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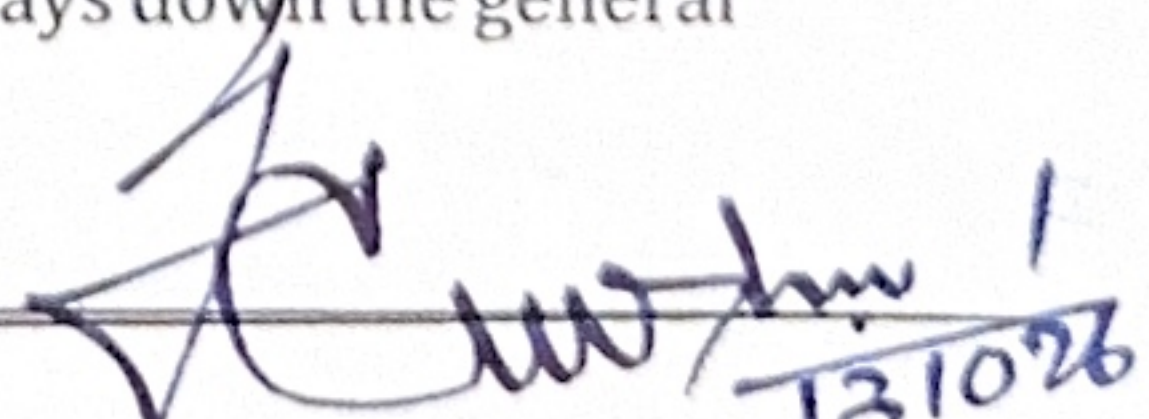
Madam,

1. Under the instructions of my clients:

- i) Ushodaya Publications, a division of Ushodaya Enterprises Private Limited, a Company incorporated under the Companies Act 1956, having its registered office at III Floor, Corporate Building, Ramoji Film City, Anazpur village, Hayathnagar, Hyderabad, Ranga Reddy District 501512
- ii) Sri. M Nageswara Rao, Editor, Printer and PUBLISHER of Eenadu Telugu Daily Newspaper, Ramoji Film City, Abdullapurmet Mandal, Ranga Reddy District - 501 512
- iii) Sri. M L Narasimha Reddy, Chief of News Bureau, Hyderabad.
- iv) Sri. V Veerabhadra Rao, Principal Correspondent for Eenadu, Ushodaya Enterprises Private Limited, Hyderabad

this notice is issued to you, in reply to your notice dated 30-09-2026 on behalf of your client Sri K Taraka Rama Rao, regarding the news item captioned "కేటీఆర్ సహా నలుగురి పాస్ పోర్టుల తాత్కాలిక జప్తునకు ఆదేశం!" published in Eenadu Hyderabad Edition dated 29-09-2026.

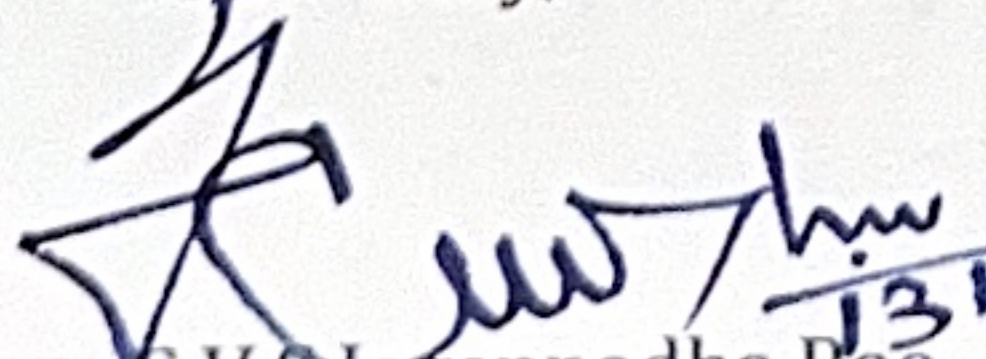
2. My clients state that all the allegations in your notice are not true, valid; binding on my clients and your clients are put to strict proof of all the allegations in your notice. Such of those allegations which are not specifically admitted herein shall be deemed to have been denied and your clients are put to strict proof of all such allegations.
3. At the outset, my clients state that Eenadu Telugu Daily Newspaper is owned and published by Ushodaya Publications, a division of Ushodaya Enterprises Private Limited, a Company incorporated under Companies Act, 1956. Eenadu is merely the title of the newspaper and is not, in law, a legal entity or a juristic person capable of suing or being sued.
4. My client No. 1 is the owner and publisher of Eenadu Telugu daily newspaper. My client No. 2 is the editor of Eenadu and he also acts as printer and publisher of Eenadu on behalf of client No.1. My client No.2, as Editor, only lays down the general


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policy of the newspaper. An editorial team of Sub- Editors at various publication centers assists him in editing the news generated in the respective Centers. Therefore, my client No. 2 has no personal knowledge of the various news reports published day to day in *Eenadu* from various publishing centers. Therefore, my client No. 2 has no pre-publication knowledge of the impugned publication. My client No.3 is the Chief of News Bureau for Telangana at Hyderabad. He has not gone through the impugned news report before publication and has no pre-publication knowledge of the same. There is no Resident Editor for *Eenadu* for any of its editions.

5. My client No.4 is the author of the impugned news report who made personal enquiries and filed the impugned news report. The admitted factual position is that the ACB Investigation Officer has filed a memo before the Hon'ble Principal Special Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Hyderabad, requesting the Hon'ble Court to pass appropriate orders in relation to the passports. The news report however mistakenly stated "Order for temporary impounding of the passports"
6. My clients state that any allegation of an attempt made by the prosecution to impound the passport of a former Minister and a person in public life, is a matter of public concern, and therefore a duty is cast upon the press to disseminate such information in the interest of the public, who also have a corresponding right to receive it. The impugned news item was published solely in public interest, for public good, and without any malice, ill will, or intention to defame your client. The publication was made in good faith, in discharge of the duty of the press to report matters of public importance. My clients further state that the publication was made in the ordinary course and that they bear no personal malice or ill will towards your clients.
7. My clients affirm that the publication of the news report was only in discharge or their duty and my clients have no ulterior motives in the publication of the news report.
8. My clients state that the mistake was genuine, unintentional and is deeply regretted. My clients have carried a clarification in the edition dated 07-10-2026 which establishes their *bona fides* and the demand of your client under your notice has been complied with. A clipping of the clarification published in *Eenadu* on 07-10-2026 is enclosed for your immediate reference. All the related clippings across the digital and social media handles of *Eenadu* have been deleted immediately upon receipt of your notice.
9. Therefore, considering the facts and the clarification, please advise your client to give quietus to the issue.

Yours truly,


G V S Jagannadha Rao
Advocate

కేటీఆర్ పాస్‌పోర్టుపై కోర్టు ఆదేశాలివ్వలేదు

ఈనాడు, హైదరాబాద్: పార్కులా-ఈ రేస్ కేసులో భారాస కార్యనిర్వాహక అధ్యక్షుడు, మాజీ మంత్రి కె. తారక రామారావుతోపాటు మరో ముగ్గురి పాస్‌పోర్టులను తాత్కాలికంగా జప్తు (ఇంపౌండ్) చేయాలని అనిశా ప్రత్యేక న్యాయస్థానం ఆదేశించినట్లు సెప్టెంబరు 29న 'ఈనాడు' లో ప్రచురితమైన విషయం వాస్తవం కాదు. కేటీఆర్ తోపాటు ఈ కేసులోని మరో ముగ్గురి పాస్‌పోర్టులను ఇంపౌండ్ చేయాలని కోరుతూ అనిశా అధికారులు ప్రత్యేక న్యాయస్థానంలో మెమో దాఖలు చేశారు. ఆ మెమోపై పాస్‌పోర్టులను జప్తు చేయా

లని న్యాయస్థానం ఎలాంటి ఆదేశాలూ జారీ చేయలేదు. అనిశా చేసిన అభ్యర్థనను న్యాయస్థానం ఇచ్చిన ఆదేశంగా పేర్కొనడం పొరపాటు.

పాస్‌పోర్టు కార్యాలయం నోటీసు

అవినీతి నిరోధక శాఖ అధికారులు కోర్టులో మెమో దాఖలు చేయడంతోపాటు పాస్‌పోర్టు కార్యాలయానికి కూడా నివేదిక పంపారు. దీని ఆధారంగా ప్రాంతీయ పాస్‌పోర్టు కార్యాలయం సెప్టెంబరు 28న కేటీఆర్ కు నోటీసు జారీ చేసి.. 15 రోజుల్లోగా సమాధానం ఇవ్వాలని కోరింది.