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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
AT AMARAVATI **[3457]**
(Special Original Jurisdiction)

TUESDAY, THE 24th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2026

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE HARINATH.N

WRIT PETITION NO: 34230/2026

Between:

1. DULIPALLA SAI KRISHNA (STUDENT), REP. BY HIS MOTHER DULIPALLA VIJAYA BHANU, W/O HANUMANTHA RAO(LATE), AGED 52 YEARS, OCCUPATION AGRICULTURE COOLIE, R/O 4-101-1, OF2026 GANAPAVARAM VILLAGE, NADENDLA MANDAL,NEAR MARABHAI, PALNADU DISTRICT-522619 (BEFORE GUNTUR DISTRICT).

...PETITIONER

AND

1. STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, E B C WELFARE DEPARTMENT, SECRETARIAT, VELAGAPUDI, GUNTUR DISTRICT. 522238
2. STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, REPRESENTED BY ITS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, FINANCE AND PLANNING DEPARTMENT, SECRETARIAT, VELAGAPUDI, GUNTUR DISTRICT.
3. THE MANAGING DIRECTOR, ECONOMICALLY BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT, SRI VISHNU TOWERS, KRISHNAVENI SCHOOL ROAD, PORANKI (V), PENAMALURU (M), VIJAYAWADAKRISHNA DISTRICT. 521137

...RESPONDENT(S):

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 order, writ or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the respondents in not releasing

financial assistance of Rs. 10,00,000/- (Ten Lakhs) to the son of the petitioner Dulipalla Sai Krishna as per G.O. Ms. No. 29 dated 27.08.2016 despite sanction of funds by the Government under Application ID.No. OV2018120357 as illegal, arbitrary, violation of principles of natural justice and unconstitutional and consequently direct the respondents to release financial assistance of Rs. 10,00,000/- (Ten Lakhs) to the son of the petitioner Dulipalla Sai Krishna forthwith under Application ID.No. OV2018120357 , and to pass

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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 direct the respondents to release financial assistance of Rs. 10,00,000/- (Ten Lakhs)under N.T.R. VideshiVidhyadharana Scheme to the son of the petitioner Dulipalla Sai Krishna forthwith under Application ID.No. OV2018120357 pending disposal of the writ petition and pass

Counsel for the Petitioner:

1. SRIDHAR TUMMALAPUDI

Counsel for the Respondent(S):

1. GP FOR SOCIAL WELFARE
2. GP FOR FINANCE PLANNING

The Court made the following order:

The present Writ Petition is filed questioning the action of Respondents in not releasing financial assistance of Rs. 10,00,000/- (Ten Lakhs only) sanctioned to the son of the Petitioner under 'NTR Videshi Vidyadarana Scheme' for pursuing the Master of Information Technology and Systems at Victorial Institute of Technology (VIT), as illegal and arbitrary.

2. The facts leading to this case are as follows:

The petitioner had applied for financial assistance under the 'NTR Videshi Vidyadharana Scheme' for pursuing the Master of Information Technology and Systems course at Victoria Institute of Technology (VIT), vide Application ID No. OV2018120357. After due verification, the respondents sanctioned an amount of Rs.10,00,000/- (Rupees Ten Lakhs only) in favour of the petitioner's son for pursuing the said course. Earlier, the petitioner's son had secured admission to Griffith University for pursuing the Master of Engineering Project Management Advanced Programme. After completing two semesters, the petitioner's son, with prior permission, changed his institution to Victoria Institute of Technology (VIT) to pursue the Master of Information Technology and Systems course. However, the financial assistance sanctioned in favour of the petitioner's son was not disbursed. Hence, the present Writ Petition is filed.

3. Learned Assistant Government Pleader appearing for the Respondents submits that the application of the petitioner would be considered and the amounts would be released, if the petitioner is found to be within the conditions specified under the scheme.

4. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel appearing for the respective parties, 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 amount to the Petitioner within a further period of eight (08) weeks.

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

Pending miscellaneous applications, if any, shall stand closed.

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