



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH: AT AMARAVATHI

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

MONDAY, THE TWENTY FOURTH DAY OF APRIL
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY THREE

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE RAVI CHEEMALAPATI

WRIT PETITION NO: 3076 OF 2023

Between:

M.P.Srinivas Reddy, S/o. M.Ramchandra Reddy, Aged about 54 years,
Occ: Contractor, D.No.25-5-69/31A, 15th Cross, Sri Krishna Nagar, M.R. Palli,
Tirupati Chittoor District.

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by Police Housing Corporation Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravathi.
2. Andhra Pradesh Police Housing Corporation Ltd., Rep. by its Vice-chairperson and Managing Director, 6th Floor AP Police Tech Towers Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
3. The Chief Engineer, Andhra Pradesh Police Housing Corporation Ltd, Vijayawada, Krishna District.
4. The General Manager, (F), AP Police Housing Mangalagiri
5. The Executive Engineer, Andhra Pradesh Police Housing Corporation Ltd., Kadapa, YSR Kadapa District.
6. The Register, Sri Padamavathi Mahila Visvavidhyalam (Women's University) Tirupati.
7. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by Principal Secretary, Department of Finance and Planning, Secretariat Buildings Velagapudi, Amaravathi.

Respondents

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therewith, the High Court may be pleased to a writ of Mandamus or any other appropriate writ or direction declaring the action of the Respondents in withholding the payment an amount Rs.23,42,631/- (CFMS No.- 2021-496409) and Rs.7,02,373/- Totally an amount of Rs.30,45,604/- even after finalizing the bills, payable to the petitioner in relation to the work i.e., Upgradation of Auditorium at Sri Padmavathi Mahila Visvavidyalam, Tirupathi, vide agreement bond No.MD/LS/TW-VII/155/2020-21, dated: 23-09-2020, as the same is illegal, arbitrary and consequently direct the respondents to consider for payment of Rs.23,42,631/- (CFMS No.- 2021-496409) and Rs.7,02,373/- Totally an amount of Rs. 30,45,604/- with interest @12% per annum for the delayed amount to the petitioner in respect of execution of above-mentioned work forthwith.

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Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed 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 for payment of final Bill amounts Rs.23,42,631/- (CFMS No.- 2021-496409) and Rs.7,02,373/- Totally an amount of Rs. 30,45,604/- with interest @12% per annum for the delayed amount to the petitioner in respect of execution of work i.e., Upgradation of Auditorium at Sri Padmavathi Mahila Visvavidyalam, Tirupathi, vide agreement bond No.MD/LS/TW VII/155/2020-21, dated. 23.09.2020, pending disposal of the Writ Petition No.3076 of 2023, on the file of the High Court.

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of SRI.SURESH KUMAR REDDY KALAVA Advocate for the Petitioner, learned GP for Cooperation for the Respondent No.1, Sri.K.C.Venkat Reddy, learned Standing Counsel for Respondent Nos.2 to 5 and Sri.Manikya Veena Mekapothula, learned Standing Counsel for Respondent No.7, the Court made the following.

ORDER:

Pursuant to the directions of this Court, the 2nd respondent-Managing Director appeared before this Court and submitted that he will instruct his subordinates to be more meticulous in sending instructions to the learned Standing Counsel.

The 2nd respondent-Managing Director's appearance is hereby dispensed with.

Post the matter on 01.05.2023.

Delete the matter from the caption 'For Appearance'.

**SD/-K.KASIRAO ACHARI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

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For ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

To,

1. The Police Housing Corporation Department, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravathi.
2. The Vice- chairperson and Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Police Housing Corporation Ltd., 6th Floor AP Police Tech Towers Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
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7. The Principal Secretary, Department of Finance and Planning, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravathi. (1 to 7 by RPAD)
8. One CC to SRI.SURESH KUMAR REDDY KALAVA Advocate [OPUC]
9. Two CCs to GP for Cooperation, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
10. One CC to Sri.K.C.Venkat Reddy, Standing Counsel (OPUC)
11. One CC to Sri.Manikya Veena Mekapothula, Standing Counsel (OPUC)
12. One spare copy

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HIGH COURT

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DATED:24/04/2023

NOTE: POST THE MATTER ON 01.05.2023

ORDER

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DIRECTION

