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

WEDNESDAY,THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF OCTOBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE P.SAM KOSHY
AND
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE SUDDALA CHALAPATHI RAO

I.A.No. 1 OF 2025

IN/AND

WRIT PETITION NO: 30456 OF 2025

Between:

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1. State of Telangana, School Education, rep. by its Principal Secretary to Government, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad, Telangana - 500022.
2. The Commissioner and Director of School Education, 0/0 Director of School Education, Saifabad, Hyderabad - 500004.
3. The District Educational Officer, Telangana.

...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 an order, direction or Writ more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Certioran or any other appropriate writ (i) after call for the records in O.A. No.8812/2002 and O.A. No.8720/2002 and batch, dated.05/11/2008 before the Honourable Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal, Hyderabad, and quash the orders passed in O.A. No.8812/2002 and O.A. No.8720/2002 and batch, dated.05/11/2008 and (ii) consequently direct that the Writ Petitioners are entitled to seniority in the cadre of School Assistant pr/or to the date of appointment of the direct recruitees in DSC-2002 with all consequential benefits

IA NO: 1 OF 2025

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 grant leave to the Writ Petitioners herein to file present Writ Petition

IA NO: 3 OF 2025

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 Respondents to extend the notional date of promotion to the date of School Assistant w.e.f. 01/06/2002 any date earlier to the date of appointment of the direct recruitees i.e.,17/10/2002 with further direction to reserve the Head Master Grade-II posts in favour of the Writ Petitioners in the existing vacancies

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The Court made the following: COMMON ORDER

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE P.SAM KOSHY
AND
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE SUDDALA CHALAPATHI RAO

I.A.No.1 of 2025

In/and

WRIT PETITION No.30456 of 2025

COMMON ORDER: *(per Hon'ble Sri Justice **P.SAM KOSHY**)*

Heard Mr.G.Vidyasagar, learned Senior Counsel representing Sri Saiprasen Gundavaram and Mr. Santhapur Satyanarayana, learned Government Pleader for Services-I, for respondent Nos.1 and 2.

2. The matter was taken up on I.A.No.1 of 2025, which is the leave petition seeking leave by the petitioners seeking to challenge the batch of O.As filed before the Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal, Hyderabad, (for short "the Tribunal") and the lead case of which was O.A.No.8720 and 8812 of 2022 and batch which stood finally dismissed on 05.11.2008.

3. The grievance of the petitioners seems to be the dismissal of the O.A.s by the Tribunal vide aforesaid order dated 05.11.2008. The point of issue that was under consideration before the State Administrative Tribunal was in respect of the *inter se* seniority that was in between direct recruits and the promotees to the post of School Assistants.

4. The applicants before the Tribunal were from among the promotee categories where they were claiming promotion in terms of the GO.Ms.No.538, dated 20.11.1998, where the mode of selection to the post of School Assistant was

direct recruitment as also by way of promotions. The said rule also prescribed that in the event, where the mode was by both modes, the post to be filled up by way of direct recruitment shall be 30% and balance of 70% was to be filled up by way of promotion.

5. The claim of the applicants before the Tribunal was that they had become eligible for promotion to the post of School Assistant either in the year 2001 or in the early part of year 2002. At that point of time apprehending the direct recruitment process initiated by the Department if is finalized, the applicants before the Tribunal would become junior to the direct recruits. Only on the inaction on the part of the Department in not finalizing the promotion process of filling up of posts of School Assistants to the extent of 70% of the vacancies. The O.A. was filed before the Tribunal. An interim order was also granted by the Tribunal at the first instance directing the respondents to indicate in the appointment orders of the direct recruits that seniority shall be fixed subject to the outcome of the aforementioned batch of O.As before the Tribunal. Meanwhile, however, pending the O.As before the Tribunal, the process of direct recruitment initiated and got finalized and orders of appointment were issued as per the direction on 08.10.2002. Subsequently, the applicants before the Tribunal were given promotions almost during the same period of time however a little bit later to the appointment orders issued to the direct recruits i.e. somewhere around 20.10.2002 and 22.10.2002. Finally the batch of petitions came up before the Tribunal for hearing on 05.11.2008 and the Tribunal taking into consideration the factual matrix of the case more particularly taking note of the fact

that direct recruits have already been appointed on 08.10.2002 the claim of the applicants for *inter se* seniority over and above the direct recruits stood dismissed.

6. The said dismissal of batch of O.As was with an observation that the only remedy that was available with the applicants was to approach the Government for relaxation of the rules particularly Rule 33 (a) of A.P.State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996.

7. However, from the perusal of the contents of the petition and pleadings what appears is that there was no further challenge to the order of the Tribunal dismissing the large batch of petitions before the Tribunal.

8. In so far as the present batch of petitioners are concerned, admittedly, they had not preferred any petition before the State Administrative Tribunal either at the time before their promotion to the post of School Assistant or being aggrieved by the appointment being given to the direct recruits earlier to the petitioners herein. The petitioners at no point of time of appointment or in between had approached any competent Court of law or the Tribunal seeking for an appropriate relief so far as fixation of the *inter se* seniority is concerned till in the recent past. They had made certain representations to the Government only in the recent past.

9. The contention of the petitioners is that they were only recently made known of the fact that the batch of O.As which were filed before the Tribunal got dismissed on 05.11.2005. It is only thereafter that the petitioners seem to have started pursuing the matter with the Government and have now approached this Court seeking leave to

challenge the order passed by the State Administrative Tribunal in the batch of O.As decided on 05.11.2008.

10. The fact which has caught the mind of this Bench is that it is hard to accept that the petitioners were not aware of firstly the filing of O.As and its dismissal before the Tribunal. Secondly, there does not seem to be any keen interest shown by the petitioners seeking for seniority over and above the direct recruits all these periods till recently when they have made certain representations and filed this writ petition. They were also not vigilant enough to find out the outcome of the batch of O.As pending before the Tribunal if they were knowing fully well of the matters pending before the Tribunal and the interim order granted by the Tribunal and the closure of the Tribunal subsequently. This Bench hence draws an adverse interference that knowingly with wide open eyes petitioners have not shown interest to challenge the order aggrieved of earlier or raising any of the grievances so far as the *inter se* seniority is concerned.

11. It is only now when recent provisional seniority list that was published that the petitioners seem to have woke-up from the slumber and have decided to agitate the matter and now approached this Court seeking leave to challenge the order passed by the Tribunal.

12. Given the aforesaid matrix of the case, we are not inclined to entertain the said leave petition for the reason that there appears to be a deliberate waiver by conduct on the part of the petitioners in raising this issue at appropriate time or within a reasonable period of time. Secondly, if at all the petitioners for the reason that they

were not party to any of the proceedings before the Tribunal and are now aggrieved by the recent action on the part of the Department or aggrieved by the provisional seniority list published, this would in itself be a fresh cause of action. This cannot be a ground available for the petitioners for grant of leave to challenge the order passed by the Tribunal that too way back on 05.11.2008.

13. For the aforesaid reasons, we are not inclined to entertain the I.A.No.1 of 2025 and the same accordingly stands rejected. Consequently, the Writ Petition also stands rejected. No order as to costs.

As a sequel, miscellaneous petitions, pending if any, shall stand closed.

SD/-A. SRINIVASA REDDY
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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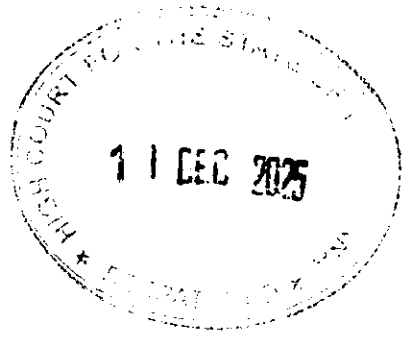
To,

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HIGH COURT

DATED:15/10/2025



COMMON ORDER

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REJECTING BOTH THE I.A. No. 1 OF 2025 AND ALSO WRIT PETITION WITHOUT COSTS

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