



**(SHOW CAUSE NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION)
THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD**

TUESDAY, THE ELEVENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

:PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR JUKANTI
WRIT PETITION NO: 28467 OF 2016**

Between:

1. Vattikonda Sambasiva Rao, S/o late Nageswara Rao
2. Vattikonda Appa Rao, S/o late Nageswara Rao
3. Vattikonda Papa Rao, S/o late Nageswara Rao
4. Kothapally Nageswara Rao, S/o late Nancharaiah
5. Medarametla Veeraiah, S/o Raghavaiah
6. Ravikanti Manohar Rao, S/o late Ram mohan Rao
7. Medarametla Venkata Chowdari, S/o Koteswar Rao

Petitioners

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Revenue Department, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The District Collector, Khammam, Khammam District.
3. The Joint Collector, Khammam, Khammam District.
4. The Revenue Divisional Officer,, Kothagudem, Khammam District.
5. The Tahasildar, Kothagudem, Khammam District.
6. The District Forest Officer of Kothagudem, Kothagudem District.
7. The District Forest Officer of Khammam, Khammam District.

RR6 and 7 are suo moto impleaded as per C.O.dt.11.11.2025.

Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioners above named through their Advocate SRI KOWTURU PAVAN 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 writ or direction preferably writ of mandamus declaring the show cause notices dt.11-8-2016 issued by the respondent no.2 i.e. bearing Rc. No. E3/1496/2009/25 (addressed to the late father of petitioner nos. 1 to 3) Rc. No. E3/1496/2009/55 issued to the petitioner no.4; Rc. No.E3/1496/2009/54 issued to the petitioner no.5 and Rc. No. E3/1496/2009/23 addressed to the late father of the petitioner no.6 and Rc. No. E3/1496/2009/44 issued to the petitioner no.7 for cancellation of pattedar pass books and title deeds in respect of lands in Sy.no.17 of Laxmidevipally(v) Kothagudem(M) of Khammam District, concerning the writ petitioners as illegal, arbitrary, contrary to record, without jurisdiction and violative of principles of natural justice and consequently set aside the said show cause notices dt.11-8- 2016.

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and affidavit filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri KOWTURU PAVAN KUMAR Advocate



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for the Petitioner, directed issue of notice to the Respondent Nos. 6 and 7 to show cause as to why this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

1. The District Forest Officer of Kothagudem, Kothagudem District.
2. The District Forest Officer of Khammam, Khammam District.

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are directed to show cause on or before 02.12.2025 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, the Court made the following

ORDER:

Having perused the entire record, this Court is of the opinion that the District Forest Officers, Kothagudem and Khammam, are necessary parties and have to be arrayed as party respondents. Order I Rule 10 CPC read with Rule 24 of the Writ Rules, permits the Court to add necessary parties. Having considered the subject matter, this Court is of the opinion that the District Forest Officers of Kothagudem and Khammam be impleaded as party respondents (suo-motu).

Registry is directed to issue notice to the impleaded respondents, returnable in three (3) weeks.

Registry shall make an endorsement after issuing notices.

In the meanwhile, the Revenue Department shall file counter.

Post on 02.12.2025.

SD/- A. JAYASREE
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER



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To,

1. The District Forest Officer of Kothagudem, Kothagudem District. (by RPAD- along with a copy of petition and memorandum of grounds)
2. The District Forest Officer of Khammam, Khammam District.
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(Addressess 1 and 2 by RPAD- along with a copy of petition and memorandum of grounds)
3. One CC to SRI. KOWTURU PAVAN KUMAR Advocate [OPUC]
4. Two CCs to GP FOR REVENUE (TG), High Court at Hyderabad. [OUT]
5. The Section Officer, Writ Section (Non-Service), High Court (with a direction to follow the directions of the Hon'ble Court)
6. One Spare Copy



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DATED: 11/11/2025

Post on 02.12.2025



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