

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH: AT AMARAVATI

[3332]

WEDNESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF AUGUST
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY THREE

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE RAVI CHEEMALAPATI

IA No. 1 OF 2023

IN

WP NO: 19283 OF 2023

Between:

R.Veeraswamy Naidu, S/o.Ramaprasad, aged 49 years, R/o Burugagudem Village,
Reddygudem Mandal, NTR District.

...Petitioner

(Petitioner in WP 19283 OF 2023
on the file of High Court)

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep.by its Principal Secretary, Energy, Infrastructure and Investment Department, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
2. Andhra Pradesh Central Power Distribution Corporation Ltd, Rep. by its Chairman & Managing Director, Corporate Office, Beside Polytechnic College ITI Road, Vijayawada.
3. The Executive Engineer, Operations APCPDCL, Nuzivid.
4. The Deputy Executive Engineer, Operations, Visannapeta.
5. The Chief Vigilance Officer, APTS, Vijayawada.
6. The Assistant Engineer, Operations APCPDCL, Rangapuram, Reddygudem.

...Respondent(s)

(Respondents in-do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI.SAI MANOJ REDDY L.

Counsel for the Respondent No.1: GP FOR ENERGY

Counsel for the Respondent Nos.2 TO 6: SRI.V.R.REDDY KOVVURI, STANDING COUNSEL

Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the Provisional Assessment Notice For Theft of Electricity issued by the 4th respondent vide letter No.DPE/NUZV/VSNP/6961/23, dated 06.07.2023, pending final adjudication of the writ petition, pending disposal of W.P.No.19283 of 2023, on the file of the High Court.

The court while directing issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this application should not be complied with, made the following order.(The receipt of this order will be deemed to be the receipt of notice in the case). The Court made the following:

ORDER:

This application is filed for interim suspension of the Provisional Assessment Notice for theft of Electricity issued by the 4th respondent *vide* letter No.DPE/NUZV/VSNP/ 6961/23, dated 06.07.2023.

Heard both sides.

Sri V.R.Reddy Kovvuri, learned Standing Counsel for APCPDCL, on instructions, submitted that they have already disconnected the power supply so mentioned in the show-cause notice.

Taking the submissions made by both the learned counsel into consideration, this Court is inclined to pass the following interim order:

Respondents are hereby directed not to take any coercive steps further, till 07.08.2023.

Sd/- T. MADHAVI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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For /

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Energy, Infrastructure and Investment Department, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
2. The Chairman & Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Central Power Distribution Corporation Ltd., Corporate Office, Beside Polytechnic College ITI Road, Vijayawada.
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(1 to 6 by RPAD)
7. One CC to SRI.SAI MANOJ REDDY L. Advocate [OPUC]
8. Two CCs to GP for Energy, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
9. One CC to Sri.V.R.Reddy Kovvuri, Standing Counsel (OPUC)
10. One spare copy

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DATED:02/08/2023

NOTE: POST THE MATTER ON 07.08.2023, IN THE MOTION LIST

ORDER

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DIRECTION

