IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH :: AMARAVATI

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

MONDAY, THE EIGHTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR

## PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE OR JUSTICE K MANMADHA RAO

WRIT PETITION NOS: 22267, 23060 AND 23171 OF 2015

WRIT PETITION No. 22267 of 2015

#### Between:

Y.Satish Reddy, S/o. Shankar Reddy, aged about 52 years, Occ. Agriculture, R/o. D.No.16/3/1421, Street No.2, Haranadhapuram, Nellore.

...Petitioner

#### AND

- 1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep, by its Principle Secretary, Department of Mines & Geology, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
- 2. The Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Tankbund Road, Hyderabad.
- 3. The Deputy Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Koratapadu, Guntur.
- 4. The Asst. Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Nellore.
- 5. The Tahsildar, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District., -

...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 a Writ or order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the respondents No.2 to 4 in not permitting the petitioner to excavate Silt of 80362 Cbm existing in the land to an extent of 20 Acres in Sy.No.946, Padamatipalem Village, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District as arbitrary, illegal and violative of Article 14 and 21 of the Constitution of India and consequently direct the respondents to grant permission to the petitioner as sought for vide representation dt.06-02-2015 to excavate Silt existing in the land.

# I.A. NO: 1 OF 2015(WPMP. NO: 28720 OF 2015)

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 direct the Respondents to consider the applications dt.6-2-2015 submitted by the petitioner seeking permission to excavate Silt of 80362 Cbm existing in the land to an extent of 20 Acres in Sy.No.946, Padamatipalem Village, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, pending disposal of the main Writ Petition pending disposal of the above writ petition.

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI. D PANDURANGA REDDY

Counsel for the Respondent Nos. 1 to 4: GP FOR MINES AND GEOLOGY

Counsel for the Respondent No.5: GP FOR REVENUE

WRIT PETITION NO: 23060 OF 2015

#### Between:

B. Ramanareddy, S/o. B. Narapu Reddy, Aged about 52 years, Occ: Agriculture, R/o. D.No. 16-6-40, Srinivasa Agraharam, Nellore.

...Petitioner

### **AND**

- 1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Department of Mines & Geology, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
- 2. The Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Tankbund Road, Hyderabad.
- 3. The Deputy Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Kotatapadu, Guntur.
- 4. The Asst. Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Nellore.
- 5. The Tahsildar, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District.

...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 a Writ or Order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the respondents No.2 to 4 in not permitting the petitioner to excavate Silt of 37,140 Cbm existing in the land to an extent of 15 Acres in Sy.No.1304/4, 1306/1 & 2 of Vengareddy Palem Village, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, as arbitrary, illegal and violative of Article 14 and 21 of the Constittion of India and consequently direct the respondents to grant permission to the petitioner as sought for vide representation dt. 6.7.2015 to excavate Silt existing in the land.

# I.A. NO: 1 OF 2015(WPMP. NO: 29813 OF 2015)

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 direct the Respondents to consider the application dt. 6.7.2015 / submitted by the petitioner seeking permission to excavate Silt of 37,140

Cbm existing in the land to an extent of 15 Acres in Sy.No.1304/4, 1306/1 & 2 of Vengareddy Palem Village, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, pending disposal of the main writ petition.

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI. D PANDURANGA REDDY

Counsel for the Respondent Nos. 1 to 4: GP FOR MINES AND GEOLOGY

Counsel for the Respondent No. 5: GP FOR REVENUE

# **WRIT PETITION NO: 23171 OF 2015**

## Between:

K.Uma Mahešwara Rao, S/o. K.Mallikarjuna, Aged about 45, Occ: Agriculture, R/o. Venkatareddy Nagar, Vedayapalem, Nellore.

...Petitioner

#### AND

- 1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep by its Principle Secretary, Department of Mines & Geology, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
- 2. The Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Tankbund Road, Hyderabad.
- 3. The Deputy Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Koratapadu, Guntur.
- 4. The Asst. Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Nellore.
- 5. The Tahsildar, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District.,

...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 a Writ or order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the respondents No.2 to 4 in not permitting the petitioner to excavate Silt of 22,904 Cbm existing in the land to an extent of Ac. 2.11 Cents in Sy.No.569 of Padamatipalem Village, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District as arbitrary, illegal and violative of Article 14 and 21 of the Constitution of India and consequently direct the respondents to grant permission to the petitioner as sought for vide representation dt.6-7-2015 to excavate Silt existing in the land.

# I.A. NO: 1 OF 2015(WPMP. NO: 29970 OF 2015)

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 Respondents to consider the applications dt.6-7-2015 submitted by the petitioner seeking permission to excavate Silt of 22,904 Cbm existing in the land to an extent of Ac. 2.11 Cents in Sy.No.569 of Padamatipalem Village, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, pending disposal of the main Writ Petition.

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI. D PANDURANGA REDDY

Counsel for the Respondent Nos. 1 to 4: GP FOR MINES AND GEOLOGY

Counsel for the Respondent No. 5: GP FOR REVENUE

The Court made the following common order:

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Y.Satish Reddy, S/o. Shankar Reddy,

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AND

The State Of Andhra Pradesh Rep and Others

...RESPONDENT(S)

Counsel for the Petitioner:

1.D PANDURANGA REDDY

Counsel for the Respondent(S):

1.GP FOR MINES AND GEOLOGY (AP)

The Court made the following:

## **COMMON ORDER:-**

These Writ Petitions arise out of the same issue and therefore are being disposed of by a common order.

2. The main grievance of the petitioners is that the respondents in not permitting the petitioners to excavate Silt existing in the subject land situated in Padamatipalem Village and Vengareddy Palem Village, Sangam Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, inspite of several representations made by them is

highly illegal and arbitrary and the writ petitions came to be filed to direct the respondents to grant permission to the petitioners as sought for representations to excavate Silt existing in the subject land.

- 3. Heard Mr. Y. Subba Rao, learned counsel for the petitioners and Ms. P.Sudeepti, learned Assistant Government Pleader, Mines and Geology for the respondents.
- 4. On 17.07.2015, this Court passed interim order vide W.P.M.P.No. 28720 of 2015 in W.P.No.22267 of 2015 directed the respondents 3 and 4 to consider the representations, said to have been made by the petitioners and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law, within a period of one month from the date of receipt of a copy of the said order.
- 5. Learned Assistant Government Pleader for the respondents categorically submitted that in view of the interim order dated 17.07.2015 passed by this Court, no further orders are required to be passed in this writ petition, as this Court directed the respondents to consider the representations of the petitioners, which is sufficient to meet the ends of justice.
- 6. Recording the submissions of both the counsel, this Court finds that in view of interim order passed by this Court, the cause in these writ petitions do not survive, hence it is felt that no further orders are required to be passed in these writ petitions.

7. Accordingly, these Writ Petitions are closed. There shall be no order as to costs.

As a sequel thereto, miscellaneous petitions, if any, pending shall stand closed.

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Sd/- M.PRABHAKAR RAO ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

SECTION OFFICER

To,

- 1. One CC to Sri. D Panduranga Reddy Advocate [OPUC]
- 2. Two CCs to GP for Mines and Geology, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
- 3. Two CCs to GP For Revenue, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
- 4. Three CD Copies

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HIGH COURT
DATED:18/11/2024

COMMON ORDER WP.No.22267, 23060 AND 23171 OF 2015



CLOSING OF THE WPS
WITHOUT COSTS