

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE BATTU DEVANAND

WRIT PETITION No.25806 of 2021

ORDER:-

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned counsel appearing for the respondents. Perused the material available on record.

2) The issue raised in the present writ petition is squarely covered by the order of this Court in the case of ***Rayapureddy Srinivasa Rao v Government of Andhra Pradesh, represented by its Principal Secretary to Government and others and batch***¹.

3) By following the above order, the Writ Petition is allowed with the following directions:

- i) The Memo No.1263069/RD.II/A1/2020, dated 05.11.2020 and the Memo No.1388361/RD.II/A1/2020, dated 12.05.2021 issued by the Respondent No.1 are set aside to the extent of deduction of 21.02% for DCC works and 6.333% for MCC works while making payment to the petitioner.
- ii) The respondents are directed to clear the bills submitted by the petitioner and to release

¹ 2021 SCC Online AP 3084

payment forthwith, in case no payment is made till date.

iii) In case, any part payment is made as on date, the remaining amount shall be paid to the petitioner forthwith.

iv) The respondents shall pay interest @ 12% per annum within a period of four (4) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

v) The interest shall be computed from the date of expiry of one month from the date of submission of the bill by the petitioner to till the date of final payment.

4) There shall be no order as to costs.

Miscellaneous petitions pending, if any, in this case shall stand closed.

JUSTICE BATTU DEVANAND

Date : 05.11.2021

Note: Issue CC by 06-11-2021.

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