APHC010164352015

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI**

**Bench Sr.No:-13 [3584]**

**WRIT PETITION NO: 20966 of 2015**

Allam Jaya Rao and others ...Petitioners

Vs.

The State of Andhra Pradesh and others ...Respondents

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**CORAM : THE CHIEF JUSTICE LISA GILL**
**SRI JUSTICE CHALLA GUNARANJAN**

**DATE : 10th November 2026**

Present :

Advocate for Petitioners : None

Advocates for Respondents : Ms. S. Pranathi, learned Special Government Pleader,

**LISA GILL, CJ.**

Prayer in this writ petition reads as under:-

> **"to issue a writ, order or direction more especially one in the nature of a writ of Mandamus:**
>
> **a) Declaring the notification issued by the Government of Andhra Pradesh in their G.O.Ms.No.166, dt.14.05.2015, Revenue (Land Acquisition) Department under sub-section (1) of Section 10A of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 (No.30 of 2013), as amended by the Ordinance No.5 of 2015, dt.30.05.2015, by the Government of India, may be declared as void;**
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> **b) declaring Sec.10A of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 (No.30 of 2013), introduced by Ordinance No.5 of 2015, dt.30.05.2015, by the Government of India, by repeated re-promulgations as void,**
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> **c) and to pass such other order or orders as this Hon'ble Court deems fit and proper in the circumstances of the case and in the interest of justice".**

2. Learned counsel for respondent points out that prayer in this writ petition has, in fact, been rendered infructuous, inasmuch as Andhra Pradesh Amendment Act, 2018 (Act No. 22 of 2018), i.e., the Right to Fair

Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement (Andhra Pradesh Amendment) Act, 2018 was promulgated, and has been upheld by Division Bench of this Court in the case of ***Datla Venkata Appala Prasadaraju Vs. State of Andhra Pradesh [2022 SCC Online AP 2526].***

3. There is no representation on behalf of petitioners. It appears that petitioners may no longer be interested in pursuing matter in view of subsequent developments.

4. Therefore, this writ petition is dismissed in default and for non prosecution.

5. Copy of this order be conveyed to petitioners at given address, with liberty to file an appropriate application within eight (8) weeks in case of any subsisting grievance. No costs.

Consequently, connected miscellaneous applications, if any, shall stand disposed of.

**LISA GILL, CJ**

Date: 10.11.2026 **CHALLA GUNARANJAN, J**

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Whether the order is Speaking/Reasoned : Yes
Whether the order is Reportable : No

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**HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL, CHIEF JUSTICE**
**&**
**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE CHALLA GUNARANJAN**

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