



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
AT AMARAVATI
(Special Original Jurisdiction)**

[3330]

WEDNESDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF JUNE
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE TARLADA RAJASEKHAR RAO

WRIT PETITION No. 40556/2022

BETWEEN:

1. AKULA VENKATESH, S/O A. MOHAN RAO, AGE 27 YEARS,
OCC NIL, R/O 34-061-344, GOVIND NAGAR 1ST LANE,
KURNOOL ROAD, ONGOLE, PRAKASAM-523001.
..PETITIONER

AND

1. THE STATE OF AP, REP. BY ITS SPECIAL CHIEF
SECRETARY, 1ST BLOCK, 1ST FLOOR, A.P SECRETARIAT
OFFICE, VELAGAPUDI-522023.

2. STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, REP. BY ITS PRINCIPAL
SECRETARY, MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT,
COMMISSIONER AND DIRECTOR OF MUNICIPAL
ADMINISTRATION, PRIME HILL CREST, 4TH FLOOR, NEAR
DGP OFFICE, BESIDE ULTRATECH READY MIX PLANT,
VADDESWAREM VILLAGE, MANGALAGIRI, ANDHRA
PRADESH-522502.

3. STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH, REP. BY ITS PRINCIPAL
SECRETARY, PANCHAYAT RAJ DEPARTMENT, PR AND RD
NO. 12-47, P.V.S. ICON, NEAR PRATUR CROSS ROAD
TADEPALLI, GUNTUR DISTRICT PIN 522 501.

4. THE COMMISSIONER, (PR AND RD), No. 12-47, P.V.S. ICON,
NEAR PRATUR CROSS ROAD TADEPALLI, GUNTUR
DISTRICT.

5.THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR, PRAKASAM BHAVAN, ONGOLE,
ANDHRA PRADESH 523201.

6.THE JOINT COLLECTOR, PRAKASAM BHAVAN, ONGOLE,
ANDHRA PRADESH 523201.

7.THE ZILLA PARISHAD CEO, (CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER)
PRAKASAM, ONGOLE, ANDHRA PRADESH 523201.

...RESPONDENT(S):

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 Writ, order or direction more particularly in the nature of Writ of Mandamus, declaring the inaction on the part of the Respondents in not taking any steps in filling up the sliding posts in spite of vacancies being listed out explicitly, that arose due to relinquishment or non-joining of the upward merit list in the Notification No.06/2020, dated 10-01-2020 till date, albeit multiple representations made by the petitioner herein along with similarly placed candidates, dated 11-06-2021 and 06-04-2021, as arbitrary, illegal and violative of Articles 14, 16 of the Constitution of India, violative of Principles of Natural Justice and consequently direct the Respondents to fill the said vacancies with the downward merit list and pass such other or further orders.

Counsel for the Petitioner:

1.HARINATH REDDY SOMAGUTTA

Counsel for the Respondent(S):

- 1.GP FOR REVENUE
- 2.GP FOR MUNICIPAL ADMN URBAN DEV
- 3.GP FOR PANCHAYAT RAJ RURAL DEV
- 4.GP FOR GENERAL ADMINISTRATION
- 5.GP for Village and Ward Secretariats
- 6.Mattegunta.Sudhir, Standing Counsel For Z.P.Ps, M.P.Ps, Gram Panchayats

The Court made the following:

ORDER:

This Writ Petition is filed for disposal of the representations. This Court has granted interim direction to the respondents to dispose of the representations. Accordingly, the respondents have rejected the representations. Assailing the same, the petitioner herein filed separate writ petition. As such, the present writ petition is rendered infructuous. Learned counsel for the petitioner endorsed the same on the case bundle.

Accordingly, the Writ Petition is dismissed as infructuous. There shall be no order as to costs.

As a sequel, interlocutory applications, if any, pending in this writ petition shall stand closed.

JUSTICE TARLADA RAJASEKHAR RAO

Date: 17.06.2026

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THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE TARLADA RAJASEKHAR RAO

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