

**HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD
(Special Original Jurisdiction)**

**TUESDAY, THE TWENTY THIRD DAY OF JULY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR**

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MRS JUSTICE SUREPALLI NANDA

WRIT PETITION NO: 19514 OF 2024

Between:

1. Sri. Eerakanti Arvind, S/o. Eerakanti Ramachary, Aged about 33 years, Occ. Business, R/o. Plot No.614, Flat No. 301, Talluri Residency, Gokul Plots, Venkata Ramana colony, Hafeezpet Village, Serilingampally, Rangareddy District.
2. Mrs. Gajula Syamalatha, W/o. Sri. Gajula Venkata Krishna, Aged about 32 years, Occ. Housewife, R/o. Plot No.1797, Gokul Plots, Venkataramana Colony, Hafeezpet Village, Serilingampally, Rangareddy District.
3. Sri. Munagala Adi Lakshmi, W/o. M. Venkata krishna Reddy, aged about 44 years, Occ. Business, R/o.H.No.6-3-91, Prashanth Nagar, Near water Tank Miyapur village, Serilingampally, Rangareddy District .
4. Sri. Rokkam Eshwar Rao, S/o. Rokkam Anantha Rao, Aged about 23 years, Occ. Business, R/o. Plot No.1371, Sri. Vinayaka Residency, Gokul Plots, Venkata Ramana Colony, Hafeezpet Village, Serilingampally, Rangareddy District.
5. Sri. Ragutu Rishi Kumar, S/o. Ragutu Simhachalam, Aged about 20 years, Occ. Private Employee, R/o. H.No.12-4-40-194/B/1, Janatha Nagar, Moosapet Village, Hyderabad.

.....PETITIONERS

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Power and Energy Department, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd., State of Telangana, rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director, Mint Compound, Hyderabad.
3. Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd., State of Telangana, rep. by its Superintending Engineer (operation) Cybercity, Hyderabad.
4. Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd., State of Telangana, rep. by its Asst. Divisional Engineer (Operational) Chanda Nagar, 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 appropriate Writ, order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus by declaring the action of the Respondents in not processing the applications for release of electricity connections to the petitioner's premises bearing Plot No. 433 land admeasuring 222 sq yards in Sy.No.78, situated at Gokul Plots, Venkataramana Colony, Hafeezpet Village, Serilingampally Mandal, Ranga Reddy District now medchal malkajgiri district as illegal, arbitrary, unjust and consequently direct the respondents to process applications for providing electricity connections and to release service connections with meters without any further delay.

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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 3rd Respondent to process applications for providing electricity connections and to release service connections with meters to the petitioner's premises bearing Plot No.433 land admeasuring 222 sq yards in Sy.No.78, situated at Gokul Plots, Venkataramana Colony, Hafeezpet Village, Serilingampally Mandal, Ranga Reddy District now medchal malkajgiri District.

Counsel for the Petitioners : SRI L.VISHNU PRASAD

Counsel for the Respondent No.1 : GP FOR ENERGY

Counsel for the Respondent Nos.2 to 4 : SRI R.VINOD REDDY

The Court made the following ORDER

HON'BLE MRS JUSTICE SUREPALLI NANDA

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ORDER:

Heard Sri L. Vishnu Prasad, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioners, learned Assistant Government Pleader for Energy appearing on behalf of respondent No.1 and Sri R. Vinod Reddy, learned Standing Counsel for TSSPDCL appearing for respondent Nos.2 to 4.

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

"...to issue an appropriate writ, order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus by declaring the action of the Respondents in not processing the applications for release of electricity connections to the petitioners' premises bearing Plot No.433 land admeasuring 222 sq. yards in Sy.No.78, situated at Gokul Plots, Venkataramana Colony, Hafeezpet Village, Serilingampally Mandal, Ranga Reddy District now Medchal-Malkajgiri District as illegal, arbitrary, unjust and consequently direct the respondents to process applications for providing electricity connections and to release service connections with meters without any further delay and to pass such other order or orders as this Hon'ble Court deems fit and proper in the interest of Justice".

3. It is represented by the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioners and the learned Standing Counsel for TSSPDCL appearing on behalf of respondent Nos.2 to 4 that the subject issue in the present writ petition is squarely covered by the order of this Court dated 23.04.2024 passed in W.P.No.10707 of 2024, hence, the writ petition could be disposed of in terms of the aforesaid order.

4. **Brining the said submissions of both the learned counsel on record, the writ petition is disposed of at the admission stage, directing the respondents 2 to 4 to consider the petitioners' application dated 25.05.2024 for release of electricity service connection with meters to the petitioners' premises bearing Plot No.433 land admeasuring 222 sq. yards in Sy.No.78, situated at Gokul Plots, Venkataramana Colony, Hafeezpet Village, Serilingampally Mandal, Ranga Reddy District now Medchal-Malkajgiri District or pass appropriate orders on the applications submitted by the petitioners in accordance to law within a period of four (04) weeks, from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. However, there shall be no order as costs.**

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

SD/- B. SARASWATHI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To

1. The Principal Secretary, Power and Energy Department, Secretariat, State of Telangana at Hyderabad.
2. The Chairman and Managing Director, Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd., State of Telangana, Mint Compound, Hyderabad.
3. The Superintending Engineer, Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd., State of Telangana, (operation) Cybercity, Hyderabad.
4. The Assistant Divisional Engineer, Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd., of Telangana, (Operational) Chanda Nagar, Hyderabad.
5. Two CCs to GP FOR ENERGY, High Court for the State of Telangana at Hyderabad. [OUT]
6. One CC to Sri L.Vishnu Prasad, Advocate [OPUC]
7. One CC to Sri R.Vinod Reddy, Advocate (OPUC)
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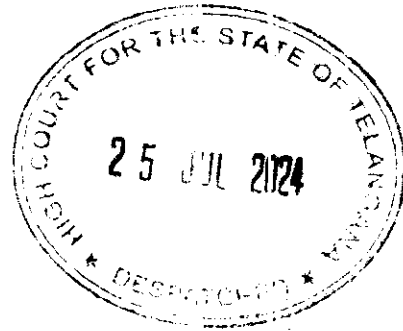
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HIGH COURT

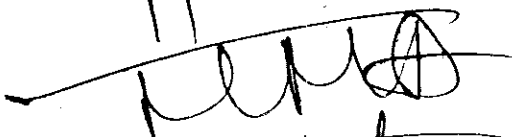
DATED:23/07/2024



ORDER

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**DISPOSING OF THE W.P
WITHOUT COSTS.**

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25/7/2024