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IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY EIGHTH DAY OF OCTOBER TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE P.SAM KOSHY
AND
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE SUDDALA CHALAPATHI RAO

WRIT APPEAL NOS: 1177, 1141, 1142, 1143, 1145 AND 1148 OF 2026

W.A.NO: 1177 OF 2026

Writ Appeal under clause 15 of the Letters Patent Preferred Against Order Dated 21/08/2026 in WP.No.14231 of 2021 on the file of the High Court.

Between:

M/s. Gayatri Sugars Limited, B2, 2nd Floor, 6-3-1090, TSR Towers, Raj Bhavan Road, Somajiguda, Hyderabad, Telangana, Represented by its Managing Director, Mrs. T. Sarita Reddy
Having its Nizamsagar Unit at. Maagi, Nizamsagar Mandal, Kamareddy District, Telangana

...APPELLANT/WRIT PETITIONER

AND

1. Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited (TSNPDCL), H.No.2-5-31/2, Corporate Office, Vidyut Bhavan, Nakkalagutta, Hanamkonda, Warangal District, Telangana - 506001, Represented by its Chairman and Managing Director.
2. The Chief General Manager (IPC and RAC), Operation Circle, TSNPDCL, Warangal, Telangana.
3. Transmission Corporation of Telangana Limited (TSTRANSCO), Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad - 500 082, Represented by its Chairman and Managing Director

...RESPONDENTS

I.A. NO: 1 OF 2026

Petition under Section 151 CPC 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 the impugned order dated 21.08.2026 in W.P. No. 14231 of 2021

and batch, and direct the Respondents not to take any steps to recover the amounts in pursuance of the demand in pursuance of the impugned order.

Counsel for the Appellant: Ms. MAMATA CHOUDARY FOR
Ms. CHALLA KIRANMAYEE
Counsel for the Respondents: SRI A.CHANDRA SHAKER, SC FOR TSNPDCL
FOR THE ADVOCATE GENERAL

WA NO: 1141 OF 2026

Writ Appeal under clause 15 of the Letters Patent preferred against the Order dated 21/08/2026 in W.P.No. 29774 of 2023. on the file of the High Court.

Between:

M/s. Zuari Cement Limited, (Formerly known as Sitapuram Power Limited), Having its unit at Sitapuram, Dondapadu, Nalgonda District, Telangana - 508 246. Rep. by its Plant Head, Sri K. Papa Rao S/o. K. Adinarayana Prasad

...APPELLANT

AND

1. Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited (TSSPDCL), Mint Compound, Hyderabad, Telangana Rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director.
2. The Chief General Manager (Revenue), Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited, Office, 3rd Floor, Mint Compound, Hyderabad, Telangana
3. The Chief General Manager (IPC), Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited, Office, 3rd Floor, Mint Compound, Hyderabad, Telangana
4. The Superintending Engineer, Operation Circle, TSSPDCL, Suryapet, Telangana

...RESPONDENTS

I.A. NO: 1 OF 2026

Petition under Section 151 CPC 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 the impugned order dated 21.08.2026 in W.P. No. 29774 of 2023, consequently direct the Respondents not to take any coercive steps including that of disconnection of power supply to the Appellant in pursuance of the demand in pursuance of the impugned order.

Counsel for the Appellant: Ms. MAANASA.K
Counsel for the Respondents: SRI N.SREEDHAR REDDY, SC FOR TGSPDCL
FOR THE ADVOCATE GENERAL

WA NO: 1142 OF 2026

Writ Appeal under clause 15 of the Letters Patent Preferred Against Order Dated 21/08/2026 in WP.No.30905 of 2023 on the file of the High Court.

Between:

M/s. AGI Greenpac Ltd (Formerly known as HSIL Limited), Having its Regd. Office at No. 2, Red Cross Plus, Kolkata-1, West Bengal -700001. Rep. by its Chief Financial officer, Mr. O.P. Pandey.
Unit. Glass Factory Road, off. Motinagar, P.B. No. 1930, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad-500 018 HT Service Connection No. BJH-369.

...APPELLANT/WRIT PETITIONER

AND

1. Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Ltd., Corporate Office, Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana Rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director.
2. The Chief General Manager (Revenue), Corporate Office, Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana.
3. The Superintending Engineer, Operation Circle, TSSPDCL, Banjara Hills, Telangana.
4. The Senior Accounts Officer, Operation Circle, TSSPDCL, Banjara Hills, Telangana.
5. Transmission Corporation of Telangana Limited, (TSTransco), Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad. Telangana - 500 082, Rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director.

...RESPONDENTS

I.A. NO: 1 OF 2026

Petition under Section 151 CPC 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 the impugned order dated 21.08.2026 in W.P. No. 30905 of 2023, and direct the Respondents not to take any coercive steps including that of disconnection of power supply to the Appellant in pursuance of the demand in pursuance of the impugned order.

Counsel for the Appellant: Ms. MAMATA CHOUDARY FOR
Ms. CHALLA KIRANMAYEE
Counsel for the Respondents: SRI N.SREEDHAR REDDY, SC FOR TGSPDCL
FOR THE ADVOCATE GENERAL

WA NO: 1143 OF 2026

Writ Appeal under clause 15 of the Letters Patent Preferred Against Order Dated 21/08/2026 in WP.No. 1573 of 2024 on the file of the High Court.

Between:

M/s. The India Cements Limited, Corporate Office. 93, Santhome High Road, Karapagam Avenue, Raja Annamalaipuram, Chennai - 600 028.
Unit At. Vishnupuram, Wadapally, Nalgonda District. Telangana- 508 355. Rep. by its Deputy Manager Legal, Sri G. Pramod Kumar, S/o. Late Vijay Kumar, HT Service Connection No. NLG - 162.

...APPELLANT/WRIT PETITIONER

AND

1. Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Ltd, Corporate Office, Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana Rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director
2. The Chief General Manager (Revenue), Corporate Office, Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana.
3. The Superintending Engineer, Operation Circle, TSSPDCL, Nalgonda, Telangana.
4. The Senior Accounts Officer, Operation Circle, TSSPDCL, Miryalguda, Nalgonda, Telangana
5. The Divisional Engineer, Operation Circle, TSSPDCL, Miryalguda, Nalgonda, Telangana.
6. Transmission Corporation of Telangana Limited (TSTransco), Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana - 500 082 Represented by its Chairman and Managing Director

...RESPONDENTS

I.A. NO: 1 OF 2026

Petition under Section 151 CPC praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in supoort of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the operation of the impugned order dated 21.08.2026 in W.P.No.1573 of 2024, and direct the Respondents not to take any coercive steps including that of disconnection of power supply to the Appellant in pursuance of the demand in pursuance of the impugned order.

Counsel for the Appellant: Ms. MAANASA.K
Counsel for the Respondents: SRI N.SREEDHAR REDDY, SC FOR TGSPDCL
FOR THE ADVOCATE GENERAL

WA NO: 1145 OF 2026

Writ Appeal under clause 15 of the Letters Patent preferred against the orders dated 21-08-2026 in W.P.No.34631 of 2023 on the file of the High Court.

Between:

M/s. India Cements Limited, R/o. White House Block III B, III Floor, 6-3-1192/1/1, Kundanbagh, Begumpet, Hyderabad, Telangana - 500 016, Rep by its Deputy Manager Legal, G Pramod Kumar S/o Late Vijay Kumar,
Unit at, Malkapur, Tandur Mandal, Rangareddy District- 501157 HT Service Connection No. VKB-708

...APPELLANT/WRIT PETITIONER

AND

1. Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Ltd., Corporate Office, Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana Represented by its Chairman and Managing Director
2. The Superintending Engineer, Operation Circle, TSSPDCL, Vikarabad, Telangana
3. The Chief General Manager (Revenue), Corporate Office, Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana.

...RESPONDENTS

I.A. NO: 1 OF 2026

Petition under Section 151 CPC 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 the impugned order dated 21.08.2026, in W.P.No.34931 of 2023, consequently direct the Respondents not to take any coercive steps including that of disconnection of power supply to the Appellant in pursuance of the demand in pursuance of the impugned order.

Counsel for the Appellant: Ms. MAANASA.K
Counsel for the Respondents: SRI N.SREEDHAR REDDY, SC FOR TGSPDCL
FOR THE ADVOCATE GENERAL

WA NO: 1148 OF 2026

Writ Appeal under clause 15 of the Letters Patent Preferred Against Order Dated 01/08/2026 Passed in WP No 29946 of 2023 on the file of the High Court.

Between:

Zuari Cement Limited, Having its Regd. Office at Krishna Nagar, Yerraguntla, Kadapa, Andhra Pradesh - 516311. Rep. by its Authorized Signatory,
Unit. Sitapuram, Dondapadu, Suryapet District, HT Service Connection No. SPT-206.

...APPELLANT/WRIT PETITIONER

AND

1. Southern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Ltd, Corporate Office, Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana Rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director.
2. The Chief General Manager (Revenue), Corporate Office, Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana.
3. The Superintending Engineer, Operation Circle, TSSPDCL, Suryapet, Telangana.
4. Transmission Corporation of Telangana Ltd, (TSTransco), Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad, Telangana - 500 082, Rep. by its Chairman and Managing Director.

...RESPONDENTS

I.A. NO: 1 OF 2026

Petition under Section 151 CPC 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 the impugned order dated 21.08.2026 in W.P.No.29946 of 2023 and batch consequently direct the Respondents not to take any coercive steps including that of disconnection of power supply to the Petitioner in pursuance of the impugned demands.

Counsel for the Appellant: Ms. MAANASA.K
Counsel for the Respondents: SRI N.SREEDHAR REDDY, SC FOR TGSPDCL
FOR THE ADVOCATE GENERAL

The Court made the following: COMMON JUDGMENT

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

THE HON'BLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE P.SAM KOSHY
AND
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE SUDDALA CHALAPATHI RAO

WRIT APPEAL Nos.1177, 1141, 1142, 1143, 1145 and 1148 of 2026

Dated:28.10.2026

W.A.No.1177 of 2026

(CNR.No.HBHC010741512026)

Between:
M/s.Gayatri Sugars Limited

...Appellant

And

Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited (TSNPDCL) and others.

...Respondents

COMMON JUDGMENT: *(per the Hon'ble the Acting Chief Justice P.Sam Koshy)*

Heard Ms.Mamata Choudary, learned counsel representing Ms.Challa Kiranmayee, learned counsel for the appellants in WA.Nos.1177 and 1142 of 2026 and Mr. K. Gopal Choudary, learned Counsel representing Ms.Maanasa.K., learned counsel for the appellants in WA.No.1141, 1143, 1145 and 1148 of 2026; Mr.A.Chandra Shaker, learned Standing counsel for TSNPDCL, representing the learned Advocate General and Mr.N.Sreedhar Reddy, learned Standing Counsel for TGSPDCL., appearing for the respondents respectively. Perused the record.

2. Since the issue involved in all the appeals is one and the same, they are being heard together and disposed of by way of common judgment.

3. The present appeals have been filed against the orders in WP Nos.14231 of 2021, 29774 of 2023, 30905 of 2023, 1573 of 2024, 34931 of 2023 and 29946 of 2023 passed by the learned Single Bench on 21.08.2026.

4. Today, when the matter is taken up for hearing, the primary contention raised by the learned counsel appearing for the appellants is that, although, the factual matrix of these writ petitions and the grounds of challenge are identical, there is a variation in the findings recorded by the learned Single Bench in each of the writ petitions.

5. Learned Standing counsel appearing for respondent-Power Distribution Company submits that on due verification of the orders passed by the learned Single Bench, the respondent-power Distribution Company also have visualized the variations in each of the orders and they have decided to prefer a review petition before the learned Single Bench in respect of the same orders, which are under challenge in the present appeals.

6. Upon such submission being made by learned counsel appearing for the respondent-Power Distribution Company, we are of the considered opinion that since the respondent-Power Distribution Company itself is of

the view that the orders of learned Single Bench needs a review by the same Bench and for which, steps are being taken by the respondent-Power Distribution Company by way of filing a review petition. In view of the same, these writ appeals can be disposed of at this juncture with interim protection to the appellants to the extent that till the respondent-Power Distribution Company prefers review petitions before the learned Single Bench and the review petitions are decided, no coercive steps shall be taken against each of the appellants pursuant to the orders under challenge in the respective Writ Petitions. The reason for disposing of the writ appeals with interim protection is that it was brought to the notice of the Bench that interim protection had already been granted in favour of the appellants and that each of the appellants had duly complied with the conditions of such interim protection.

7. With the aforesaid observations, all the Writ Appeals stand disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

Miscellaneous applications pending, if any, shall stand closed.

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DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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To

1. The Chairman and Managing Director, Northern Power Distribution Company of Telangana Limited (TSNPDCL), H.No. 2-5-31/2, Corporate Office, Vidyut Bhavan, Nakkalagutta, Hanamkonda, Warangal District, Telangana – 506001.
2. The Chief General Manager (IPC and RAC), Operation Circle, TSNPDCL, Warangal, Telangana.
3. The Chairman and Managing Director, Transmission Corporation of Telangana Limited (TSTRANSCO), Vidyut Soudha, Hyderabad - 500 082

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4. The Chairman and Managing Director, Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited (TSSPDCL), Mint Compound, Hyderabad, Telangana.
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HIGH COURT

DATED: 28/10/2026

COMMON JUDGMENT

WA.Nos.1177, 1141, 1142, 1143, 1145 AND 1148 of 2026



DISPOSING OF THE WRIT APPEALS

WITHOUT COSTS.

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