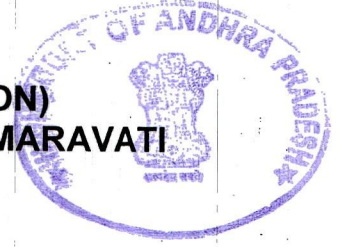


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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)
TUESDAY, THE 7th DAY OF JULY, 2026.**



:PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE NYAPATHY VIJAY
WRIT PETITION NO: 18203 OF 2026**

Between:

P.Prabhakara Rao, S/o. Venkateswarlu, Aged 60 years, Occ: Chief Executive Officer, No. B-302, Antarvedi PACS Limited, Antarvedi, R/o. D. No. 2-13/2, Pallipalem, Pandela, Sakhinetipalli, East Godavari District, A.P.-533252

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Agriculture & Co-operation Department, Secretariat, Amaravathi.-522238
2. The Commissioner for Co-operation & Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Sky Lark Towers, D.No.2-16-83, 11th Line, Syamala Nagar, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh.-522006
3. The Divisional Co-operative Officer, Amalapuram, East Godavari District.-533201
4. The District Co-operative officer (DCO), Kakinada, East Godavari District.-533201
5. The District Co-operative Central Bank Ltd, East Godavari District, Rep. by its Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Amalapuram.-533201
6. No.B-302, Antarvedi Primary Agriculture Co-operative Society Limited, Antarvedi, East Godavari District, A.P., Rep. by its Chairperson/Official Person-in-charge.-533252

Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioner above named through his Advocate Sri NARESH KUMAR GUNDAPU presented this 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 of an appropriate Writ, Order, or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus, by declaring the action of the Respondents in preventing the petitioner to be in service as Chief Executive Officer of the 6th Respondent up to age of 62 years, even after passing a resolution unanimously vide its Resolution No.3, dated 06.03.2026, letter dated 30.06.2026 by the 6th Respondent Society by increasing the age of retirement from 60 to 62 years, as illegal, arbitrary, without jurisdiction and contrary to the principles of natural justice, violative of Fundamental Rights guaranteed under Articles 14, 16 and 21 of the Constitution of India and contrary to the provisions of the Andhra Pradesh Cooperative Societies Act, 1964 and Rules framed thereunder, consequently, direct the Respondents to continue the service of the petitioner till he attains the age of 62 years;

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and memorandum of grounds filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri NARESH KUMAR GUNDAPU Advocate for the Petitioner and of GP for Agriculture and cooperation, Sri Srinivas Basava, Standing counsel for R5, directed issue of notice to the Respondent No.6 herein to show cause as to why this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

The Chairperson/Official Person-in-charge, No.B-302, Antarvedi Primary Agriculture Co-operative Society Limited, Antarvedi, East Godavari District, A.P., -533252

are be and hereby directed to show cause either appearing in person or through an Advocate as to why in the circumstances set out in the petition and the affidavit filed therewith (copy enclosed) this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

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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 continue the services of the petitioner till

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DATED:07/07/2026

POST THIS CASE ALONG WITH W.P.NO.16400 OF 2026

NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION

WP.No.18203 of 2026

INTERIM ORDER

