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

TUESDAY, THE TWENTY FIRST DAY OF APRIL
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K. SARATH

WRIT PETITION NO: 12050 OF 2026

Between:

Budaiah Banoth, S/o Puliya, Age 62 years, Occ ; Retd Govt Employee, H.No. 3-76/17/2/2, Had Hara Nagar, Road No.6, Kothayashwada, Karimnagar, Telangana – 505001.

.....PETITIONER

AND

1. State of Telangana, Rep by its Principal Secretary Finance and Planning Department, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. State of Telangana, Rep by its Principal Secretary, Home Department, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
3. District Treasury Officer, Karimnagar District.
4. Sub Treasurer Officer, Karimnagar, Karimnagar District.

.....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 declare the action of the Respondents in not releasing and paying the the pensionary benefits which includes (1) Gratuity amount of Rs. 16,00,000/- with GPO No. 03-021855/RG, (2) Commutation payment amount of Rs. 18,81,914/- with CPO No. 03-021855/CV (3) GPF Final Payment amount of Rs. 06,92,364/- with Token No. 2601655023 dated 22.10.2025. (4) Final Els amount of Rs. 13,94,055/- with Token No. 2601034637 dated 12.08.2025as illegal, arbitrary, discriminatory, and violation of articles 14 and 16 of Constitution of India by issuing appropriate writ, order or direction more particularly in the nature of MANDAMUS and consequently direct the

Respondents to release and pay the pension benefits with interest @ 24percent per annum from date of retirement to till the date of actual payment is made.

I.A.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 to direct the Respondents to release and pay the pensionary benefits which includes (1) Gratuity amount of Rs. 16,00,000/-with GPO No. 03-021855/RG, (2) Commutation payment amount of Rs. 18,81,914/- with CPO No. 03-021855/CV (3) GPF Final Payment amount of Rs. 06,92,364/- with Token No. 2601655023 dated 22.10.2025. (4) Final Els amount of Rs. 13,94,055/- with Token No. 2601034637 dated 12.08.2025. forthwith pending disposal of the above writ petition.

Counsel for the Petitioner : Ms K.SRISHILPA

Counsel for the Respondents : AGP FOR SERVICES -III

The Court at the stage of admission made the following ORDER

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE K. SARATH

WRIT PETITION No.12050 of 2026

THE 21ST DAY OF APRIL 2026

Between:

Budaiah Banoth

...Petitioner

AND

The State of Telangana,
Rep. by its Principal Secretary,
Finance & Planning Department and others.

...Respondents

ORDER:

Heard Ms. K. Srishilpa, learned counsel for the petitioner, learned Assistant Government Pleader for Services-III appearing for the respondents and perused the material on record. With their consent, this Writ Petition is taken up for disposal at the stage of admission itself.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner filed the instant Writ Petition questioning the action

of the respondents in not releasing the petitioner's retiral benefits, despite token numbers having already been raised by the respondent authorities for payment of the amounts payable to the petitioner.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that the *lis* raised in the present Writ Petition has already been adjudicated by the Division Bench of this Court in W.P.No.23138 of 2025, which was disposed of *vide* order dated 03.09.2025, and thus prayed to pass a similar order in the present Writ Petition also.

4. Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Services-III did not dispute the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner with regard to the disposal of W.P.No.23138 of 2025 dated 03.09.2025 and submits that the respondents will release the amounts on a priority basis of the token numbers and prayed this Court to pass appropriate orders.

5. Having regard to the above made submissions and for the reasons alike in the order dated 03.09.2025 passed by the

Division Bench of this Court in W.P.No.23138 of 2025, this Writ Petition is disposed of directing the respondents to ensure that the entire amount payable to the petitioner is released as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of six (6) weeks from today, failing which, the entire amount with regard to the retiral benefits shall carry interest at the rate of 10% per annum, from the date the amount fell due, till the actual date of its payment.

Miscellaneous petitions pending, if any, in this Writ Petition, shall stand closed. There shall be no order as to costs.

SD/- T. SRINIVASA REDDY
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To

1. The Principal Secretary, Finance and planning Department, Secretariat, State of Telangana at Hyderabad.
2. The Principal Secretary, Home Department, Secretariat, State of Telangana, Hyderabad.
3. The District Treasury Officer, Karimnagar District.
4. The Sub Treasurer Officer, Karimnagar, Karimnagar District.
5. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES- III, High Court for the State of Telangana at Hyderabad. [OUT]
6. One CC to Ms. K.SRISHILPA, Advocate [OPUC]
7. Two CD Copies

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GJP

C.C. TODAY

HIGH COURT

DATED: 21/04/2026



ORDER

WP.No.12050 of 2026

DISPOSING OF THE W.P

AT THE STAGE OF ADMISSION

WITHOUT COSTS.