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[3302]

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

**WEDNESDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF MAY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX**

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE K. SARATH

WRIT PETITION NO: 15537 OF 2026

Between:

Gopal M, S/o Sri M. Govindaiah, Aged about 62 years, Occ: Retired Inspector of Police, R/o H.No.7-5-86/C, Laxminagar Colony, Near Shiridi Saibaba Temple, Mahabubnagar - 509002. (PPO No 06-109622/SP).

...PETITIONER

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Represented by its Special Chief Secretary, Finance Department, Secretariat, Hyderabad
2. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Insurance Building, Abids, Hyderabad
3. The Joint Director, Pension Payment Office, (PPO) Nizam Collage Nampally, Hyderabad
4. The Deputy Inspector General of Police, (DIG), Zone-VI, Charminar, Hyderabad.

...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 writ, direction or order more particularly one in nature of writ of mandamus under Article 226 of Constitution of India declaring the action of Respondents in not releasing the admitted retirement benefits viz Gratuity for an amount of Rs.14,97,785/- vide Token No 2603272945 date 07-02-2026, Gratuity for an amount of Rs.1,02,215/- vide Token No 2603272974 date 07-02-2026, Commutation for an amount of Rs.20,95,881/- vide Token No 2603272989 date 07-02-2026, Commutation for an amount of Rs.1,43,032/- vide Token No 2603273003 date 07-



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02-2026, Pension Arrears for an amount of Rs.15,34,764/- vide Token No 2600697758 date 05-07-2025 total an amount of Rs.53,73,677/- of the Petitioner as illegal, arbitrary and violative of Article 14, 16, 21 and 300-A of Constitution of India and consequently direct the Respondents No.1 to 4 to release and pay the admitted bills of the Petitioner i.e., Gratuity for an amount of Rs.14,97,785/- vide Token No 2603272945 date 07-02-2026, Gratuity for an amount of Rs.1,02,215/- vide Token No 2603272974 date 07-02-2026, Commutation for an amount of Rs.20,95,881/- vide Token No 2603272989 date 07-02-2026, Commutation for an amount of Rs.1,43,032/- vide Token No 2603273003 date 07-02-2026, Pension Arrears for an amount of Rs.15,34,764/- vide Token No 2600697758 date 05-07-2025 total an amount of Rs.53,73,677/- all along with 10percent interest p.a. from the date of superannuation i.e. 31-05-2025 till the date of realisation

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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 No.1 to 4 to release and pay the admitted bills of the Petitioner i.e., Gratuity for an amount of Rs.14,97,785/- vide Token No 2603272945 date 07-02-2026, Gratuity for an amount of Rs.1,02,215/- vide Token No 2603272974 date 07-02-2026, Commutation for an amount of Rs.20,95,881/- vide Token No 2603272989 date 07-02-2026, Commutation for an amount of Rs.1,43,032/- vide Token No 2603273003 date 07-02-2026, Pension Arrears for an amount of Rs.15,34,764/- vide Token No 2600697758 date 05-07-2025 total an amount of Rs.53,73,677/- all along with 10% interest p.a. from the date of superannuation i.e. 31-05-2025 till the date of realisation pending disposal of main writ petition

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI Y. RAVI PRAKASH

Counsel for the Respondents: AGP FOR SERVICES III

The Court made the following: ORDER



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THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE K.SARATH

WRIT PETITION No.15537 of 2026

Date: 06.05.2026

Between:

Gopal M.

...Petitioner

AND

The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Special Chief 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/-AHMED ABDULLA KHAN
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Special Chief Secretary, Finance Department, Secretariat, The State of Telangana, Hyderabad
2. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Insurance Building, Abids, Hyderabad
3. The Joint Director, Pension Payment Office, (PPO) Nizam Collage Nampally, Hyderabad
4. The Deputy Inspector General of Police, (DIG), Zone-VI, Charminar, Hyderabad.
5. One CC to Sri Y. Ravi Prakash, Advocate [OPUC]
6. Two CCs to GP for Services III, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad [OUT]
7. Two CD Copies

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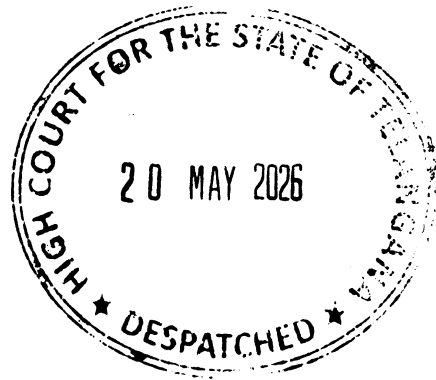
HIGH COURT

CC TODAY

DATED: 06/05/2026

ORDER

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**DISPOSING OF THE WRIT PETITION
WITHOUT COSTS**

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15/5/26.