

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

**THURSDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF JULY,
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE NYAPATHY VIJAY

WRIT PETITION NO: 30497 OF 2025



Between:

G.Ravi Kumar, S/o Vijaya Prasad, Aged 60 years, Working as Special Grade Civil Surgeon, ESI Hospital, Vijayawada, R/o 202 Kamala Residency, Do.No.48-11-10/5A Near Aayush Hospital. Currency Nagar, Vijayawada-08, ESI Hospital, Vijayawada.

...Petitioner/s

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep by its Special Chief Secretary to Government, Labour, Factories, Boilers and Insurance Medical Services Department, A.P. Secretariat, Velgapudi, Guntur District.
2. The Director of Insurance Medical Services, State of Andhra Pradesh, Kesineni Venkaiah Nagar, Enikepadu, Vijayawada, NTR 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 declare the action of the respondents in not concluding long pending disciplinary proceedings vide G.O.Rt.No.165 Labour, Factories, Boilers and IMS (IMS and VIG) Department dated 11.05.2022 (incident pertaining to the year 2009), as per

G.O.Ms.No.679 GA (SER.C) Department, dated 1.11.2008 and G.O.Ms.No. 91 GAD Dated- 12-09-2022 in spite of orders passed in W.P.No. 28832 of 2022 dated 25-10-2024 is illegal, arbitrary and against the principles of natural justice and the inaction of the Respondents is against the spirit of judgment of the Honble Apex Court, reported in P.V.MAHADEVAN Vs. M.D. TAMIL NADU HOUSING BOARD and further, direct the Respondents to complete the disciplinary proceedings within 03 months, failing which the proceedings deemed to be quashed in and in terms of the similar orders passed in W.A.No. 1072 of 2025 dated- 07-10-2025;

IA NO: 1 OF 2025:

Petition under Section 151 of CPC is filed praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, the High Court may be pleased to direct the respondents to conclude the disciplinary proceedings within 3 months, pending against the petitioner vide G.O.Rt.No.165 Labour, Factories, Boilers and IMS (IMS and VIG) Department dated 11.05.2022, pending disposal of WP.No.30497 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 the earlier orders of the High Court dated: 11.11.2025, 09.12.2025, 18.12.2025, 30.12.2025 & 11.02.2026 made herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri CHILAMKURTHI SATYA DEV NAIDU, Advocate for the Petitioner and of Sri D. VAMSI KRISHNA, learned Assistant GP for Services II for the Respondents;

The Court made the following ORDER:

Today, Sri G. Sai Prasad, Chief Secretary to the State Government is present before this Court virtually and submits that the figure of disciplinary cases pending as on 31.12.2025 is more than what was earlier mentioned and that the figures stand around 6,500 and odd cases.

Today, it is stated that among those cases 1437 cases have been concluded and steps are being initiated to conclude the disciplinary enquiries, as expeditiously as possible, adhering to the time schedules to the extent possible.

It is also informed that appropriate instructions would be given to the disciplinary authorities and to the officers who have conducted preliminary enquiries to ensure timely issuance of Charge-Memorandums and conclusion of departmental enquiries within time schedules. It was further stated that in default, disciplinary action would be initiated against those individuals for the delays. Further, it was stated that parameters for issuance of Charge-Memorandum under Rule 20 i.e., major penalty would also be considered and appropriate instructions would be issued.

It is also stated that comprehensive meetings are scheduled to be conducted in the course of two (2) weeks.

In the interregnum, the Respondents are directed to adhere to hasten up the disciplinary enquiries and conclude the same as high priority.

Sd/- N. NAGAMMA
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Labour, Factories, Boilers and Insurance Medical Services Department, The State of

Andhra Pradesh, A.P. Secretariat, Velgapudi, Guntur District. (by
SPECIAL MESSENGER)

2. The Director of Insurance Medical Services, State of Andhra Pradesh, Kesineni Venkaiah Nagar, Enikepadu, Vijayawada, NTR District. (BY RPAD)
3. One CC to Sri. CHILAMKURTHI SATYA DEV NAIDU, Advocate [OPUC]
4. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES II, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
5. One spare copy

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HIGH COURT

VN, J

DATED:02.07.2026.

ORDER

WP.No.30497 of 2025

DIRECTION

