



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

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**FRIDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE VENKATESWARLU NIMMAGADDA

WRIT PETITION NO: 12593/2026

Between:

1. KANCHARAPU RAJESH, S/O K. RAJULU, AGED ABOUT 37 YEARS, RESENTLY WORKING AS CONSTABLE (GD), CISF NO. 140801174, ISF UNIT, VSP VISAKHAPATNAM, ...PETITIONER ANDHRA PRADESH - 530031.

...PETITIONER

AND

1. UNION OF INDIA, UNION OF INDIA, REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS, NORTH BLOCK, NEW DELHI - 110001.
2. STAFF SELECTION COMMISSION, REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRMAN, BLOCK NO.12, CGO COMPLEX, LODHI ROAD, NEW DELHI - 110003.
3. DIRECTOR GENERAL, CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY FORCE (CISF), FORCE HEADQUARTERS, CGO COMPLEX, LODHI ROAD, NEW DELHI - 110003.
4. THE COMMANDANT, CISF UNIT, VSP VISAKHAPATNAM, ANDHRA PRADESH - 530031

...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 topleased to issue any Writ, Order, or Direction, particularly one in the nature of a writ of Mandamus to declare the action of the respondents in not according notional seniority and notional pay fixation to petitioners from the initial date of appointment as 05.04.2012 as notional seniority of the petitioner on par with his batch-mates as illegal, arbitrary and violative of

constitutional remedies and consequently direct the respondents to fix notional seniority of petitioner w.e.f. 05.04.2012 on par with his batch-mates along with all consequential service benefits, and 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 to consider the representation of the petitioner to accord notional seniority to the petitioner and pass

Counsel for the Petitioner:

1.DUMPA SRIDEVI

Counsel for the Respondent(S):

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The Court made the following:

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE VENKATESWARLU NIMMAGADDA**WRIT PETITION NO: 12593/2026****ORDER:**

This writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of the India seeking the following reliefs:-

“to issue a writ, order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declare the action of the respondents in not according notional seniority and notional pay fixation to petitioners from the initial date of appointment as 05.04.2012 as notional seniority of the petitioner on par with his batch-mates as illegal, arbitrary and violative of constitutional remedies and consequently direct the respondents to fix notional seniority of petitioner w.e.f. 05.04.2012 on par with his batch-mates along with all consequential service benefits and pass such other order.”

2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the respondents.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner submitted representations dated 03.02.2025, 15.02.2025 & 15.12.2025 to the respondents requesting for grant of notional seniority and consequential service benefits. But, the respondents did not consider the case of the petitioner. Hence, the writ petition.

4. On the other hand, learned Government Pleader for the respondents submits that the respondents would consider the representations of the petitioner and pass appropriate orders as early as possible.

5. Considering the submissions made by the learned counsel for all the parties and on perusal of the material placed on record,

this Court inclined to dispose of the writ petition directing the respondent Nos.3 and 4 to consider the representation dated 15.12.2025 of the petitioner and pass appropriate orders, after providing opportunity of hearing to the petitioner in accordance with law, within a period of three (3) months from the date of receipt of copy of this Order.

6. With the above direction, the Writ Petition is disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

As a sequel miscellaneous application, pending, if any, shall also stand closed.

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