

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

FRIDAY, THE SEVENTH DAY OF AUGUST
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

**:PRESENT:
THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE K. SARATH**

CONTEMPT CASE NO: 2944 OF 2025

Between:

D.Mallaiah, S/o. Lakshmaiah

Petitioner/Decree Holder

AND

1. Sri Gopal, District Agriculture Officer, Near Sidhartha Junior College, PACS Building, 1st Floor, Vikarabad District
Contemnor No.1/Respondent No.3
2. Sri Prateek Jain, The District Collector, Vikarabad, Vikarabad District
Contemnor No.2/Respondent No.5
3. Sri M. Veerappa, Assistant Director of Agriculture, Pargi Division, Vikarabad District.
(R-3 is impleaded as per Court order dated 24-04-2026 in I.A. No.1 of 2026 in C.C. No. 2944 of 2025)

Respondent

WHEREAS the petitioner has presented the Contempt Case under Sections 10 to 12 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, through his counsel Ms. Vasudha Nagaraj, praying the High Court to punish the Contemnor No.1/Respondent No.3 and Contemnor No.2/Respondent No.5 herein for willfully violating the order dated 08-11-2024 passed in W.P. No 25393 of 2023;

Counsel for the Petitioner : Ms. VASUDHA NAGARAJ

**Counsel for Respondent Nos. 1 & 2 : GOVT. PLEADER FOR AGRICULTURE
AND COOPERATION**

WHEREAS the said case coming on for hearing, and whereas the High Court, upon perusing the affidavit filed therein, and the earlier orders dated 31-10-2025 & 10-07-2026, made the following;

ORDER:

Learned Government Pleader for Agriculture seeks time to file counter on behalf of the respondent No.3.

Post on 21-08-2026 for counter.

The appearance of the respondent No.3 is dispensed with.

**Sd/- K.AMMAJI
DEPUTY REGISTRAR**

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SECTION OFFICER

To

1. Sri M. Veerappa, Assistant Director of Agriculture, Pargi Division, Vikarabad District. **(BY SPAD)**
2. Two CCs to GP for Agriculture, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad (OUT)
3. One CC to Ms. Vasudha Nagaraju, Advocate (OPUC)
4. One Spare Copy

HIGH COURT

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DATE: 07-08-2026

NOTE: POST ON 21-08-2026

ORDER

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**DISPENSING WITH THE APPEARANCE
OF RESPONDENT NO.3**

