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HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD
WEDNESDAY, THE TWELFTH DAY OF AUGUST
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX
:PRESENT:
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE NAGESH BHEEMAPAKA
WP NO: 26406 OF 2026

Between

Sri Kore Nandu Kumar, S/o. Sri Kore Shankerappa, Occ. Business, R/o. H.No.2-32/3/A, Sai Nagar, Chaitanyapuri, Ranga Reddy District, Telangana, Represented by his Registered GPA Holder, Sri P. KIRAN KUMAR, S/o. Late P. Krishnaiah, aged about 54 years, Occ. Business, R/o. H.No.4-2-1029, Ramkote, Badichowdi, Hyderabad-500095, Telangana.

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Represented by its Principal Secretary, Energy Department, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited, Represented by its Chairman and Managing Director, Mint Compound, Hyderabad.
3. The Superintending Engineer, Operations, Hyderabad Central Circle, TGSPDCL, Mint Compound, Hyderabad.
4. The Divisional Engineer, Operations, Azamabad Division, TGSPDCL, Sriram Nagar, Nallakunta, Hyderabad - 500044.
5. The Assistant Divisional Engineer, Operations, Amberpet Sub-Division, TGSPDCL, Hyderabad.
6. The Additional Assistant Engineer, Operations, Ramalayam Section, Amberpet Sub-Division, TGSPDCL, Hyderabad.
7. Bagh Amberpet Welfare Society, Represented by its President/Secretary, Bagh Amberpet, Hyderabad - 500013.

Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioner above named through his Advocate SRI. C 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 issue a Writ Order or Direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus, to declare the action of Respondents particularly Respondent No. 6 in disconnecting/stopping the electricity supply and billing and in directing dismantlement and surrender of the meter in respect of the Petitioner's electricity

service connection bearing S.C.No.V1101186 and U.S.C.No.114717290 at Municipal Door No.2-2-1109/5/ND/1, Survey No.563/1, Bagh Amberpet, Hyderabad, pursuant to the notices issued by Respondent No.6 vide Lr.No.AAE/OP/Ramalayam/D-XXVI/ F.No.Capital /D.No.78/ 26, dated 19-05-2026, Lr.No.AAE/ OP/ Ramalayam/ D-)(XXVI/ F.No.Capital/ D.No.120/26, dated 10-06-2026 and Lr.No.AAE/ OP/ Ramalayam/ D-XXVI/ F.No.Capital/D.No.185/26 dated 25-07-2026, based solely on the complaint of Respondent No.7 and without considering the Petitioner's replies and ownership/possession documents, without furnishing the complaint, alleged inspection report and legal opinion relied upon, and without passing any reasoned order, as illegal, arbitrary, without jurisdiction, contrary to the Electricity Act, 2003, the Electricity (Rights of Consumers) Rules, 2020 and the General Terms and Conditions of Supply, violative of the principles of natural justice and Articles 14, 19(1)(g), 21 and 300-A of the Constitution of India, and consequently to set aside the said notices and direct Respondent Nos.2 to 6 to forthwith restore and continue the electricity supply to the Petitioner under S.C.No.V1101186 and U.S.C.No.114717290 by reinstalling/replacing the meter, and not to interfere with the Petitioner's electricity connection in any manner whatsoever,

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and affidavit filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri. C KUMAR Advocate for the Petitioner, Government Pleader for Energy for respondent Nos.1 to 6, 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, Energy Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Chairman and Managing Director, Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited, Mint Compound, Hyderabad.
3. The Superintending Engineer, Operations, Hyderabad Central Circle, TGSPDCL, Mint Compound, Hyderabad.
4. The Divisional Engineer, Operations, Azamabad Division, TGSPDCL, Sriram Nagar, Nallakunta, Hyderabad - 500044.
5. The Assistant Divisional Engineer, Operations, Amberpet Sub-Division, TGSPDCL, Hyderabad.
6. The Additional Assistant Engineer, Operations, Ramalayam Section, Amberpet Sub-Division, TGSPDCL, Hyderabad.
7. The President/Secretary, Bagh Amberpet Welfare Society, Bagh Amberpet, Hyderabad - 500013.

are directed to show cause on or before 09.09.2026 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: 2 OF 2026

Petition under Section 151 of C.P.C 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 to continue the electricity supply to the Petitioners premises under S.C.No.V1101186 and U.S.C.No.114717290 without reference to the impugned notices vide Lr.No.AAE/OP/Ramalayam/ D-XXVI/ F.No.Capital /D.No.78/ 26, dated 19-05-2026, Lr.No.AAE/ OP/ Ramalayam/ D-XXVI/ F.No.Capital/ D.No.120/26, dated 10-06-2026 and Lr.No.AAE/ OP/ Ramalayam/ D-XXVI/ F.No.Capital/D.No.185/26 dated 25-07-2026, issued by respondent No.6 during the pendency of the Writ Petition in the interest of justice and pass, Pending disposal of WP No 26406 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

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 support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the notices issued by Respondent No.6 vide Lr.No.AAE/OP/Ramalayam/D-XXVI/ F.No. Capital /D.No.78/ 26, dated 19-05-2026, Lr.No.AAE/ OP/ Ramalayam/ D-XXVI/ F.No.Capital/ D.No.120/26, dated 10-06-2026 and Lr.No.AAE/ OP/ Ramalayam/ D-XXVI/ F.No.Capital/D.No.185/26 dated 25-07-2026, during the pendency of the Writ Petition, in the interest of justice and pass, Pending disposal of WP No 26406 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The Court made the following:

ORDER:

Notice before admission.

Learned Government Pleader for Energy takes notice for respondent Nos.1 to 6.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is permitted to take out personal notice to respondent No.7 through Speed Post with Acknowledgment Due and file proof of service of the same.

List on 09.09.2026.

In the meanwhile, there shall be interim suspension as prayed for.

SD/- REKHA RANI. B

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Energy Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Chairman and Managing Director, Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited, Mint Compound, Hyderabad.
3. The Superintending Engineer, Operations, Hyderabad Central Circle, TGSPDCL, Mint Compound, Hyderabad.
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5. The Assistant Divisional Engineer, Operations, Amberpet Sub-Division, TGSPDCL, Hyderabad.
6. The Additional Assistant Engineer, Operations, Ramalayam Section, Amberpet Sub-Division, TGSPDCL, Hyderabad.
7. The President/Secretary, Bagh Amberpet Welfare Society, Bagh Amberpet, Hyderabad - 500013. [RR1 to 7 by SPAD-along with a copy of petition and affidavit]
8. One CC to Sri. C KUMAR, Advocate [OPUC]
9. Two CCs to GP FOR ENERGY, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad [OUT]
10. One spare copy



HIGH COURT

NBK, J

DATED: 12-08-2026

LIST ON: 09.09.2026

NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION

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SUSPENSION

