

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

MONDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF JANUARY

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE N.V.SHRAVAN KUMAR

WRIT PETITION NO: 38231 OF 2025

Between:

1. ABBA NARASIMHA, S/o. ABBA RAMULU.
2. K. Paramesh, S/o K.Dakhya.
3. YERRADI RAJESH, S/o BHASKAR RAO.
4. Pasupula Kamalakar, S/o KURUMIAH.
5. SUBHADRAMMA, S/o BHASKAR RAO.
6. K. Dakya, S/o. Katravath Devla
7. K.Devuli, W/o.K. Dakya

Petitioners

AND

1. The STATE OF TELANGANA, Rep by its Principal secretary Mines and Geology Department, Hyderabad.
2. The Director of Mines and Geology Department, Hyderabad.
3. The Pollution Control board, Hyderabad, Telangana.
4. The Director of Vigilance and Enforcement, Hyderabad, Telangana.
5. The District Collector, Integrated collector complex, Wanaparthi, Telanagana.
6. The Assistant Director Mines, Wanaparthi District, Telangana.
7. The Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, wanaparthi District.
8. The Tahsildar, Pangal Mandal, wanaparthi District.
9. M/s SRI GANESH Mines and Minerals, Rep By its proprietor Sri P Janga Reddy S/o Late YadiReddy Occupation. Business. R/O H.NO 9-5-61, Rajreddy Nagar, Champapet, 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 please to issued a writ or order or direction. More particularly in the nature of writ of mandamus or any other appropriate writ against the official respondents in not taking a stringent action against the unofficial respondent for conducting the illegal unauthorised mining operations in the lands not leased out to the unofficial respondent especially covered in Sy. No. 243, 244 and 245 is illegal unlawful, arbitrary against Articles 14, 19, 21 and 300A of the Constitution of India and also against the principles of natural justice and also against the established law consequently direct the respondents to take appropriate action against respondent number 9 consequently curb the illegal unlawful mining operation conducting in the not leased out land conducted by respondent in the Sy. No. numbers 243, 244, 245 situated at Remadulla village, Pangal mandal, Wanaparthi district.

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and the order of the High Court order dated 15-12-2025 made herein and upon hearing the arguments of Dr. RAVI KUMAR N, Advocate for the Petitioners and GP FOR MINES AND GEOLOGY for the Respondent Nos.1, 2, 6 and Sri Zeeshan Adnan Mohammed, Advocate for the Respondent No.3 and GP for Enforcement for the Respondent No.4 and GP for Revenue for the Respondent Nos. 5 and 8 and GP for Irrigation, for the Respondent No.7, the Court made the following.

ORDER:

The grievance of the petitioners is that unofficial respondent No.9 is conducting illegal and unauthorized mining operations on lands that have not been leased out, especially the lands covered under Survey Nos.243, 244 and 245.

Learned Senior Counsel appearing for the petitioners would submit that the lands of the petitioners are situated adjacent to the land in Survey No.243.

Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Irrigation and Command Area Development would submit the Executive Engineer has addressed a letter dated 01.12.2025 to the Assistant Director of Mines and Geology Department, regarding the illegal mining, excavation of the tank bund and encroachment of Gollakunta Tank. He further submits that a case was registered against respondent No.9 vide Crime No.49 of 2023 under Sections 447, 427 IPC & Section 3 of PDPP Act and charge sheet was filed before the JFCM, Wanaparthy, and now the case is taken on file as C.C.No.695 of 2023 and in communication, requested respondent No.6 to take immediate action for stoppage of mining activities.

Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Mines and Geology seeks time to get instructions.

In view of the letter issued by the Executive Engineer regarding the illegal mining insofar as Survey No.243 is concerned, crime has already been registered, respondent No.9 is directed not to conduct any mining activities in Survey No.243 situated at Remadulla Village, Pangal Mandal, Wanaparthy District, for a period of four (04) weeks.

List on 09.02.2026.

SD/-K.MADHAVI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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To,

1. The Principal Secretary Mines and Geology Department, State of Telangana, Hyderabad.

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10. One CC to Dr. RAVI KUMAR N Advocate [OPUC]
11. Two CCs to GP FOR MINES AND GEOLOGY, High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT]
12. Two CCs to GP FOR Enforcement, High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT]
13. Two CCs to GP FOR Revenue, High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT]
14. Two CCs to GP FOR Irrigation, High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT]
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DATED:05/01/2026

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DIRECTION

