

**HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD**

**TUESDAY, THE TWENTY FIRST DAY OF APRIL
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K. SARATH

**I.A.No. 1 OF 2026
IN
WP NO: 12135 OF 2026**

Between

Gangadhar Rao Thak, S/o. Ramchander Rao.

...PETITIONER

(Petitioner in WP NO: 12135 OF 2026
on the file of High Court)

AND

1. The State of Telangana, rep. by its Principal Secretary, Energy Department Secretariat, Hyderabad
2. Chairman and Managing Director, Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited, (TSSPDCL) corporate office at Mint Compound Hyderabad.
3. Chief General Manager, Human Resource Development, Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited, (TSSPDCL) Corporate Office at Mint Compound Hyderabad.
4. Superintending Engineer, Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited, (TSSPDCL) corporate office at Mettugadda, Mahabubnagar

...RESPONDENTS

(Respondents in-do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI D SUDHARSHAN

Counsel for the Respondent No.1 : GP FOR SERVICES II

Counsel for the Respondent Nos. 2 to 4 : SRI N SREEDHAR REDDY

Petition under Section 151 of C.P.C 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 consider the case of the Petitioner for

promotion to the post of Assistant Executive Engineer (Civil), without reference to the pendency of C.C. No. 39 of 2017 on the file of the Court of the Additional SPE and ACB Cases-cum-V Additional Chief Judge, Hyderabad, pending disposal of WP No 12135 of 2026, on the file of the High Court.

The court while directing issue of notice to the Respondents herein to show cause as to why this application should not be complied with, made the following order. (The receipt of this order will be deemed to be the receipt of notice in the case).

ORDER

Heard both sides and perused the material on record.

Having regard to the submissions made by the respective parties and in view of the law laid down by the Hon'ble Apex Court in *State of Punjab v. Chaman Lal Goyal*¹, there shall be an interim direction to the respondents to consider the case of the petitioner for promotion to the post of Assistant Executive Engineer (Civil), as and when promotions are effected, without reference to the pendency of C.C.No.39 of 2017 on the file of the Court of the Additional SPE & ACB Cases-cum-V Additional Chief Judge, Hyderabad, if the petitioner is otherwise eligible.

Sd/- L.VIJAYA LAKSHMI
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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To,

1. The Principal Secretary, Energy Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad [By SPAD]
2. Chairman and Managing Director, Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited, (TSSPDCL) corporate office at Mint Compound Hyderabad. [By SPAD]
3. Chief General Manager, Human Resource Development, Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Limited, (TSSPDCL) Corporate Office at Mint Compound Hyderabad. [By SPAD]

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5. One CC to Sri. D SUDHARSHAN Advocate [OPUC]
6. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES II, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad [OUT]
7. One spare copy

HIGH COURT

SK, J

DATED: 21-04-2026

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DIRECTION

