

HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH :: AMARAVATHI

**MAIN CASE NO: CONTEMPT CASE No.3221 OF 2023
PROCEEDING SHEET**

Sl. No.	DATE	ORDER	OFFICE NOTE
05	06.10.2023	<p><u>RC, J:</u></p> <p>The learned counsel for the 1st respondent submitted that there is no disobedience on the part of the 1st respondent in complying with the orders of this Court. The 1st respondent did all the things that are in her administrative control and now the issue is pending with finance department, over which the petitioner has no control. Therefore, since there is no disobedience on the part of the 1st respondent, she may kindly be exonerated.</p> <p>The 1st respondent filed counter-affidavit contending that subsequent to the orders passed by this Court in W.P.No.3449 of 2022, the petitioner requested the 3rd respondent- VC & MD, APSCCFC Ltd., Tadepalli for compliance of the orders, through letter dated 08.05.2023. Pursuantly, the 3rd respondent sent due payment proposal to this respondent vide Rc.No.LC/940/APSC/2023, dated 25.05.2023 and this respondent sent the due payment proposal to the Finance (FMU.WEL.I) Department with a request to release the amount for clearance of pending bills</p>	contd..

		<p>payable to the petitioner. The issue is pending with the Finance Department, over which this respondent will not have any control. The 1st respondent, in obedience to the orders of this Court, had done her duty within her control. Thus, there is no disobedience to the orders of this Court as alleged by the petitioner. Hence, prayed to exonerate her from this Contempt Case.</p> <p>The material filed along with the counter filed by the 1st respondent makes it clear that the 1st respondent has forwarded the due payment proposal sent to her by the 3rd respondent and now the issue is pending with the Finance Department, the functions of which are beyond the control of the 1st respondent. In view of the same, the 1st respondent is exonerated for the time being leaving it open to the petitioner to file memo seeking to proceed against her in future, if necessity arises.</p> <p>Considering the contents of the counter-affidavit filed by the 1st respondent, the 1st respondent is exonerated from this Contempt Case for the time being.</p> <p>Admit against respondent Nos.2 to 4. Post on 10.11.2023.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">_____ RC, J</p> <p>RR</p>	
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