

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI

TUESDAY, THE TWENTIETH DAY OF AUGUST,

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR

:PRESENT:

HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE R RAGHUNANDAN RAO ✓

AND

HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE HARINATH.N ✓

CONTEMPT APPEAL NO: 149 OF 2024 ✓

**Between:**

Ronanki Ramesh, S/o. L.Radha Krishna (late), Aged about 58 years,  
Presently working as District Leprosy, AIDS & TB Officer, Kakinada  
District.

**... Appellant/Contemnor No.4/Respondent No.4**

**AND**

1. Godapatti Moses, S/o Yeshayya, Hindu, aged about 50 years, Occ: Un  
employee, R/o. D.No. 195/2, Surya Veedhi, Velampalem,  
Ramachandrapuram Mandal, Dr B R Ambedkar Konaseema District,  
Old East Godavari District.

**...Respondent/Contempt Petitioner/Writ Petitioner**

2. Sri M Krishna Babu, S/o. Not know to the Petitioner, Hindu, Principal  
Secretary to Government, Health Medical and Family Welfare,  
Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.
3. V Ramireddy, S/o. Not know to the Petitioner, Hindu, The Director of  
Medical and Health Service, Govt of Andhra Pradesh, Gollapudi,  
Vijayawada, Krishna District.
4. Smt Krithika Shukla, I.A.S., W/o.Himnshu Sukhla, The District Collector,  
East Godavari, Kakinada, East Godavari District.

**...Respondents/Contemnors No.1 to 3/Respondents No.1 to 3  
(Respondents No. 2 to 4 herein are only proforma parties in this  
appeal)**



Appeal under Section 19 of Contempt of Courts Act, 1971, praying that in the circumstances stated in the grounds filed in support thereof, the High Court may be pleased to allow the Contempt Appeal by setting aside the part of Common Orders dated 08.07.2024 in C.C.No.2933 of 2023 by the Learned Single Judge to the extent of directing the appellant to undergo simple imprisonment for a term of six (06) months and to pay a fine of Rs.2,000/- (Rupees Two Thousand Only).

**IA NO: 2 OF 2024**

Petition under Section 19(2)(a) of Contempt of Courts Act, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the operation of Common Orders dated 08.07.2024 passed in C.C.No.2933 of 2023 directing the appellant herein/respondent No.4 therein to undergo simple imprisonment for a term of (6) months and to pay a fine of Rs.2,000/- (Rupees Two Thousand Only), pending disposal of CA 149 of 2024, on the file of the High Court.

The Appeal coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Appeal and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Smt. S.Pranathi, Advocate for Petitioners, the Court made the following

**ORDER:**

**“Post on 04.09.2024 along with C.A.Nos.19 and 22 of 2024.**

**There shall be interim stay of operation of the impugned judgment of the learned Single Judge dated 08.07.2024, till further orders.**

**Print the name of Sri V.V.Prabhakar Rao for the respondents.”**

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**SD/- S.V.S.R.MURTHY  
JOINT REGISTRAR**

  
**SECTION OFFICER**

To,

1. The Registrar (Judicial), High Court of A.P., Amaravati.
2. Godapatti Moses, S/o Yeshayya, Hindu, aged about 50 years, Occ: Un employee, R/o. D.No. 195/2, Surya Veedhi, Velampalem, Ramachandrapuram Mandal, Dr B R Ambedkar Konaseema District, Old East Godavari District. (by **SPEED POST**)
3. The Section Officer, O.S.Section, High Court of A.P.
4. One CC to SMT. S.PRANATHI, Advocate [OPUC]
5. One CC to SRI V.V.PRABHAKAR RAO, Advocate [OPUC]
6. Two Spare Copies.

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**HIGH COURT**

**RRR,J**

**&**

**HN,J**

**DATED:20/08/2024**

**NOTE: POST ON 04.09.2024 ALONG WITH C.A.NOS.19 AND 22 OF 2024**

**ORDER**

**CA.No.149 of 2024**

**INTERIM STAY**

