora village;

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and memorandum of grounds filed therein, and upon hearing the arguments of Sri G.Vasantha Rayudu, Advocate for the Petitioners, 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, Panchayat Raj Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The District Collector, Nirmal District.
3. The Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat, Beltharoda Village, Tanoor Mandal, Nirmal District.
4. The District Panchayat Officer, Nirmal District, Nirmal.

are directed to show cause on or before 14-07-2026 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.

I.A. NO: 1 OF 2026:

Petition under Section 151 of C.P.C, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in the writ petition, the High Court may be pleased to direct the respondents, to suspend the impugned proceedings No.02/GP/2026, dated 20.04.2026 to the petitioners, pending disposal of WP No. 15352 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The Court made the following:

ORDER:

Notice before admission.

Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Panchayat Raj and Rural Development takes notice on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 4; learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue takes notice on behalf of respondent No.2 and learned Standing Counsel for Gram Panchayat takes notice on behalf of respondent No.3 and also seeks time to obtain instructions/file counter, if necessary.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that permission was granted to the petitioner for construction *vide* proceedings No.5/GPT/2025 dated 06.06.2025 by respondent No.3. He further submits that the petitioner has undertaken the construction pursuant to the said permission. Despite this aspect, respondent No.3 issued the impugned notice No.02/GP/2026 dated 20.04.2026 directing the petitioner to stop the construction work and calling for an explanation regarding mining permissions and payment receipts relating to allegedly illegally transported morrum/soil. He further submits that the petitioner is only the purchaser of the material used for the purpose of construction. He also submits that the impugned notice was issued without conducting any physical inspection. Hence the said impugned notice is perverse and not in accordance with law.

This matter requires detailed examination and the facts can be ascertained only upon filing written instructions/counter by the concerned official respondent.

The impugned notice dated 20.04.2026 directing stoppage of construction work without affording an opportunity to the petitioner to submit an explanation, is in violation of the principles of natural justice. Accordingly, this Court deems it appropriate to suspend the impugned notice dated 20.04.2026 as an interim measure till the next date of hearing.

List on 14.07.2026.

In the meantime, the petitioner shall submit explanation to respondent No.3 in respect of the notice being issued to the petitioner herein.

Sd/- K.V.O.NARASI BABU
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Panchayat Raj Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The District Collector, Nirmal District.
3. The Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat, Beltharoda Village, Tanoor Mandal, Nirmal District.
4. The District Panchayat Officer, Nirmal District, Nirmal. (Addressees 1 to 4 BY SPAD along with a copy of petition and affidavit)
5. Two CCs to GP for Panchayat Raj and Rural Dev., High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad (OUT)
6. Two CCs to GP for Revenue, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad (OUT)
7. One CC to Sri G.Vasantha Rayudu, Advocate (OPUC)
8. One Spare Copy

HIGH COURT

EVV,J

DATE: 05-05-2026

NOTE: POST ON 14-7-2026

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SUSPENSION

