

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

FRIDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF MARCH
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY SIX

**:PRESENT:
THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE PULLA KARTHIK**

**I.A. NO. 2 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NOS: 838, 836, 866,
969, 990, 1011, 2707 OF 2025**

AND

I.A.NO. 1 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NOS. 1482 & 1487 OF 2025

I.A.NO. 2 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 838 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of
Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent No.1 in CC. No. 838 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

1. Dr. R.Venkateshwar Rao, S/o. R.Kistaiah, Occ: Retd. Research Officer (AYUSH), Dr. B.R.K.R. Govt. Ayurvedic College/Hospital, Erragadda, Hyderabad. R/o. Plot No. 83. VKDN, H.No. 16-2-740/75/82, V.K.Dhage Nagar, Gaddi Annaram, Hyderabad - 500060.
2. Dr. K. Niranjan, S/o. K.Madan Mohan Rao, Retd. Medical Officer. Govt. Ayurvedic Pharmacy, Katedan, Hyderabad, R/o. 3/7, Bahar-A, Sahara Estates, Mansoorabad. Hyderabad - 500068.
3. Dr. C.B. Dhanraj, S/o. C.Bhoopal Naidu, Retd. Professor, Dr. B.R.K.R. Govt. Ayurvedic College, Erragadda, Hyderabad, D.No. 10-475/7/2, Malkajiri, Secunderabad.
4. Dr. M.Radha Krishna Murthy, S/o. Late M. Ramachandra Murthy, Occ: Retd. Professor, A.L. Ayurvedic Medical College, Warangal, R/o. Opp. Panama Gowdowns, Vanasthalipuram, Hyderabad. 5000070.

Respondents
(Petitioners in CC. No. 838 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

5. Smt. Hymavathi. IAS, Director, Department of AYUSH, Telangana State, Near Pass Port Office, Secunderabad.

Respondent/Respondent
(Respondent No. 2 in -do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent Nos.1 to 4 : SRI C.SAI REDDY

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of the petitioner/Respondent No.1 on 06-03-2026 in CC. No. 838 of 2025 in WP. No. 30302 of 2024, pending disposal on its file:

I.A.NO. 2 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 836 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent No.1 in CC. No. 836 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

1. Dr. K. Hanumanth Rao, S/o. K.C.Keshava Rao, Retd. Asst. Professor. A.L. Ayurvedic Medical College, Warangal, R/o. H.No. 2.1.92, Old Nallakunta, Hyderabad-500044.
2. Dr. B.Sudheer Kumar, S/o. B.Venkateshwar Rao, Retd. Medical Officer, Govt. Ayurvedic Dispensary, Gundla Pochampally, Ranga Reddy District, R/o. H.No. 2.17.101, Plot No. 81, Divya Sai Residency, SBH Colony, Uppal, Hyderabad. 500039.
3. Dr. S.Basavaraju, S/o. S.Chinnaiah, Retd. Senior Medical Officer, Govt. Ayurvedic Dispensary, Thudkurthy, Nagarkurnool District, R/o. GHR Colony, Farooq Nagar Mandal, Shadnagar, K.V.Ranga Reddy District. 509216.
4. Dr. P.Anjan Kumar Reddy, S/o. P.Jagannath, Retd. Senior Medical Officer, Govt. Polyclinic, Karwan. (now at Kingkoti Hospital, Hyderabad. R/o. H.No. 17.1.391/V/13, Saraswathi Nagar, Hyderabad.

Respondents
(Petitioners in CC. No. 836 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

5. Smt. Hymavathi, IAS, Director, Department of AYUSH, Telangana State, Near Pass Port Office, Secunderabad.

Respondent/Respondent
(Respondent No. 2 in -do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent Nos.1 to 4 : SRI C.SAI REDDY

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that

in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein. the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of the petitioner/Respondent No.1 on 06-03-2026 in CC. No. 836 of 2025 in WP. No. 30371 of 2024, pending disposal on its file;

I.A.NO. 2 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 866 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent No.1 in CC. No. 866 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

1. Dr. P. Ramakrishna Murthy, S/o. P.Lakshmappa, age 71 years, Retd. Assistant Professor, Dr. B.R.K.R. Government Ayurvedic Hospital, Hyderabad, H.No. 8-8-314, Road No.5, Green Park Colony, Karmanghat, Champapet, Hyderabad-500079.

Respondent
(Petitioner in CC. No. 866 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

2. Smt. Hymavathi, IAS, Director, Department of AYUSH, Telangana State, Near Pass Port Office, Secunderabad.

Respondent/Respondent
(Respondent No. 2 in -do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent No.1 : SRI C.SAI REDDY

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of the petitioner/Respondent No.1 on 06-03-2026 in CC. No. 866 of 2025 in WP. No. 30494 of 2024, pending disposal on its file;

I.A.NO. 2 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 969 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Dr. B.R. Ambekdar Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent No.1 in CC. No. 969 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

1. Dr. P. Vishnu Murthy, S/o. Late P. Venkata Swamy. Aged about 64 years. Retired as Senior Medical Officer, D.K. Govt. Homoeo Hospital. Ramanthapur, Hyderabad, Telangana State.
2. Dr. M. Satyanarayana, S/o. Late M. Balaswamy, Aged about 65 years. Retired as Senior Medical Officer, Government Homoeo Pharmacy. Ramanthapur. Hyderabad, Telangana State.

Respondents
(Petitioners in CC. No. 969 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

3. Smt. Hymavathi, IAS, Director, Department of AYUSH, Telangana State. Near Pass Port Office, Secunderabad.

Respondent/Respondent
(Respondent No. 2 in -do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent Nos.1 & 2 : SRI NUTHALAPATI KRISHNA MURTHY

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of the petitioner/Respondent No.1 on 06-03-2026 in CC. No. 969 of 2025 in WP. No. 32728 of 2024, pending disposal on its file:

I.A.NO. 2 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 990 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent No 1 in CC. No. 990 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

1. Dr. G.Mohammad Rafi, S/o. G. Fakir Saheb, Retd. as Chief Medical Officer, Govt. Nizamaia General Hospital, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 10-4-35/5/1, Shah Residency, Humuyan Nagar, Masab Tank, Hyderabad.
2. Dr. Aqhela Sultana, W/o. Abdul Rasheed, Retd. Gazetted Lecturer, Govt. Nizamia Tibbi College, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 18-4-706/12/1, Qadri Chaman Road, Falaknuma, Hyderabad.
3. Dr. S.Sikindar Basha, S/o. C.S.Khasim Saheb, Retd. Chief Medical Officer, Govt. Nizamia General Hospital, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 2-245-6-5-1, Raveendra Nagar, Madanapalli.

4. Dr. Tanveer Mumtaz, D/o. Syed Fazal Haq, Retd. Asst. Research Officer, Govt. Research Department (Unani), Charminar, Hyderabad. R/o. H.No. 17-1-211/3/1, Santosh Nagar Colony, Saidabad, Hyderabad.
5. Dr. Hafiz Abdul Majeed, S/o. Burhanuddin, Retd. Sr. Medical Officer, Govt. Unani Hospital, Hanamakonda, Warangal District. R/o. H.No. 2-11-116/1/B. Sri Nagar Colony, Uppal, Hyderabad.
6. Dr. Md. Liakhat Ali Khan, S/o. Late M.Raheem Khan, Retd. Chief Superintendent, Govt. Indian Medicine Pharmacy, Kattadan, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 19-4-14/1/6/215, 1st Floor, Kings Avenue Colony, Chandrayanagutta, Bandlaguda, Hyderabad.

Respondents
(Petitioners in CC. No. 969 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

7. Smt. Hymavathi, IAS, Director, Department of AYUSH, Telangana State, Near Pass Port Office, Secunderabad.

Respondent/Respondent
(Respondent No. 2 in -do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent Nos.1 to 6 : SRI C.SAI REDDY

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of the petitioner/Respondent No.1 on 06-03-2026 in CC. No. 990 of 2025 in WP. No. 30920 of 2024, pending disposal on its file;

I.A.NO. 2 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 1011 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent No.1 in CC. No. 1011 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

1. Dr. Md. Sadruddin Shahed, S/o. Md. Qamruddin, Retd. Resident Medical Officer (RMO), Govt. Nizamia General Hospital, Charminar, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 12-2-417/C/19, Flat No. 302, Taj Luxuria Heights, Vishwas Nagar Colony, Gudimalkapur, Mehdiapatnam, Hyderabad. 500028.
2. Dr. Mohd. Younus Ali Khan, S/o. Mohd. Yousuf Ali Khan, Retd. Senior Medical Officer, Govt. Unani Dispensary, Karimnagar, R/o. H.No. 2-8-76, Mukharampura Street, Near Circus Ground, Karimnagar 505001.
3. Dr. M.A.Rasheed Taher Zaimi, S/o. Abdul Quddus Zaimi, Retd. Senior Medical Officer, O/o. Govt. Nizamia General Hospital, Charminar, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 16-1-

316/1, 4th Floor. Alhaq Residency, Peace Colony, Race Course Road, Old Malakpet, Hyderabad. 500036.

4. Dr. M.A.Majid, S/o. M.A.Salam, Retd. Chief Medical Officer, Govt. Nizamia General Hospital, Charminar, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 9-17-144/1, Hasmi Colony, Near Shalimar Function Hall, Nizamabad 503001.
5. Dr. Syed Mujahedullah Hussani, S/o. Syed Wahedullah Hussaini, Retd. Senior Medical Officer, Govt. Unani Dispensary, Moulali, Ranga Reddy District, R/o. H.No. 14-7-117, Near Noble Function Hall, Charbowli, Warangal. 506002
6. Dr. Mohd. Sarwar Maqdoom Ali, S/o. Mohd. Sardar Ali, Retd. Senior Medical Officer, Govt. Unani Dispensary, Mustaidpura, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 14-7-117, Near Noble Function Hall, Charbowli, Warangal. 506002
7. Dr. Mohd. Mustafa Shareef, S/o. Khaja Mahmood Shareef, Retd. Senior Medical Officer, Govt. Unani Dispensary, Chenchelguda, Hyderabad, H.No.3-4-253/A/1/1, New Raipura, Thousand Pillers Temple, Hanamkonda-506001.
8. Dr. Md. Maqsood Ali, S/o. Md. Masood Ali, Retd. Asst. Professor, Govt. Nizamia T College, Charminar, Hyderabad, R/o. H.No. 18-8-223/12/3/7/10, Rakshapuram Colony, DRDL, Santoshnagar, Hyderabad 500059
9. Dr. Syed Ghouse Mohiuddin Quadri, S/o. Syed Mahaboob Quadri, Retd. Senior Medical Officer, Govt. Unani Dispensary, Kohir, Medak District, R/o. H.No. 6-68/159, Pasha Colony, Alkapur, Gandipet, Ranga Reddy District.

Respondents
(Petitioners in CC. No. 1011 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

10. Smt. Hymavathi, IAS, Director, Department of AYUSH, Telangana State, Near Pass Port Office, Secunderabad.

Respondent/Respondent
(Respondent No. 2 in -do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent Nos.1 to 6 : SRI C.SAI REDDY

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of the petitioner/Respondent No.1 on 06-03-2026 in CC. No. 1011 of 2025 in WP. No. 30824 of 2024, pending disposal on its file;

I.A.NO. 2 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 2707 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent No.1 in CC. No. 2707 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

1. Dr. Farhat Ara, W/o Syed Azaz Pasha, Retd. Vice-Principal & Professor, Govt. Nizamia Tibbi College, Charminar, Hyderabad. R/o. H.No. 2-5-36/4/P, Dr. Harinath Reddy Enclave, Upparapalli, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad-48.

Respondent
(Petitioner in CC. No. 2707 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

2. Sri Srikanth Babu, Director, Department of AYUSH, Telangana State, Near Pass Port Office, Secunderabad.
3. Ms.Chanda Pandit, Accountant General, (A & E), Saifabad, Hyderabad.

Respondents/Respondents
(Respondent Nos. 2 & 3 in -do-)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent No.1 : SRI C.SAI REDDY

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of the petitioner/Respondent No.1 on 06-03-2026 in CC. No. 2707 of 2025 in WP. No. 856 of 2025, pending disposal on its file;

I.A.NO. 1 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 1487 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent in CC. No. 1487 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

Dr. N.Venkateshwarlu, S/o. Subbaramaiah, Occ: Retd. Medical Officer, R/o. Maple Homes, Plot No. 1063 and 1072, Flat No. 202, Pragati Nagar, Hyderabad-90

Respondent
(Petitioner in CC. No. 1487 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent : SRI K.RAMACHANDRA

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of Respondent No.1 i.e. Principal Secretary, Government of Telangana (Medical & Health) in CC. No. 1487 of 2025 in WP. No. 30515 of 2024 on 28.11.2025, pending disposal on its file;

I.A.NO. 1 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NO. 1482 OF 2025:

Between:

Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Petitioner
(Respondent in CC. No. 1482 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

AND

1. Dr. P.S.R. Prasad, S/o. Rama Brahmam, Occ: Retired Senior Medical Officer, R/o. Flat No. 501, Gayatri Arcade Apartment, Road No.3, Prashant Hills, Gachibowli, Hyderabad-32.
2. Dr. T. Srinivasulu, S/o. T. Krishnaiah, Occ: Retired Senior Medical Officer, R/o. 8-4-17, #101, Sairam Residency, Sairam Nagar, Hyderabad-79

Respondents
(Petitioners in CC. No. 1482 of 2025
On the file of the High Court)

Counsel for the Petitioner : ADDL. ADVOCATE GENERAL

Counsel for Respondent : SRI K.RAMACHANDRA

WHEREAS the Applicant has presented the above Application under Rule 18 of Contempt of Courts Rules read with Section 151 of CPC, through Addl. Advocate General, praying that in the circumstances stated in the affidavit filed therein, the High Court may be pleased to dispense with the presence of Petitioner/Respondent on 06-03-2026 in CC. No. 1482 of 2025 in WP. No. 30292 of 2024, pending on its file.

WHEREAS the said Applications coming on for hearing, and whereas the High Court, upon perusing the affidavits filed therein, and the earlier orders dated 04-04-2025, 11-04-2025, 17.04.2025, 25-04-2025, 04-07-2025, 04-09-2025, 13.10.2025, 05-12-2025 & 06-02-2026, made the following;

ORDER:

The appearance of the applicant is dispensed with for the present.

All the IAs are ordered accordingly.

Sd/- N.SRIHARI.
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To

1. Smt. Christina Z. Chongthu, IAS, Principal Secretary, Medical & Health Department, State of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad. (BY SPAD) ✓
2. Two CCs to Addl. Advocate General, High Court for the State of Telangana, at Hyderabad (OUT)
3. One CC to Sri C.Sai Reddy, Advocate (OPUC) ✓
4. One CC to Sri Nuthalapati Krishna Murthy, Advocate (OPUC)
5. One CC to Sri K.Ramachandra, Advocate (OPUC) ✓
6. One Spare Copy ✓

HIGH COURT

PK,J

DATE:06-03-2026

ORDER

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AND

I.A.NO. 1 OF 2026 IN CONTEMPT CASE NOS. 1482 & 1487 OF 2025

**DISPENSING WITH THE APPEARANCE
OF THE APPLICANT FOR THE PRESENT**

