

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

**MONDAY, THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE**

:PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K SREENIVASA REDDY
WRIT PETITION NO: 19809 OF 2025**



Between:

Melika Ravi alias ELIKA RAVI, S/o Melika Rupas, occ. Government Employee, R/o 4-14/A, Ganesh Nagar, Narapally, Ghatkesar Mandal Hyderabad-500 088, Telangana State.

... Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary Tribal Welfare Department, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Guntur District.
2. The Secretary, Department of Tribal Welfare Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Guntur District.
3. The District Collector-cum-Magistrate, Prakasam District.
4. The Assistant Director (Vig.), O/o the Chief Postmaster General, Telangana Circle, Hyderabad - 500001.
5. The Senior Superintendent RMS, General Post Office Building, 3rd Floor, Hyderabad Sorting Division, Hyderabad - 500001.

... 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 of Mandamus, declaring the order passed by 3rd respondent/District Collector in Rc.No.4/241739/2021 dated 17.03.2021, and confirmed by the 2nd respondent/Government in G.O.Ms.No.16 dated 23.07.2025, as illegal, arbitrary and contrary to The Andhra Pradesh (SCs, STs and BC) Regulation of Issue of Community Certificates Act, 1993 and Rules framed thereunder, besides violative of principles of natural Justice and consequently set

aside the order passed by 3rd respondent/District Collector in Rc.No.4/241739/2021 dated 17.03.2021 and confirmed by the 2nd respondent/Government in G.O.Ms.No.16 dated 23.07.2025, to maintain my social status as a Member of Scheduled Tribe.

IA NO: 1 OF 2025

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 suspend the order passed by 3rd respondent/District Collector in Rc.No.4/241739/2021 dated 17.03.2021, and confirmed by the 2nd respondent/Government in G.O.Ms.No.16 dated 23.07.2025, Pending disposal of WP 19809 of 2025, on the file of the High Court.

IA NO: 2 OF 2025

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 stay the suspension order vide No.B1/HSD/ER/Corr/2025 dated 25.07.2025 passed by the 5th respondent and to continue my service, Pending disposal of WP 19809 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 Venkat Chalasani Advocate for the Petitioner, GP FOR SOCIAL WELFARE for the Respondents No.1 and 2 and of GP for Revenue for the Respondent No.3 and the Court made the following

ORDER:

“Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Pleader for respondent Nos.1 and 2.

In the facts and circumstances of the case, there shall be interim suspension of order passed by 3rd respondent/ District Collector in Rc.No.4/241739/2021, dated 17.03.2021, and confirmed by the 2nd respondent/Government in G.O.Ms.No.16, dated 23.07.2025, for a period of six (6) weeks.

List the matter after four (4) weeks."

Sd/- K.TATA RAO
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

For /

To,

1. The Principal Secretary Tribal Welfare Department, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Guntur District.
2. The Secretary, Department of Tribal Welfare Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Guntur District. **(Addressee Nos.1 and 2 by SPECIAL MESSENGER)**
3. The District Collector-cum-Magistrate, Prakasam District.
4. The Assistant Director (Vig.), O/o the Chief Postmaster General, Telangana Circle, Hyderabad - 500001.
5. The Senior Superintendent RMS, General Post Office Building, 3rd Floor, Hyderabad Sorting Division, Hyderabad - 500001.
Respondents (Addressee Nos. 3 to 5 by RPAD)
6. One CC to SRI VENKAT CHALASANI Advocate [OPUC]
7. Two CCs to GP FOR SOCIAL WELFARE, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
8. Two CCs to GP FOR REVENUE, High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
9. One spare copy

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HIGH COURT

SRK,J

DATED:15/09/2025

LIST THE MATTER AFTER FOUR (4) WEEKS

ORDER

WP.No.19809 of 2025

INTERIM SUSPENSION

