APHC010533492026

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
AT AMARAVATI
(Special Original Jurisdiction)

WEDNESDAY, THE 28th DAY OF OCTOBER 2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE HARINATH.N

WRIT PETITION NO: 29027 OF 2026

Between:

1. Koyya Doondy Sai Vyshnavi, D/o Radha Krishna Murthy Koyya, Age 24 years, Rio H.No. 9-51-6A, Kummari Van i Street, 1st Lane, Kothapet, One Town, Vijayawada, NTR District 520001, A.P., presently in the United States of America, represented by her father and authorised representative Sri Radha Krishna Murthy Koyya, Mobile 7337582939.

...Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Special Chief Secretary / Principal Secretary, Department of Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) Welfare, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh 522238.

2. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Secretary / Principal Secretary, Social Welfare (Education) Department, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh 522238.

3. The Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh State Economically Backward Classes Welfare and Development Corporation, D.No. 12-467, Bypass Road, Revenue Ward No.12, Tadepalli, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh 522501.

4. The District Collector, NTR District, Collectorate, Vijayawada, NTR District, Andhra Pradesh 520010.

5. The District Economically Backward Classes EBC Welfare Officer, NTR District, 0/0 District EBC Welfare Officer, Collectorate Compound, Vijayawada, NTR District, Andhra Pradesh 520010.

...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 topleased To issue a Writ of Mandamus or any other appropriate Writ, Order or Direction declaring the action of the Respondents in not releasing the 3rd and 4th instalments, including the shortfall on the first two credits, amounting to 59,16,886/ under the Ambedkar Overseas Vidya Nidhi Scheme as illegal, arbitrary and violative of Articles 14 and 21 of the Constitution of India and consequently direct the Respondents to release the pending amount of 59,16,886/- to the bank account of the Petitioner, SBI Account No. 20377977884, within a period of Six (06) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of the order, following the orders of this Honble Court in W.P. No. 24529 of 2025 dated 10-02-2026, W.P. No. 26938 of 2025 dated 19-11-2025, and W.P. No. 28790 of 2023 dated 02-11-2023 award costs of this Writ Petition and pass

IA NO: 1 OF 2026

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 pleased to grant leave and permit the applicant, Sri Radha Krishna Murthy Koyya, father of the Petitioner, to file, sign, verify and prosecute W.P. No. 29027 of 2026 on behalf of his daughter Kum. Koyya Doondy Sai Vyshnavi, who is presently in the United States of America, and pass

IA NO: 2 OF 2026

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 may be pleased to implead the State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep by its Principal

Secretary, Finance Department Secretariat, Velagapudi,Amaravathi-522238, as an additional respondent No.6 in W.P No. 29027 of 2026 and pass

Counsel for the Petitioner: SHAIK ABDUL SIDDIQ

Counsel for the Respondents: GP FOR REVENUE Counsel for the Respondents:GP FOR SOCIAL WELFARE

The court made the following order:

1. The present Writ Petition is filed questioning the action of Respondents in not releasing financial assistance of Rs.59,16,886/- (Rupees Fifty Nine Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty Six only), sanctioned to the Petitioner (Application I.D.2022005808) under the 'Ambedkar Overseas Vidya Nidhi Scheme' Overseas Scholarship scheme, as illegal and arbitrary.

2. The petitioner had applied for financial assistance under 'Ambedkar Overseas Vidya Nidhi Scheme' Overseas Scholarship scheme for the academic year 2023-24 and the same was allotted with Application I.D. No.2022005808. After due verification, Respondent-authorities sanctioned 1st installment for an amount of Rs.19,72,048/- (Rupees Nineteen Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand and Forty Eight only) in favour of the Petitioner for pursuing Masters in Computer Science at University of Chicago, USA.

3. Thereafter, on 11.01.2024, Respondent-Authorities released an amount of Rs.18,49,048/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand and Forty Eight only) as 2nd installment to the Petitioner. The remaining balance amount of financial assistance i.e., Rs.59,16,886/- (Rupees Fifty Nine Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Eight hundred and Eighty Six only) as promised to the Petitioner was not disbursed to her. Hence, the present Writ Petition is filed.

4. Learned Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents submits that the application of the Petitioner would be examined and appropriate decision would be conveyed to the Petitioner.

5. Considering the submissions, this Writ Petition is disposed of, with the following directions:-

(i) The Respondents are directed to examine the claim of the petitioner within a period of six (06) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

(ii) In the event, the claim of the Petitioner is held to be in order, the Respondents are directed to release the amounts to the Petitioner within a further period of eight (08) weeks.

(iii) There shall be no order as to costs.

As a sequel, the miscellaneous petitions, if any, pending in this petition shall stand closed.

JUSTICE HARINATH.N

28.10.2026
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