

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

Municipal Administration & Urban Development Department — De-notification of area covered under erstwhile Pottepalem area which is earlier included into the limits of Nellore Municipal Corporation so as to notify it as Gram Panchayat — Notification — Issued.

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**MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (G) DEPARTMENT**

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**G.O.Ms.No.80**

**Dated:28.01.2020.**

**Read the following:-**

1. G.O.Ms.No.145, PR&RD (Pts.IV) Dept.,dated: 25.03.2013.
2. G.O.Ms.No.113, MA&UD (Elec.II) Dept., dated: 25.03.2013.
3. Orders dated 26.03.2019 in W.P.(PIL)No.246 of 2013 of the Hon'ble High Court.
4. Lr.Roc.No.2719425/2019-D1, dated:13.12.2019 of the C&DMA, A.P. Guntur.

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**ORDER:**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, orders were issued cancelling the notification of Pottepalem Grampanchayat and 14 other Grampanchayats in SPSR Nellore District, so as to merge them into the limits of Nellore Municipal Corporation.

2. In the G.O. 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, orders have been issued including the Pottepalem area along with (14) other areas into the limits of SPSR Nellore Municipal Corporation, in SPSR Nellore District.

3. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.(PIL) No.246 of 2013 passed orders on 26.03.2019 as follows:-

*" In the present facts of the case the state has failed to follow the procedure referred above and included Pottipalem (Potteplaem) Gram Panchayat in Nellore Municipal Corporation, hence, the impugned G.O has to be struck down as the same was issued in violation of rules.*

*In the result, the writ petition is allowed. G.O.Ms.No.145 Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (Pts.IV) Department dated:25.03.2013 and the consequential order issued in G.O.Ms.No.113, MA&UD Dept, dt. 25.03.2013 are hereby cancelled in so far as the Pottipalem Department Gram Panchayat is concerned. This order will not preclude the Government to take steps for inclusion of Pottipalem (Pottepalem) village in Nellore Municipal Corporation after following due process of law."*

4. The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur in the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, has requested the Government to take action for de-notifying Pottepalem area from the limits of Nellore Municipal Corporation in compliance to the orders dated: 26.03.2019 of the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.(PIL)No.246/2013.

5. Government after careful examination of the matter, have decided and order to withdraw the notification issued in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, in so far as the Pottepalem area is concerned.

6. Accordingly, the following Notification shall be published in an Extra-Ordinary Issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, **dated:29.01.2020.**

7. The Commissioner, Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase, Vijayawada is requested to furnish fifty (50) copies of the Notification each to the Government & the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.

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8. The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur and the Commissioner, Nellore Municipal Corporation, SPSR Nellore District shall take necessary action in the matter.

**NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Andhra Pradesh Municipal Corporations Act, 1994(Act 25 of 1994) the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby de-notify the areas covered under the erstwhile Pottepalem from the limits of Nellore Municipal Corporation (as was notified in the G.O.Ms.No.113, M.A. & U.D. (Elec.II) Department, dated 25.03.2013, apart from other Grampanchayats), so as to restore the original position of Pottepalem area as Gram Panchayat.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**J. SYAMALA RAO  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The Commissioner, Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase, A.P., Vijayawada.  
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur.  
The Director, Town & Country Planning Dept., Mangalagiri, Guntur District.  
The Commissioner, Nellore Municipal Corporation, SPSR Nellore District.  
The Commissioner, PR & RD Dept., Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.  
The District Panchayat Officer, SPSR Nellore District.  
The Collector and District Magistrate, SPSR Nellore District.  
The Special Officer, Nellore Municipal Corporation. SPSR Nellore District.  
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.  
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.  
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.  
The P.R.&R.D.(R&E) Department, A.P. Secretariat.

**Copy to:**

The OSD to Minister(MA&UD).  
The P.S. to Secretary to Government, MA&UD Department.  
The Secretary, State Election Commission, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.  
The Law Department.  
The District Treasury Officer, SPSR Nellore District.

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**//FORWARDED BY ORDER//**

**SECTION OFFICER**