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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)

THURSDAY, THE TENTH DAY OF JULY

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE CHALLA GUNARANJAN

WRIT PETITION NO: 17243 OF 2025

Between:

K. Krishna Murthy, S/o. Sanyasi, Aged about 56 years, Occ: Assistant Commandant (APSP), Presently working on deputation in Special Protection Force Vijayawada

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, rep by its Principal Secretary to Government Home Department, Secretariat Velagapudi, Guntur District.
2. The Director General of Police, A P Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
3. The Inspector General of Police, APSP Battalions, Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
4. Sri A.N. Ranga Babu, S/o. Not Known, Aged about 56 years, Occ: Assistant Commandant, Octopus, Vaddeswaram, Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
5. Sri D. Venkateswara Rao, S/o. Not Known, Aged about 57 years, Occ: Assistant Commandant, 6th Battalion, APSP Mangalagiri, Guntur District

6. Sri K Rambabu, S/o. K. Srirarnulu, Aged about 58 years, Occ: Assistant Commandant, Intelligence Security Wing, Atmakur, Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
7. Sri Ch. Peter, S/o. Not Known, Aged about 57 years, Occ: Assistant Commandant APSP 14th Battalion, Anantapur District.

Respondents

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is filed 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 Writ of Mandamus declaring the order of 3rd respondent, in Rc.No. A1/126/2014/HOO No. 302/2025, dated 26.06.2025 where under the settled seniority of RSIs was revised and Respondents 4 to 7 were shown over and above the petitioner, being bad, illegal, arbitrary, discriminatory, without considering the objections placed on 22.02.2025 and 21.06.2025, and in gross violation of principles of natural justice and offends Articles 14 & 16 of Constitution of India and consequentially to set aside the same and to direct to act up on the seniority and merit as per the final seniority of Reserve Sub-Inspectors communicated in Rc.No. 581/A1/96 dated 23.06.1999 as per Ex. 14 and 15 in W.P.No. 5323/2018.

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Petition under Section 151 CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the operation of the order of 3rd respondent, in Rc.No. A1/126/2014/HOO No. 302/2025, dated 26.06.2025, including further promotions to the post of Additional Commandant, Pending disposal of WP 17243 of 2025, on the file of the High Court.

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Sri V V N NARASIMHAM Advocate for the Petitioner, GP FOR SERVICES I for the Respondent Nos.1 to 3 and the Court made the following.

ORDER:

“Learned Government Pleader for Services-I takes notice for respondent Nos.1 to 3 and seeks time to get instructions.

List this matter on 17.07.2025 in the same list.

Meanwhile, respondent authorities are directed not to proceed with any further promotions.”

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For /

SD/- K.J.RAJA BABU
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary to Government Home Department, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Velagapudi, Guntur District.[By Special Messenger]
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8. One CC to SRI. V V N NARASIMHAM Advocate [OPUC]
9. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES I ,High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
10. **One spare copy**

HIGH COURT

CGR,J

DATED:10/07/2025

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ORDER

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DIRECTION

