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(SHOW CAUSE NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION)
IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI
(SPECIAL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)

MONDAY ,THE FIFTH DAY OF JANUARY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE NYAPATHY VIJAY

WRIT PETITION NO: 45 OF 2026



Between:

DV RANGA KUMAR, S/o Brahmanandam, Aged 54 years, D.No.72-29-4,
Spinning Mill Colony-1, Near CWC Godowns, Lalacheruvu, Rajamundry,
East Godavari District.

Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Represented by its Special Chief Secretary, Department of Industries and Commerce, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati- 522 238.
2. The Director of Mines and Geology,, Anjaneya Towers, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada-521 241
3. The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission,, Rep by its Secretary, New Government Offices Building, 2nd Floor, M.G.Road, Vijayawada- 520010.
4. Smt V.Nagini,, W/o G.Anil Babu, Divisional Mines and Geology Officer, Assistant Director of Mines, Sri Anjaneya Towers, D.No.7-104, 5 and 6 Floors, B-Block, Ibrahimpatnam, NTR District, A.P.-521 456.
5. Smt B.Vijaya Lakshmi,, Divisional Mines and Geology Officer, D.No-1-12-A, Opp APSRTC Depot, Balaji Nagar, Tekkali, Srikakulam District - 532 201.

6. Sri Majji Srinivas,, District Mines and Geology officer, D.No 16-4, Pt floor, Opp Visakha Financers, Function hall, Near Nookambica Street Anakapalli, 531 001.

Respondents

WHEREAS the Petitioner above named through his Advocate Sri. BALAJI MEDAMALLI 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, direction, order or orders more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring (a) the proceedings of the Pt respondent in Memo No. 847625/2019/A2/ESTT dated 01.07.2024 in rejecting my appeal against the fixing of seniority by the 2nd respondent and (b) the action of the 2nd respondent herein in fixing the seniority basing on the appointment made as per rule of reservation following the roster points by ignoring the order of merit, as highly arbitrary, illegal, null and void and contrary to the Rule 33 (b) of A.P.State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 and service jurisprudence and consequently to set aside the proceedings of the 1 respondent dated 01.07.2024 and to fix my seniority as per the merit by placing the petitioner over and above the respondent nos.4 to 6

AND WHEREAS the High Court upon perusing the petition and affidavit/memorandum of grounds filed herein and upon hearing the arguments of Sri BALAJI MEDAMALLI Advocate for the Petitioner, , GP for Mines and Geology for respondent Nos.1 and 2, Sri. G.Seena Kumar , SC for APPSC for respondent No.3 directed issue of notice to the unofficial Respondents herein to show cause as to why this WRIT PETITION should not be admitted.

You viz:

1. Smt V.Nagini,, W/o G.Anil Babu, Divisional Mines and Geology Officer, Assistant Director of Mines, Sri Anjaneya Towers, D.No.7-104, 5 and 6 Floors, B-Block, Ibrahimpatnam, NTR District, A.P.-521 456.

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are be and hereby directed to show cause either appearing in person or through an Advocate, as to why in the circumstances set out in the petition and the grounds filed therewith (copy enclosed) this WP should not be admitted on or before 02.02.2026 for which date the case stands posted for hearing;.

The Court made the following: ORDER

Issue notice to the unofficial respondent(s).

Learned counsel for the Petitioner is permitted to take out personal notice to the unofficial Respondent(s) by registered post with acknowledgment due and file proof of service.

Post on 02.02.2026.

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SD/- B.PRASAD RAO
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. Smt V.Nagini,, W/o G.Anil Babu, Divisional Mines and Geology Officer, Assistant Director of Mines, Sri Anjaneya Towers, D.No.7-104, 5 and 6 Floors, B-Block, Ibrahimpatnam, NTR District, A.P.-521 456.
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Anakapalli, 531 001. (1-3 by RPAD- along with a copy of petition and memorandum of grounds)

4. One CC to SRI. BALAJI MEDAMALLI Advocate [OPUC]
5. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES II ,High Court Of Andhra Pradesh.
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6. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

VNJ

DATED:05/01/2026

LIST THE MATTER ON 02.02.2026

NOTICE BEFORE ADMISSION

WP.No.45 of 2026

