

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

**MONDAY, THE TWENTY SEVENTH DAY OF OCTOBER
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE**

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE PULLA KARTHIK

WRIT PETITION NO: 32290 OF 2025

Between:

M.V.Krishnamurthy, S/o. Ramulu, Aged 61 years, Retired School Assistant (Social), R/o. H.No.1-10-71/14/9/1, Venkatrao Nagar, Medak, Medak District.

...PETITIONER

AND

1. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.
2. The State of Telangana, Rep. by its Special Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad
3. The Commissioner of School Education, Telangana, Hyderabad.
4. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Telangana, Hyderabad
5. The Sub Treasury Officer, Medak, Medak 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 a writ order or direction especially one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring that,

a) the action of the Respondents in not making payment of terminal benefits to the Petitioner in pursuance of letter/ proceedings issued by the Principal Accountant General (A & E), Hyderabad in Lr.No.AG(A & E)/P13/IV/K-41/SP125/2025-04/818 dated 30.05.2025 is illegal, arbitrary and discriminatory, violating Article 14, 16 and 300-A of the Constitution of India.

b) further declare that, the Respondents shall forthwith release all terminal benefits payable to the Petitioner including Death-cum-Retirement, Gratuity, Commutation of Pension, General Provident Fund amount and encashment of Earned Leave and Earned Leave amount and other benefits in pursuance of his

retirement dated 30.06.2025 and the proceedings in Lr.No.AG(A & E)/P13/IV/K-41/SP125/2025-04/818 dated 30.05.2025 of the Principal Accountant General (A & E), Hyderabad and release Encashment of Leave amount of Rs.14,88,321/- which was sanctioned vide Token No.2600562050 dated 23.07.2025, GPF Final Payment amount of Rs.9,42,216/- sanctioned vide Cheque No.2601464193 dated 26.09.2025 and GPF Part Final amount of Rs.5,71,000/- which was sanctioned vide Cheque No.2523588433 dated 03.01.2025, Leave Surrender amount of Rs.1,88,293/- which was sanctioned vide Token No.2600123165 dated 17.04.2025, GIS amount of Rs.78,054/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600561991 dated 23.07.2025 and PRC Arrears amount of Rs.78,83,596/- sanctioned in different token numbers dated 07.07.2025.

c) the Respondents have no right or power to withhold the terminal benefits payable to the Petitioner after his retirement.

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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 to forthwith release all the terminal benefits payable to the Petitioner in pursuance of the Lr.No.AG(A & E)/P13/IV/K-41/SP125/2025-04/818 dated 30.05.2025 of the Principal Accountant General (A & E), Hyderabad including release Encashment of Leave amount of Rs.14,88,321/- which was sanctioned vide Token No.2600562050 dated 23.07.2025, GPF Final Payment amount of Rs.9,42,216/- sanctioned vide Cheque No.2601464193 dated 26.09.2025 and GPF Part Final amount of Rs.5,71,000/- which was sanctioned vide Cheque No.2523588433 dated 03.01.2025, Leave Surrender amount of Rs.1,88,293/- which was sanctioned vide Token No.2600123165 dated 17.04.2025, GIS amount of Rs.78,054/- sanctioned vide Token No.2600561991 dated 23.07.2025 and PRC Arrears amount of Rs.78,83,596/- sanctioned in different token numbers dated 07.07.2025 pending disposal of the Writ Petition.

Counsel for the Petitioner: SRI G.MALLIKARJUNA SARMA

Counsel for the Respondent No.1, 2, 4 & 5: GP FOR SERVICES-III

Counsel for the Respondent No.3: GP FOR SERVICES-I

The Court made the following: ORDER

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE PULLA KARTHIK

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ORDER :

This Writ Petition is filed aggrieved by the inaction of the respondents in releasing retiral benefits to the petitioner.

2. Heard Sri G.Mallikarjuna Sharma, learned counsel for the petitioner; learned Government Pleader for Services-III for respondent Nos.1, 2, 4 and 5; and learned Government Pleader for Services-I for respondent No.3. With their consent, this Writ Petition is taken up for disposal at the admission stage itself.

3. When the matter is taken up for hearing, learned counsel for the petitioner submit 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 similar order in the present Writ Petition also.

4. The above made submission is not seriously disputed by the other side.

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 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 be released forthwith within a period of six (06) weeks from today, failing which, the entire amount with regard to retiral benefits shall carry interest at the rate of 10% per annum from the date the amount fell due till it is actually paid.

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

SD/- S.MALLIKARJUNA RAO
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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SECTION OFFICER

To,

1. The Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad, State of Telangana.
2. The Special Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad, State of Telangana.
3. The Commissioner of School Education, Telangana, Hyderabad.
4. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Telangana, Hyderabad
5. The Sub Treasury Officer, Medak, Medak District.
6. One CC to SRI G.MALLIKARJUNA SARMA, Advocate [DPUC]
7. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES-I, High Court for the State of Telangana at Hyderabad [OUT]
8. Two CCs to GP FOR SERVICES-III, High Court for the State of Telangana at Hyderabad [OUT]
9. Two CD Copies

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CC TODAY

HIGH COURT

DATED:27/10/2025

ORDER

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DISPOSING OF THE WRIT PETITION,
WITHOUT COSTS

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