

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD
(Special Original Jurisdiction)

THURSDAY, THE TWENTY FIFTH DAY OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY THREE

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K. LAKSHMAN

WRIT PETITION NO: 13502 OF 2023

Between:

Mohammed Simra, d/o. Soha Mohammed, Aged about 12 years, Minor Rep. by her mother Smt. Soha Mohammed w/o. Ateeq Mohammed, aged about 45 years, R/o. Flat No.001, 'A' Block, My Home Abhra, Madhapur, Opp. Inorbit Mall, Hyderabad - 500 032

...PETITIONER

AND

1. The Union of India, Rep. by its Secretary Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi - 110 001
2. The Regional Passport Officer, Hyderabad 73, Red Cross Road, Shivaji Nagar Secunderabad - 500 003

...RESPONDENTS

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therewith, the High Court may be pleased to issue a Writ order or direction, more particularly one in the nature of a Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of second respondent in not reissuing/renewing the passport to petitioner on the alleged ground that her father has not signed the application for reissue/renewal of the passport bearing No. N5602867 and declare the same as arbitrary, illegal, unconstitutional and violative of principles of natural justice and consequently direct the second respondent to reissue/renew the passport of the petitioner bearing No. N5602867.

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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 direct the second respondent to reissue/renew the passport of the petitioner bearing No. N5602867 forthwith, pending disposal of the above writ petition.

Counsel for the Petitioner: M/s. K.V. RAJASREE

**Counsel for the Respondents: SRI GADI PRAVEEN KUMAR
(Dy. SOLICITOR GENERAL OF INDIA)**

The Court made the following: ORDER

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE K. LAKSHMAN

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ORDER:

Heard Ms. K.V.Rajasree, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and Sri.Gadi Praveen Kumar, learned Deputy Solicitor General of India appearing for respondents. Perused the record.

2. This Writ Petition is filed to declare the action of respondent No.2 in not reissuing/renewing the passport to the petitioner on the alleged ground that her father has not signed the application for reissue/renewal of the passport bearing No.N5602867 and declare the same as illegal and arbitrary.

3. Learned Deputy Solicitor General of India has placed on record the written instructions of respondent No.2, wherein it is specifically stated that new Passport has been issued vide passport bearing No.Y5283441 dated 24.05.2023 valid upto 23.05.2028 and the same

has been dispatched by speed post to the address of the petitioner as mentioned in the application.

4. In view of the fact that the grievance of the writ petitioner is redressed, accordingly, this Writ Petition is closed. There shall be no order as to costs.

As a sequel, the miscellaneous petitions, if any, pending in the Writ Petition shall stand closed.

SD/- G. SIREESHA
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
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1. One CC to M/s. K.V. RAJASREE, Advocate [OPUC]
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HIGH COURT

VACATION COURT

DATED:25/05/2023

ORDER

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**CLOSING THE WRIT PETITION
WITHOUT COSTS**

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