

(SHOW CAUSE NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION)
IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
TUESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF NOVEMBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE



:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K SREENIVASA REDDY

WRIT PETITION NO: 30416 OF 2025

Between:

Sri Saraswathi College of Education, Represented by its Correspondent Sri. Budutha Thimmaiah runs under Adarsa Educational Society, Old Badwel Road, Giddalur, Prakasam District Andhra Pradesh.

.... Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Represented by its Special Chief Secretary Department of Higher Education Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.
2. The Andhra Pradesh State Council for Higher Education (APSCHE), Represented by its Secretary Neeladri Towers, Sri Ram Nagar Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
3. Rayalaseema University, Represented by its Registrar Kurnool, Nandyal Highway, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.
4. Andhra Kesari University, Represented by its Registrar behind Mini Stadium, Ramnagar, Pelluru, Ongole, Andhra Pradesh 523001
5. National Council for Teacher Education, Southern Regional Committee Represented by its Regional Director, G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110075.

....Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioner above named through its Advocate SRI VIJAY MATHUKUMILLI 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 a Writ of Mandamus or any other appropriate writ, order or direction, declaring the Government Memo

No. 2963031/HE-RM/A2/20 25 dated 04-09-2025 issued by the 1st Respondent and the consequential communication of the 2nd Respondent (APSCHE) vide letter No. APSCHE/CETs-B.Ed-NoC of State/2025, Dated 01-10-2025 to the 5th Respondent, NCTE as illegal, arbitrary, unconstitutional, and ultra vires the provisions of the NCTE Act, 1993 and Regulations, 2014 and consequently direct the 4th Respondent, Andhra Kesari University, to consider the Petitioner's application for affiliation at its shifted premises without insisting upon any NOC from the State Government, and to process the same in accordance with the NCTE Act and Regulations.

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and affidavit filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri SRI VIJAY MATHUKUMILLI Advocate for the Petitioner, GP FOR HIGHER EDUCATION for respondent no.1, Smt. K.Radhika Standing Counsel for respondent No.2, Sri N.Vijay Santhi, Standing Counsel for respondent no.3, Sri V.Hemanth Kumar Standing Counsel for respondent No.5, directed issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

1. The Special Chief Secretary Department of Higher Education, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.
2. The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Council for Higher Education (APSCHE), Neeladri Towers, Sri Ram Nagar Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
3. The Registrar Kurnool, Rayalaseema University, Nandyal Highway, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.
4. The Registrar, Andhra Kesari University, behind Mini Stadium, Ramnagar, Pelluru, Ongole, Andhra Pradesh 523001

5. The Regional Director, National Council for Teacher Education, Southern Regional Committee G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110075.

are be and hereby directed to show cause either appearing in person or through an advocate on or before 11.11.2025 to which date the case stands posted 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.

The Court made the following: ORDER

"Notice before admission.

Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Higher Education takes notice for respondent No. 1 and seeks time for getting instructions.

Learned Standing Counsel for APSCH takes notice for respondent No.2 and seeks time for getting instructions.

Learned Standing Counsel for the University takes notice for respondent No.3 and seeks time for getting instructions.

Learned Standing Counsel for NCTE takes notice for respondent No.5 and seeks time for filing counter-affidavit.

Learned counsel for the Writ Petitioner(s) is permitted to take out personal notice to the respondent No.4-Andhra Kesari University through Registered Post with Acknowledgement Due and shall file proof of service in the Registry within a period of three (03) weeks.

List the matter on 11.11.2025."

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**SD/- K.TATA RAO
DEPUTY REGISTRAR**

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Special Chief Secretary Department of Higher Education, State of Andhra Pradesh, Secretariat Buildings, Velagapudi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.
2. The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Council for Higher Education (APSCHE), Neeladri Towers, Sri Ram Nagar Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
3. The Registrar Kurnool, Rayalaseema University, Nandyal Highway, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.
4. The Registrar, Andhra Kesari University, behind Mini Stadium, Ramnagar, Pelluru, Ongole, Andhra Pradesh 523001
5. The Regional Director, National Council for Teacher Education, Southern Regional Committee G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110075. **(1 to 5 by RPAD- along with a copy of petition and memorandum of grounds)**
6. One CC to SRI. SRI VIJAY MATHUKUMILLI Advocate [OPUC]
7. One CC to Smt. K.Radhika, Standing Counsel [OPUC]
8. One CC to Sri N.Vijay Santhi, Standing Counsel [OPUC]
9. One CC to Sri V.Hemanth Kumar, Standing Counsel [OPUC]
10. Two CCs to GP FOR HIGHER EDUCATION ,High Court Of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
11. **One spare copy**

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HIGH COURT

SRK, J

DATED:04/11/2025

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