

**IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD
(Special Original Jurisdiction)**

TUESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K. SARATH

WRIT PETITION NO: 15166 OF 2026

Between:

A. Muralidhar, S/o Narsimulu, Age. 62yrs, Occ. Retd. School Assistant, ZPHS Mandipal, Chowdapur Mandal, Vikarabad District, R/o H.No.14-11-97/A1/R88, Plot No.27, Near Hanuman Temple, SR Nagar, Marlu, Mahabubnagar - 509 001.

.....PETITIONER

AND

1. The State of Telangana, rept. by its Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Government of Telangana, Insurance Buildings, Abids, Hyderabad.
3. The District Treasury Officer, Vikarabad District.
4. The Sub-Treasury Officer, Pargi, Vikarabad District.
5. The District Educational Officer, Vikarabad District.

.....RESPONDENTS

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 an order of direction or Writ, more particularly in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declare the impugned action of the respondents in not releasing and paying the retirement benefits, such as Gratuity (CS) amount of Rs. 9,31,970/- with Token No. 2601650974 Dt. 22.10.2025, Gratuity (TS) amount of Rs. 6,68,030/-with Token No. 2601650995 Dt. 22.10.2025, Commutation (TS) amount of Rs. 6,70,295/- with Token No. 2601651034 Dt. 22.10.2025, Commutation (CS) amount of Rs. 9,35,130/- with Token No. 2601651015 Dt. 22.10.2025, Final EL and HPL amount of Rs. 5,88,747/- with Token No. 2601649185 Dt. 22.10.2025, GIS amount of Rs. 25,874/- with Token No. 2601649195 Dt. 22.10.2025, G.P.F. amount of Rs.

2,80,155/- with Token/Cheque No. 2601251880 Dt. 06.09.2025, PRC Arrears (1) amount of Rs. 18,382/- with Token No. 2601649207 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (2) amount of Rs. 18,382/- with Token No. 2601649214 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (3) amount of Rs. 18,382/- with Token No. 2601649221 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (4) amount of Rs. 18,382/- with Token No. 2601649233 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (5) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649250 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (6) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649260 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (7) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649270 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (8) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649281 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (9) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649287 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (10) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649300 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (11) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649309 Dt. 22.10.2025 and PRC Arrears (12) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649317 Dt. 22.10.2025, is illegal, unfair, unjust and violation of Articles 14, 21 and 300(A) of the Constitution of India and consequently direct the respondents to release the said benefits together with interest at 10 percentage PA on belated payments.

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Petition Under Section 151 CPC praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the petition, the High Court may be pleased to direct the respondents in not releasing and pay the retirement benefits of the petitioner such as, Gratuity (CS) amount of Rs. 9,31,970/- with Token No. 2601650974 Dt. 22.10.2025, Gratuity (TS) amount of Rs. 6,68,030/- with Token No. 2601650995 Dt. 22.10.2025, Commutation (TS) amount of Rs. 6,70,295/- with Token No. 2601651034 Dt. 22.10.2025, Commutation (CS) amount of Rs. 9,35,130/- with Token No. 2601651015 Dt. 22.10.2025, Final EL and HPL amount of Rs. 5,88,747/- with Token No. 2601649185 Dt. 22.10.2025, GIS amount of Rs. 25,874/- with Token No. 2601649195 Dt. 22.10.2025, G.P.F. amount of Rs.2,80,155/- with Token/Cheque No. 2601251880 Dt. 06.09.2025, PRC Arrears (1) amount of Rs. 18,382/- with Token No. 2601649207 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (2) amount of Rs. 18,382/- with Token No. 2601649214 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (3) amount of Rs. 18,382/- with Token No. 2601649221 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (4) amount of Rs. 18,382/- with Token No. 2601649233 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (5) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649250 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (6) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No. 2601649260 Dt. 22.10.2025, PRC Arrears (7) amount of Rs. 18,383/- with Token No.

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18,383/- with Token No. 2601649317 Dt.22.10.2025.

Counsel for the Petitioner : SRI Y.RAVI PRAKASH

Counsel for the Respondents : AGP FOR SERVICES -III

The Court at the stage of admission made the following ORDER

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AT HYDERABAD**

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE K.SARATH

WRIT PETITION No.15166 of 2026

Date: 05.05.2026

Between:

A. Muralidhar

...Petitioner

AND

The State of Telangana,
Rep. by its Principal Secretary,
Finance Department and others

...Respondents

ORDER:

Heard Sri Y. Ravi Prakash, learned counsel for the petitioner and learned Assistant Government Pleader for Services-III appearing for the respondents and perused the material on record. With their consent, this Writ Petition is taken up for disposal at the stage of admission itself.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner filed the instant Writ Petition questioning the action

of the respondents in not releasing the petitioner's retiral benefits, despite token numbers having already been raised by the respondent authorities for payment of the amounts payable to the petitioner.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that the *lis* raised in the present Writ Petition has already been adjudicated by the Division Bench of this Court in W.P.No.23138 of 2025, which was disposed of *vide* order dated 03.09.2025, and thus prayed to pass a similar order in the present Writ Petition also.

4. Learned Assistant Government Pleader for Services-III did not dispute the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner with regard to the disposal of W.P.No.23138 of 2025 dated 03.09.2025 and submits that the respondents will release the amounts on a priority basis of the token numbers and prayed this Court to pass appropriate orders.

5. Having regard to the above made submissions and for the reasons alike in the order dated 03.09.2025 passed by the

Division Bench of this Court in W.P.No.23138 of 2025, this Writ Petition is disposed of directing the respondents to ensure that the entire amount payable to the petitioner is released as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of six (6) weeks from today, failing which, the entire amount with regard to the retiral benefits shall carry interest at the rate of 10% per annum, from the date the amount fell due, till the actual date of its payment.

Miscellaneous petitions pending, if any, in this Writ Petition, shall stand closed. There shall be no order as to costs.

SD/- T. CHANDRA SHEKAR REDDY
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

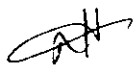
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SECTION OFFICER

To

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6. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES- III, High Court for the State of Telangana at Hyderabad. [OUT]
7. One CC to SRI Y.RAVI PRAKASH, Advocate [OPUC]
8. Two CD Copies

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C.C. TODAY

HIGH COURT

DATED: 05/05/2026



ORDER

WP.No.15166 of 2026

**DISPOSING OF THE W.P
AT THE STAGE OF ADMISSION
WITHOUT COSTS.**

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18/5/26