

WATER RELATED ATROCITIES ON DALITS APRIL 1999 - OCTOBER 2004

S No.	Type of Violation	Region	District	Village / Mandal	Date of Incident	Victim		Brief Details of the Incident	Alleged Cause
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1.	Murder	Royalaseema	Chittoor	D.K Puram (v) Narayanavaram (m)	04-08-02	1		Gattubabu, Gattu Purusothamnaidu and Devarajulu Naidu attacked Subramanyam with iron rods and beat her to death in a conflict over irrigation water.	Conflict over irrigation water
2.	Attempt to rape and suicide	Telangana	Nalgonda	Dosapahad (v) Penpahad (m)	26-01-04		1	Vallapattla Subhadhra a dalit woman went to fetch water from bore - well, Dongari Rajinikanth tried to rape her there. This humiliated her and she was very depressed. She poured kerosene and burned herself.	Sexual assult
3.	Social Boycott	Coastal	Visakhapatnam	Varada (v) K.Kotapadu (m)	14-06-01			Dominant caste individuals and landlords socially boycotted Dalits for taking water from a well.	For taking water from the village well
4.	Attack	Coastal	West Godavari	Thallapudi (v)	10-05-00		Dalits	When Dalits tried to use the village tap to get water, dominant castes attacked them and abused them using their caste name. When Dalits complained to police, police did not arrest anyone instead tried to force Dalits to withdraw their case.	Tried to use village water tap
5.	Attack	Coastal	West Godavari	Pedagaruvu (v) Penugonda (m)	06-02-01	1		When Aashervadam went to water his fields, dominant caste people Venkat Narayana, Gopala Krishna and Anjaneyulu attacked him and abused him using his caste name.	Not known
6.	Attack	Coastal	West Godavari	Chinadalitpeta (v) Veeravasam (m)	24-12-01	1		Police took Prabhudas to the police station and physically harassed him and beat him up severely, breaking his hand.	Over dispute near a water tap
7.	Attack	Coastal	Guntur	Uppalapadu (v) Rajupalem (m)	18-05-00		1	A Dalit woman went to take water from a well located in dominant caste people's locality. Dominant castes broke her pot and imposed social boycott on Dalits.	Tried to take water from dominant caste's well
8.	Attack	Coastal	Prakasam	Maddipadu (m) Nelaturivaripalem(v)	20-05-01		Dalits	Guravar eddypalem dominant caste people discriminated against Dalits by not allowing them to take water from the village well. When Dalits questioned this, they were attacked and false cases foisted on them.	Asked for water
9.	Attack	Coastal	Visakhapatnam	Mamidithova (v) Anandapuram (m)	21-03-03		1	Non- Dalit women attacked and beat a Dalit woman, Satyavathi when she went to bore-well to collect drinking water.	Took water from bore well
10.	Attack	Coastal	Prakasam	Lakkavaram (v) Thallaru (m)	07-09-02	1		Dominant castes attacked and abused Bujji for drinking water from a water tap in dominant caste locality.	Drank from water tap

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11.	Attack	Rayalaseema	Anantapur	Kalyana Durgam	13-11-02	1		A dominant caste person attacked and beat up Govinda for objecting to clean cattle at the drinking water bore well located in Dalit colony.	Objected to cleaning cattle at Dalits' drinking water bore well
12.	Attack	Rayalaseema	Anantapur	Mothukapalli (v) Hindupuram (m)	23-09-00		1	Narayannamma was attacked by dominant caste women for sending her daughter to fetch water from the water taps.	Sent daughter to water tap to fetch water
13.	Attack	Rayalaseema	Anantapur	Pennobanahalla (v) Pavagada (m)	11-02-01		1	Jayamma (30) kept water for the cattle near a borewell, and hence dominant caste Purshottom Reddy, Veera Lingaiah and some others attacked her and abused her using her caste name.	When keeping water for cattle near borewell
14.	Attack	Rayalaseema	Cuddapah	Dandawadapalli (v) Veeballi (m)	22-08-00	1		Gangi Reddy and his family members attacked Srinivasulu and other Dalits and attempted to rape a Dalit girl because Srinivasulu objected to wasting irrigation water through his land and water-logging .	Questioning about irrigation water
15.	Attack	Rayalaseema	Kurnool	Chintalapadu (v) Tiruvuru (m)	22-06-03	1		Yesu Ratnam went to Janachatyana Yatra and complaint to MLA to repair the drinking water taps. The sarpanch Kana-kamedala Buchisundar Rao, MLA Swamidasu both hit Yesu Ratnam.	When asked to repair the drinking water taps
16.	Attack	Rayala-seema	Chittoor	Cheekatipalli (v)	03-04-99	1	1	Venkata Swamy Reddy beat Dalit woman Yellama while she was drawing water from a well. When her husband tried to prevent this, dominant caste Yosodamma and Radha K. Ravindera Reddy joined Venkata Swamy Reddy in abusing Dalit couple by caste name and severely beating them.	Not known
17.	Attack	Rayalaseema	Chittoor	Kanchanapalle (v) Thottambedu (m)	14-06-03	1		Sankranthi Venkataiah a Dalit was bused by his caste name by Manohar Reddy in a dispute over digging a bore well in Sankranthi Venkataiah's land.	Caste discrimination
18.	Attack	Telangana	Ranga Reddy	Palapalli (v) Doomma (m)	15-04-02	1		Former sarpanch Narsaiah , a Dalit asked present dominant caste woman sarpanch to supply more drinking water and for that he was beaten up and abused by his caste name.	Asked for better supply of drinking water
19.	Attack	Telangana	Ranga Reddy	Peddamangalavaram (v) Moinabad (m)	05-08-00	7		When Dalit woman washed their hands in the dominant caste's pond, they were attacked and abused using their caste name by the dominant caste people.	Washed hands in dominant caste's pond

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20.	Attack	Telangana	Mahabub Nagar	Pacharla (v) Vaddepalli (m)	11-06-02	1		Bandanna , a Dalit requested Viswanatha Redddy, ex-President of the village to provide a drinking water pipeline in the village. He was called by the ex-president to his field and beat him.	Requested provision of a drinking water pipeline
21.	Attack	Telangana	Mahabub Nagar	Mandapur(v)Pangal (m)	16-11-01		Dalits	Dominant caste Satyasheela Reddy, Nafaraju, Venkataiah, Balaswamy and 35 others attacked Dalit colony, broke into the locked houses and destroyed all they got their hands on, in retaliation for Dalits taking water from the water tap in the dominant caste people's colony. Dalits were terrified and most fled from the village.	Took water from tap in the dominant people's colony
22.	Attack	Telangana	Adilabad	Dharmarai-pet, Kasipet mandal	09-11-99	1		Dalit Ragam Chinnaiah , who work allegedly beaten with footwear and abused by caste name by non-Dalit Avamani Malliah, who accused Chinnaiah of releasing insufficient water to the fields.	Dalit released insufficient irrigation water to dominant caste fields
23.	Practice of Untouchability	Coastal	Krishna	Damuluru (v) Nandigama (m)	22-05-00		Dalits	Even though a drinking water programme for Dalits was sanctioned, the taps were not fixed. Hence Dalits were taking water from water taps near to the dominant caste peoples houses. When they asked again for the taps to be laid in their Dalitwada under the Jhanmabhoomi programme, dominant castes threatened that their families would be killed if they continue asking for this.	Asked for water taps in Dalitwada
24.	Practice of Untouchability	Coastal	Krishna	Peddaavutupalli (v)	20-07-00	1		Mareedu Sridhar was abused by his caste name by Katuri Srinaivasa Rao for disconnecting pipe to irrigate his lands.	Disconnected pipe to water fields
25.	Practice of Unotouchability	Coastal	Vizianagaram	Konuru (v) Konuru (m)	26-03-02		1	Non-dalits abused Yethula Lakshmi sarpanch of the village using caste name. This incident happened when Laxshmi started watershed works.	Caste discrimination
26.	Practice of Untouchability	Coastal	Prakasam	Mattigunta (v) Nagaluppapadu (m)	13-06-02	1		Ravi, a dominant caste abused Gandhi using his caste name in a dispute related to drinking water.	Dispute over drinking water
27.	Practice of Untouchability	Coastal	Nellore	Alluru (v)	17-02-01	1		Alluru Ramanaiah was abused by his caste name by Theyyala Srinivasulu and Theyyala Ramanaiah as he was watering his fields.	Caste discrimination

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28.	Practice of Untouchability	Rayalaseema	Kurnool	Kothavaram	02-5-99		1	Boya Venkateramma and other non-Dalit women abused Dalit woman Lakshmi Devi by caste name while she was collecting water from pond.	Untouchability
29.	Practice of Untouchability	Rayalaseema	Kurnool	P. Lingapuram	24-06-99	Entire Community		Dominant caste people denied access to public wells for Dalits.	Watered his fields
30.	Practice of Untouchability	Rayalaseema	Kurnool	Kamakavedu (v) Nandavaram (m)	09-12-01	1		When Nagaraju complained to Govt. Officers about corruption in watershed works, dominant caste Boya Jaya Ramulu abused Nagaraju using his caste name and tried to beat him with his chappals right in front of the officers.	Complained about corruption
31.	Practice of Untouchability	Rayalaseema	Kurnool	Yellampalli (v) Saidapur (m)	06-06-02	1		Venugopal, Sekharaiah and Sadanandam abused Dalit Ilaiah in a dispute over drinking water.	Dispute over drinking water
32.	Practice of Untouchability	Rayalaseema	Kurnool	Pyapali (m)	14-07-02	1		When Ranganna was fetching water from the tap, Venkatesh abused him using his caste name.	Untouchability
33.	Practice of Untouchability	Rayalaseema	Kurnool	Emmiganoor (v) Adoni (m)	10-09-04		1	Suneelakumari, dalit woman was abused and beaten up by Vasu Deva Reddy and his family while collecting water from tap.	Drawing water from the tap
34.	Practice of Untouchability	Rayalaseema	Cuddapah Koduru (m)	Reddyvaripalli (v)	12-06-02	Dalits		Dominant castes discriminated Dalits by not giving electricity and drinking water connections to them.	Caste discrimination
35.	Practice of Untouchability	Telangana	Ranga Reddy	Hasthipur village	09-02-0		4	Eedigi Jangaiah, Kavali Ramu and five other non-Dalits abused Dalit women Pentamma, Parvathamma, Madamma and one other, by caste name when the latter drew drinking water from the village well.	Untouchability
36.	Practice of Untouchability	Telangana	Karimnagar	Ratnampet (v) Boinpalli (m)	27-09-01	Dalits		"Save" Foundation laid foundation stone for building a water tank and in the course of construction Dalits and the sarpanch and his associates had a dispute. So Sapanch Gaddi Bhagavath and Upa Sarpanches Muskhani Lachaiiah and Kumbham Tirupathaiiah abused Dalits using their caste name.	Caste discrimination
37.	Practice of Untouchability	Telangana	Mahabubnagar	Madanapuram (v) Thilakapalli (m)	12-09-02	1		Balaiah was abused by his caste name by Narayana Rao, Arjun Rao, Bhupathi Rao and others when he was fetching water from a tap.	Fetches drinking water from tap

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38.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Coastal	Prakasam	Vallapalle (v) Ballekurva (m)	17-05-03	Dalits		Dalits went to drink water at a well, there Darisi Srinu, Darsi Tirupataiah and other women abused them using their caste name and hit them.	For drinking water in well
39.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Coastal	Krishna	Chavella (v)	06-12-00	Dalits		Dalits reported to govt. officials that they did not have drinking water, but the officials did not do anything about the matter..	Caste discrimination
40.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Coastal	Nellore	Annavam (v) Jalandankli (m)	03-02-00	Dalits		Govt. officials are neglecting to provide the Dalitwada with basic facilities such as drinking water.	Caste discrimination
41.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Coastal	Nellore	Vemulapadu (v) Jalandanki	20-01-01	Dalits		For the past 60 years Dalits did not have drinking water facility, due to govt. officials' negligence, forcing Dalit woman to walk long distances each day to fetch water.	Caste discrimination
42.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Coastal	Visakhapatnam	Thallavalasa (v) Bhimili (m)	22-05-00	Dalits		Dalits were not able to get water from their tap and hence went to take water from the public tap, dominant caste people abused them using their caste name and stopped them from taking water. When the Dalit woman tried to lodge a complain at Bhimili police station, S.I. in-charge Ch. Venkata Rao tried to change the case and behaved indecently with the Dalit woman, frightening them.	Caste discrimination
43.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Rayalaseema	Kurnool	Suluvai (v) Helagunda (m)	25-04-03		1	Dalit woman was attacked by non-dalits when she was fetching water from the drinking water from a public water-tap .	When fetching water from tap
44.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Rayalaseema	Anantapur	Chandam (v) Raya durgam (m)	25-05-03		1	Dalit woman Marreakka when to get drinking water from tap, she was attacked and abused by non-dalit men.	Caste discrimination
45.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Rayalaseema	Kadapah	Lakkireddipalle	19-12-03		1	Gangulamma a Dalit woman was abused by her caste name by Veeramma at a conflict regarding water	Dispute at water tap
46.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Rayalaseema	Cuddapah	Chapala Dalitwada, Pullampeta	21-01-00	Dalits		Though Dalits have informed govt. officials many times about r lack of drinking water facilities, even going to the extent of protesting in front of officials with their empty water vessels, officials have not taken any action on the matter.	Caste discrimination

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47.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Rayalaseema	Chittoor	Lakshmaiahpur (v) Puthalapattu (m)	21-11-00		Dalits	Dominant castes broke the pipeline supplying water to the Dalitwada, attacked Dalits and abused them using their caste name.	Caste discrimination
48.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Rayalaseema	Chittoor	Vasanthapuram (v) Poothalapattu (m)	27-11-00		Dalits	Though Dalitwada did not receive water for several months, govt. officials did not take any action on the matter.	Caste discrimination
49.	Caste Discrimination in State Agencies	Telangana	Warangal	Narakkapeta (v) Nallabelli (m)	03-06-00		Dalits	Though Dalit colony was sanctioned funds for drinking water facilities in 1993-94, officials have neglected to take action to provide drinking water to Dalits .	Caste discrimination