

HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

FRIDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF JANUARY

TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

:PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE PULLA KARTHIK

WRIT PETITION NO: 29532 OF 2024

Between:

K. Venkateswar Rao, S/o. Muthaiah

...Petitioner

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Principal Secretary to Government, Scheduled Caste Development Department, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The Deputy Director, SC Development Department, Khammam.
3. The Collector and District Magistrate and Nodal Officer, Zone-IV (SCDD), Hanmakonda District, Hanmakonda.
4. S. Venkat Reddy, S/o. Shamba Reddy, Aged about 45 years, Occ: Hostel Welfare Officer Grade II Government SC College Boys Hostel A, Khammam District.
5. L. Mothila S/o. Harisingh, Aged about 49 years, Occ: Hostel Welfare Officer Grade II Government SC College Boys Hostel, Hanumakonda District.
6. P. Madhu S/o. Satyanarayana, Aged about 42 years, Occ: Hostel Welfare Officer Grade-II SC College Boys Hostel, Mahabubad District.
7. S. Prasad Rao, S/o. Veeraiah, Aged about 45 years, Occ: Hostel Welfare Officer Grade II Government SC Boys Ananda Nilayam, Badhrachalam, Bhadradi Kothagudem District.
8. G. Srinivas, S/o. Odely, Aged about 46 years, Occ: Hostel Welfare Officer Grade-II Government SC Boys Hostel, Badhrachalam District, Bhadradi Kothagudem District.
9. G. Ramesh, S/o. Mallaiah, Aged about 43 years, Occ: Government SC Boys Hostel, Ambela, Hanumakonda District.

(Respondent Nos.4 to 9 are impleaded as per Court Order Dated: 03.01.2025 in I.A.No.2 of 2024 in W.P.No.29532 of 2024).

...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 a writ order or direction especially one in the nature of writ of mandamus declaring that:-

- (a) Declare that the action of the 3rd respondent in issuing proceedings in Rc.No.A1/163/2024.09.2024 dated 26/09/2024 is illegal, arbitrary and discriminatory therefore the said proceedings are liable to be set aside.
- (b) Further declare that the proceedings in Rc.No.A1/163/2023 dated 26/09/2024 of the 3rd respondent through which the final revised seniority list of Hostel Welfare Officer Grade-I was issued is also illegal and arbitrary and the said seniority list is liable to be set aside.
- (c) further declare that the proceedings in Rc.No.A1/163/2023 dated 26/09/2024 of the 3rd respondent wherein and whereby 3rd respondent requesting the District Collector, Warangal Khammam/Bhadradi Kothagudem Mahabubabad District to communicate the final seniority list of SW Grade II Male and Female of Zone IV is further illegal and arbitrary
- (d) Further declare that petitioner shall be shown in the final seniority list of Grade-I Hostel Welfare Officer dated 26/09/2024 at sl.no.1.

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Petition under Section 151 CPC praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, the High Court may be pleased to suspend the operation of the impugned final Revised Seniority List of Hostel Welfare Officers Grade-II issued vide proceedings in Rc.No.A1/163/2023 dated 26/09/2024, pending disposal of WP.No.29532 of 2024, on the file of the High Court.

The petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and the order of the High Court dated: 24.10.2024 and 06.12.2024 made herein and upon hearing the arguments of M/s. SRINIVASA RAO MADIRAJU Advocate for the Petitioner and GP FOR SERVICES – III for the Respondents, the Court made the following.

ORDER:

At the request of learned Government Pleader to file counter, post on 22.01.2025.

Till then, interim order earlier granted by this court is extended.

**SD/- P.CH.NAGABHUSHAMBA
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

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To,

1. One CC to M/s. SRINIVASA RAO MADIRAJU, Advocate [OPUC].
2. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES – III, High Court for the State of Telangana at Hyderabad [OUT].
3. One spare copy

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DATED:03/01/2025

POST ON 22.01.2025

ORDER

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