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Date: 04-08-2023

To, Shri.K.Chandrasekhara Rao, Honorable Chief Minister, Government of Telangana, Hyderabad.

Respected Sir,

Subject:- Sufferings of the displaced Auto Rickshaw Drivers in Yadagirigutta-Request to consider their request and protect their livelihood-Reg.

I am happy to inform you that I had been to Yadagirigutta on 02^{nd} & 03^{rd} August-2023. My visit is very impressive. During that time some Auto Rickshaw Drivers came to me and submitted a representation to me stating that they were not allowed to transport the passenger on to the top of the Temple. Copy of the representation is enclosed herewith for your kind information. Around 300 Auto Rickshaw Drivers were providing transport service to the pilgrims since long time.

On the day of the inauguration of the renovated Temple on 28-03-2023, the Auto Rickshaw Drivers were asked to stop operation to the Temple on that day. All the Auto Rickshaw Drivers were convinced and voluntarily stopped their vehicles on that day.

But surprisingly from the next day (29-03-2023) onwards the Auto Rickshaw Drivers were not allowed to transport the pilgrims to the Temple. It is only their bread and butter. They have no other sources of income and are suffering a lot to feed their families.

They have approached all the concerned authorities requesting to resume their services. But ironically nothing is happened and the poor Auto Rickshaw Drivers are really starving.

In the light of the above, your good self is requested to intervene and direct the concerned authorities to allow the Auto Rickshaw Drivers to transport the pilgrims to the Temple.

Thanking you

Yours Sincerely

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General Secretary