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National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

(A Constitutional Body set up under Art. 338A of the Constitution of India)

File No. KNR/12/2016/STGAP/DEOTH/RU-IV

Dated: 18.06.2018

To,

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| (1) The Principal Secretary (MU & UD),<br>Government of Andhra Pradesh,<br>New Secretariat,<br>Velagapudi, Thullur,<br>Guntur Dist. (AP). | (2) The Principal Secretary,<br>Revenue Department,<br>Government of Andhra Pradesh,<br>Velgapudi,<br>Guntur District (AP) |
| (3) The Municipal Commissioner,<br>Municipality, Guntur<br>Government of Andhra Pradesh,<br>Guntur<br>(Andhra Pradesh)                    | (4) The District Magistrate,<br>Guntur District,<br>Andhra Pradesh.                                                        |

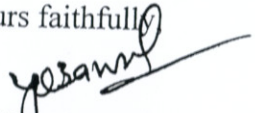
**Sub: Proceedings of the sitting taken by Hon'ble Member Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) on 22.05.2018 in the matter of Shri Koduri Narayana Rao, Forum for Social Justice, Guntur (AP) along with representation of residents of Ramanjaneyulu Colony II, Advitakkellapadu Village, Guntur regarding various grievances of STs.**

Sir,

I am directed to enclose a copy of the Proceedings of the Sitting held under the Chairmanship of Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes on 22.05.2018 on the above mentioned subject for perusal.

It is requested that action taken report in the matter may please be sent to the Commission within 30 days positively for placing the same before the Hon'ble Member, NCST.

Yours faithfully

  
(Y.K. Bansal)  
Research Officer

Copy to:-

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**NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES**

**File No. KNR/12/2016/STGAP/DEOTH/RU-IV**

Proceeding of the sitting held on 22.05.2018 before Smt Maya Chintamn Ivnate, Hon'ble Member, NCST in the matter of representation of Shri Shri K. Narayana Rao, President, Forum for Social Justice, Guntur along with representations of residents of Ramanjaneyulu Colony II, Advitakkellapadu Village, Guntur regarding Various grievances of STs.

Sitting on: 22.05.2018

List of Officers and Petitioner present: Annexure.

1. During the sitting, the petitioner, Shri K. Narayana Rao, has raised the grievances of residents of Ramanjaneyulu Colony II, Advitakkellapadu Village, Guntur regarding non providing minimum facilities like drainage, water, approach road etc. to the Colony.

The petitioner has alleged that the residents of Ramanjaneyulu Colony II, Advitakkellapadu Village, Guntur Municipal Corporation, Guntur (AP) has population of ST, SC, BC, OBC & Muslim minorities. The village people do not have minimum facilities like drainage, water, approach roads etc. to their colony, which was a government site occupied by them very long back. It has been requested to issue them pattas and sanction pakka houses to them.

2. The District Collector, Guntur has submitted a written report to the Commission. He further informed that the matter was inquired through Tehsildar Guntur. As per report of the Tehsildar, Guntur it was found that the habitation of Ramanjaneya Colony is located in Sy. Nos. 602 & 603/2 of Adavithakkellapadu, village of Guntur Mandal and it was reserve Forest, which was dis-afforested. The land was converted in to Assessed Waste Dry (AWD) land and distributed to landless poor persons long back for agriculture purpose. Since, the Assignees violated conditions of Assignment defeating the very purpose of the Government to uplift the living conditions of the poor, in accordance with the provisions of AP Assigned Lands (POT) Act. 1977, show cause notices were issued the Assignees. Since, no explanations were received from anyone in the stipulated time, the said land was taken back by the Government from Assignees. Being aggrieved, the Anjireddy Nagar Welfare Association, Guntur, had filed a W.P.No. 2801/2004 before the Hon'ble High Court. The writ petition



**Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate**  
Member  
National Commission for Scheduled Tribes  
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was decided by the Hon'ble Court vide order dated 23.02.2004 ruling that the Government may not evict the petitioners unless calling for the explanation. In compliance with the Hon'ble High Court orders, the Government has not evicted any family members residing on the land and also resumed the said land following the due procedure stipulated in A.P Assignment POT Act, 1977 and handed over to the various Government Department for issuing House sites to land less poor people and freedom fighters and for various other public purposes. Being aggrieved with the Government's decision for resumption of the land carried out by the Revenue Department, several Writ Petitions have been filed before the Hon'ble High Court, which are sub-judice before the court.

In the meanwhile, the land was encroached and subsequently a Colony was formed which was named "Ramanjaneyulu Colony". The Guntur Municipal Corporation, Guntur has provided all the basic amenities like Electricity, Drinking Water, Roads and underground drainage in the colony. There is no permanent RCC structure in the entire colony.

The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Guntur has reported to the Commission that entire Ramanjaneyulu colony is located in Government lands. Around 100 Families belonging to SC/ST are residing in the colony and they have no ownership rights on the living property.

In the sitting, the District Collector, Guntur has assured the Commission that necessary steps will be taken for Regularization of Encroachments in Government land and to sanction of House Site pattas, as per rules in vogue and as per to their eligibility, after outcome of the Writ Petitions filed before the Hon'ble High Court.

3. The case discussed in detail. The Commission observed that the matter related to land issue of Ramanjaneyulu colony is pending in the Hon'ble High Court. Hence, as per the rules & procedures of the Commission on the Court matters, no action is warranted from the Commission.
4. However, the Commission recommends that the District Collector, Guntur may ensure that no ST persons/families be evicted from their houses. In addition, after decision on the pending Writ Petitions, necessary steps may be taken for regularization of encroachments in Government land and to sanction of House Site pattas

With these recommendations, the case is closed.



**NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES**

**Annexure**

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**List of participants**

**NCST**

1. Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate, Hon'ble Member (In chair)
2. Shri P.T. Jameskutty, Deputy Secretary
3. Shri Y.K. Bansal, Research Officer
4. Shri H.R Meena, Sr. Investigator
5. Shri Sudhir Atram, PS to Hon'ble Member

**Chief Secretary, D.G.P., Principal Secretary (Revenue), Principal Secretary (Housing), Principal Secretary (MU&UD), Government of Andhra Pradesh.**

1. Shri Shrikesh Lathkar, Commissioner, Guntur.
2. Shri. Venkata Appala Naidu, S.P., Guntur (Rural)
3. Shri Kona Sasidhar, Collector, Guntur
4. Shri G. Ravinder, RDO, Narasaraopeta

**Petitioners**

1. Shri Koduri Narayana Rao
2. Shri B. Srinu Naik
3. Shri M. Koti Reddy
4. Smt. Chalamacherla Venkataramana
5. Smt. Burla Anjamma
6. Smt. K. Chenchu Punnaiah