IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA

AT HYDERABAD
(Special Original Jurisdiction)

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY EIGHTH DAY OF OCTOBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE NARSING RAO NANDIKONDA

WRIT PETITION NO: 36403 OF 2026

Between:

Smt.K. Dorathi, W/o. Nageswar Rao, Aged 62 years, Retired Secondary Grade Teacher, R/o.SH.No.1-90-27, MLG-61, Housing Board Colony, Miryalaguda, Nalgonda District.

...PETITIONER

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Commissioner and Director, School Education, Telangana, Hyderabad.
3. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Telangana, Hyderabad.
4. The District Treasury Officer / Assistant Director of Treasuries, Nalgonda, Nalgonda District.
5. The Assistant Treasury Officer, Divisional Sub Treasury Office, Miryalaguda, Nalgonda District.
6. The Mandal Educational Officer, Mandal Parishad, Miryalaguda, Nalgonda 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 issue a writ order or direction especially one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring that a)the action of the Respondents in not making payment of terminal benefits to the Petitioner in pursuance of letter/ proceedings issued by the Principal Accountant General (A & E), Hyderabad in Lr.No.AG(A and E)/P13/II/D-

177/SP936/2025-03/167 Dated 21.04.2025 is illegal, arbitrary and discriminatory, violating Article 14, 16 and 300-A of the Constitution of India. b)further declare that, the Respondents shall forthwith release all terminal benefits payable to the Petitioner including Death-cum-Retirement, Gratuity, Commutation of Pension, General Provident Fund amount and encashment of Earned Leave and Earned Leave amount and other benefits in pursuance of his retirement dated 30.04.2025 and the proceedings in Lr.No.AG(A and E)/P13/II/D-177/SP936/2025-03/167 Dated 21.04.2025 of the Principal Accountant General (A and E), Hyderabad viz., an amount of Rs.16,00,000/- sanctioned towards retirement gratuity viz., Rs.9,92,550/- sanctioned vide token No.2600345465 dated 16.05.2025 and Rs.6,07,450/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600345468 dated 16.05.2025 respectively, further amount of Rs.15,72.503/- sanctioned towards retirement Commuted Value of Pension, Service Pension of the Petitioner was fixed as Rs.40,480/-, DA Arrears of Rs.76,489/ - sanctioned vide Token No.2524155492 dated 10.03.2025, Service fixation difference Arrears amount of Rs.5,83,400/- sanctioned vide Token No.2522945107 dated 01.10.2024, Encashment of Leave amount of Rs.6,08,272/- sanctioned vide Token No.2524192429 dated 26.05.2025, PRC Arrears amount of Rs.19,074/- vide Token No.2600432532, Rs.19,075/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432536, Rs.19,074/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432545, Rs.19,075/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432532, Rs.19,073/- sanctioned vide Token No. No.2600432553, Rs.19,076/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432558, Rs.19,073/- sanctioned No.2600432611, Rs.19,075/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432610, Rs.19,073/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432620, Rs.19,075/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432623, Rs.19,073/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432646, Rs.19,074/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432647 dated 26.05.2025. c) the Respondents have no right or power to withhold the terminal benefits payable to the petitioner after his retirement.

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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 to direct the Respondents to forthwith release all the terminal benefits payable to the Petitioner in pursuance of the Lr.No.AG(A and E)/P13/11/D 177/SP936/2025-03/167 Dated

21.04.2025 of the Principal Accountant General (A and E), Hyderabad viz., an amount of Rs.16,00,000/- sanctioned towards retirement gratuity viz., Rs.9,92,550/- sanctioned vide token No.2600345465 dated 16.05.2025 and Rs.6,07,450/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600345468 dated 16.05.2025 respectively, further amount of Rs.15,72,503/- sanctioned towards retirement Commuted Value Of Pension, Service Pension of the Petitioner was fixed as Rs.40,480/-, DA Arrears of Rs.76,489/- sanctioned vide Token No.2524155492 dated 10.03.2025, Service fixation difference Arrears amount of Rs.5,83,400/- sanctioned vide Token No.2522945107 dated 01.10.2024, Encashment of Leave amount of Rs.6,08,272/- sanctioned vide Token No.2524192429 dated 26.05.2025, PRC Arrears amount of Rs.19,074/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432532, Rs.19,075/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432536, Rs.19,074/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432545, Rs.19,075/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432532, Rs.19,073/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432553, Rs.19,076/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432558, Rs.19,073/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432611, Rs.19,075/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432610, Rs.19,073/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432620, Rs.19,075/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432623, Rs.19,073/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432646, Rs.19,074/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600432647 dated 26.05.2025.

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI. GADDAM JALPATH REDDY
SRI VENKAT REDDY

Counsel for the Respondents No. 1 & 3 To 5: GP FOR SERVICES –III
Counsel for the Respondents No.2 & 6 : GP FOR SERVICES –I

The Court made the following: ORDER

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE NARSING RAO NANDIKONDA

WRIT PETITION No.36403 of 2026
CNR No. HBHC010745682026

DATE 28.10.2026

Between:

K. Dorathi. ***...Petitioner***

AND

The State of Telangana and others. ***...Respondents***

ORDER :

Heard ***Sri G. Jalpath Reddy SVR***, learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Government Pleader for Services-I and learned Government Pleader for Services-II appearing for the respondents. Perused the material on record. With their consent, this Writ Petition is taken up for disposal at the stage of admission itself.

2. This writ petition is filed questioning the inaction of the respondents in releasing the petitioner's retiral and other retirement benefits, despite the generation of token numbers by the respondent authorities for payment of the amounts due to the petitioner.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that despite issuing the token numbers, the respondents have failed to release the retiral and other retirement benefits amounts due to the petitioner without any reason. It is further submitted that the said token numbers are still

pending for approval before the Government and till today, the petitioner has not received the retiral benefits amount.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that an identical issue fell for consideration before the Division Bench of this Court in W.P. No.23138 of 2025, which was disposed of on 03.09.2025, directing the respondent authorities therein to release, on a priority basis, the amounts in respect of which token numbers had already been generated, within a period of six weeks. It was further directed that, in the event of failure to release the amounts within the stipulated period, interest at the rate of 10% per annum would be payable from the date on which the amounts fell due until the date of actual payment and prayed this Court to pass similar order.

5. The learned Government Pleader for Services-I and learned Government Pleader for Services-III appearing for the respondents does not dispute the petitioner's entitlement to the retiral and pensionary benefits or the fact that token numbers have already been generated after processing the bills by the concerned department. It is however submitted that, the token numbers are pending for approval and sought some time to complete the necessary process and release the amounts due to the petitioner.

6. Having considered the submissions made by the learned counsel appearing for both parties and upon perusal of the material available on

record, this Court finds that the petitioner seeks relief similar to that granted by the Division Bench of this Court in W.P. No.23138 of 2025, dated 03.09.2025. The learned Government Pleader has not disputed the petitioner's entitlement to the amounts claimed or opposed the grant of similar relief.

7. In view of the above circumstances, this Court deems it appropriate to dispose of the writ petition in consonance with the order passed by Division Bench of this Court in WP No.23138 of 2025, dated 03.09.2025. Accordingly, the respondents are directed to release the entire amount payable to the petitioner towards retiral and other retirement benefits, as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of eight (8) weeks from today. In the event of failure to release the said amounts within the stipulated period, the amounts payable towards the retiral benefits shall carry interest at the rate of 10% per annum from the respective dates on which the amounts fell due until the date of actual payment.

8. With the above directions, this writ petition is allowed. There shall be no order as to costs. As a sequel, miscellaneous applications, if any pending, shall stand closed.

SD/- K.V.O NARSI BABU
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department, State of Telangana, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Commissioner and Director, School Education, Telangana, Hyderabad.
3. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Telangana, Hyderabad.
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6. The Mandal Educational Officer, Mandal Parishad, Miryalaguda, Nalgonda District.
7. One CC to SRI. GADDAM JALPATH REDDY SRI VENKAT REDDY, Advocate [OPUC]
8. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES- III, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad [OUT]
9. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES-I, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad [OUT]
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HIGH COURT **CC TODAY**

DATED: 28/10/2026



ORDER

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