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

WRIT PETITION NO: 36540 OF 2026

Between:

1. SANIYA SULTHANA, D/o. M.D. Afzaluddin, Aged about 21 years, Occ. Student, R/o. H.No.20-47/A, Pathakota, Gandhi Chowk, Wanaparthy Municipality, Wanaparthy, Mahabubnagar District, Telangana - 509103.
2. PATHLAVATH SRIJA, D/o. Pathulavath Kotya, Aged about 17 years, Occ. Student, R/o. H.No.4-54, Rainonikunta Thanda, Vemula Village, Midjil Mandal, Mahabubnagar District, Telangana - 509357, being a minor represented by her father and natural guardian, Pathulavath Kotya, aged about 47 years.
3. B. SHRUSHRITHA SRI, D/o. B. Vidhya Rani, Aged about 18 years, Occ. Student, R/o. H.No.45-326/2, Plot No.362/SP, Road No.8, Sree Maruthi Nagar, Badangpet, Balapur, Ranga Reddy District, Telangana - 500058.

...PETITIONERS

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department, Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad.
2. Kaloji Narayana Rao University of Health Sciences, Rep. by its Registrar, Warangal, 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 a Writ, Order or Direction, more particularly one in the nature of Mandamus, declaring the separate speaking orders issued by the 2nd respondent dated 24.09.2026 in respect of petitioner No.1 and dated 29.09.2026 in respect of petitioners Nos.2 and 3, refusing consideration under Management Quota Category-C/NRI for MBBS admissions 2026-27, as arbitrary, discriminatory and violative of

Article 14 of the Constitution of India consequently set aside the said orders and direct the 2nd respondent to receive and consider the petitioners' requests for correction of the NRI-category option, scrutinise their NRI sponsorship and eligibility documents, and permit eligible petitioners to participate in the next available NRI counselling round in accordance with law, merit and seat availability.

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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 2nd respondent to provisionally receive the petitioners' requests for NRI-category correction and supporting documents, and consider their participation in the next available NRI counselling round, subject to eligibility and the result of this writ petition, pending disposal of the writ petition.

Counsel for the Petitioners: SRI CHIKKUDU PRABHAKAR, SENIOR COUNSEL FOR SRI D.S.KISHEN
Counsel for the Respondent No.1: SRI R.NAGARJUNA REDDY, AGP FOR MEDICAL HEALTH & FW
Counsel for the Respondent No.2: SRI T.SHARATH, SC FOR KNRUHS

The Court made the following: ORDER

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THE HON'BLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE P.SAM KOSHY AND THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE SUDDALA CHALAPATHI RAO

WRIT PETITION No.36540 OF 2026
(CNR No.HBHC010752372026)

Dated: 28.10.2026

Between:

Saniya Sulthana and 2 others

...Petitioners

AND

The State of Telangana.
Rep. by its Principal Secretary,
Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department,
Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad and another

...Respondents

ORDER: *(per the Hon'ble the Acting Chief Justice P.Sam Koshy)*

Heard Sri Chikkudu Prabhakar, learned Senior Counsel representing Sri D.S. Kishan, leaned counsel for the petitioners, Sri R. Nagarjuna Reddy, learned Assistant Government Pleader for Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department, appearing for respondent No.1 and Sri T. Sharath, learned Standing Counsel for Kaloji Narayana Rao University of Health Sciences, appearing for respondent No.2.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners after arguing for some time prays for disposal of the instant Writ Petition with liberty to the petitioners to approach the respondent-authorities by way of detailed representations

seeking to consider their case under NRI Quota in spite of the fact that at the time of filling up of the registration form, the petitioners had not sought for admission under the NRI Quota, under the compelling circumstances then prevailing.

3. On the other hand, learned Standing Counsel for respondent No.2-University submits that liberty should be left with the respondent-authorities to consider the representations strictly in accordance with the Rules and Regulations governing the field.

4. Accordingly, the instant Writ Petition is disposed of directing the petitioners to approach the respondent-authorities by way of detailed representations, which shall be considered by the respondent-authorities in accordance with the Rules and Regulations governing the field. There shall be no order as to costs.

Miscellaneous applications, if any pending, shall stand closed.

SD/- S.MALLIKARJUNA RAO
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To

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4. The Principal Secretary, Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department, Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad, State of Telangana.
5. The Registrar, Kaloji Narayana Rao University of Health Sciences, Warangal, Telangana
6. One CC to SRI D.S.KISHEN, Advocate [OPUC]
7. One CC to SRI T.SHARATH, SC FOR KNRUHS [OPUC]
8. Two CCs to GP FOR MEDICAL HEALTH & FW, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad. [OUT]
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CC TODAY

HIGH COURT

DATED: 28/10/2026



ORDER
WP.No.36540 of 2026

DISPOSING OF THE WRIT PETITION

WITHOUT COSTS.

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28/10/26