

HONOURABLE SRI G.S. SINGHVI, THE CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE BILAL NAZKI

Writ Petition No.20467 of 2005

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Dated: November 30, 2005

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Between:

R. Satyanarayana Reddy ... Petitioner

And

The Director General of Police,
Government of Andhra Pradesh,
Hyderabad and three others. ... Respondents.

Per G.S. Singhvi, CJ

None for the petitioner.

Heard Sri S. Satyam Reddy, Advocate for respondent No.4.

The petitioner has approached this Court for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus declaring the inaction of respondents 1 to 3 in not initiating action against respondent No.4 Sri A. Narendra, Minister for Rural Development, Government of India, for making inflammatory speech in which he is said to have incited the cadres of “Telangana Jagarana Sena” to indulge in violence and bloodbath and also to take AK-47 Rifles to achieve the object of a “separate Telangana State” as illegal, unjust, capricious and contrary to the Law and violative of the Constitution of India.

In the counter-affidavit filed by him, respondent No.4 has denied the statement attributed to him.

In the course of hearing, learned counsel for respondent No.4 placed before the Court a photostat copy of the statement signed by his client in which he has categorically denied the statement attributed to him in some of the newspapers. He also states that the denial issued by respondent No.4 has been published in vernacular daily "VAARTHA".

Since respondent No.4 has denied having made any statement, which was published in the newspapers, we are not inclined to entertain the prayer made by the petitioner.

We may also mention that on the basis of a private complaint made against respondent No.4, the police has registered a case, which is pending investigation.

With the above observations, the writ petition is dismissed.

(G.S. SINGHVI, CJ)

(BILAL NAZKI, J)

November 30, 2005

svs