

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ANDHRA PRADESH AT AMARAVATI**

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

THURSDAY, THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF AUGUST,  
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY**: PRESENT:****THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE R RAGHUNANDAN RAO****WRIT PETITION NOS: 13376 OF 2020 & 21869 OF 2018****WRIT PETITION NO: 13376 OF 2020:****Between:**

Smt. R Lakshmi Devi, W/o.Ramesh.

**...Petitioner****AND**

1. The State of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Principal Secretary, Women and Child Welfare Department, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
2. The Commissioner, Women and Child Welfare Department, Jampani Towers, Amaravathi Road, Guntur.
3. The District Collector and Chairman, District Selection Committee of Anganwadi Workers and Helpers, YSR Kadapa District
4. The Project Director, District Women and Child Welfare Department, YSR Kadapa District.
5. The Child Development Project Officer, ICDS Project, kamalapuram, YSR Kadapa 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 appropriate Writ, Order or direction more particularly one in the nature of WRIT OF MANDAMUS declaring the action of the respondents issued Notification of the 4th respondent Vide Lr Ref. No. WDCW-ADMDAPT/3/2019-SA-PD-KDP, DT.27-6-2020 of Kolimiveedi Anganwadi center, Kamalapuram, Kamalapuram ICDS Project, YSR Kadapa District as arbitrary, illegal against Art. 14, 19 and 21 of the Constitution of India and violation of Principles of natural justice and consequently set aside the Notification of the 4th respondent Vide Lr Ref. No. WDCW-ADMDAPT/3/2019-SA-PD-KDP, DT.27-6-2020 of Kolimiveedi, Anganwadi center, Kamalapuram, Kamalapuram, ICDS Project, YSR Kadapa District.

**IA NO: 1 OF 2020**

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 stay the Notification issued by the 4<sup>th</sup> respondent Vide Lr Ref. No. WDCW-ADMDAPT/3/2019-SA-PD-KDP, DT: 27-6-2020 of Kolimiveedi Anganwadi center, Kamalapuram, Kamalapuram ICDS Project, YSR Kadapa District, pending disposal of WP 13376 of 2020, on the file of the High Court.

**WRIT PETITION NO: 21869 OF 2018 :****Between:**

R. Lakshmi Devi, W/o Ramesh.

**...Petitioner****AND**

1. The State of A.P., rep. by its Principal Secretary WDCW and DW (ICDS) department, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravathi, Guntur District.
2. The Director, O/o the Director of Women Development and Child Welfare and Disabled welfare, Andhra Pradesh.
3. The District Collector,/Chairman, Selection Committee, YSR Kadapa district, Kadapa.
4. The Project Director, District Women & Child Development Agency (ICDS), YSR Kadapa district.
5. The Child Development Project Officer, Kadapa, YSR Kadapa 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 declaring the action of the Respondents in not transferring the petitioner from Valasapalli anganwadi center to kolimi veedhi anganwadi center, 4th and 5 ward, kamalapuram village where the anganwadi worker post is vacant and not considering the representation of the petitioner dated 21-05-2018 for the same is illegal arbitrary and violation of the Article 14 and 21 of the Constitution of India and consequently direct the Respondents to transfer the petitioner from Valasapalli anganwadi center to kolimi veedhi anganwadi center, kamalapuram village where the anganwadi worker post is vacant.

**IA NO: 1 OF 2018**

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 consider the representation of the petitioner dated 21-05-2018 for transferring the petitioner from Valasapalli anganwadi center to kolimi veedhi anganwadi center, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5 ward, kamalapuram village where the anganwadi worker post is vacant, pending disposal of WP 21869 of 2018, on the file of the High Court.

The petitions coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Petition and the affidavit filed in support thereof and upon hearing the arguments of Sri Sridhar Tummalapudi, Advocate for the Petitioner in WP.No.13376 of 2020 and Sri Suresh Kumar Potturi in W.P.No.21869 of 2020 and GP for Women Development & Child Welfare for the Respondent No.1 to 5 in both the petitions and the Court made the following.

**ORDER**

**“The learned Government Pleader for Women Development and Child Welfare submits that the representation of the petitioner for being posted in the Kolimiveedi Anganwadi Center, Kamalapuram, YSR Kadapa District, was rejected on the ground that there is an order of this Court in W.P.NO.16470 of 2018, filed by one Smt.Krishnavenamma, seeking to be given the post to her.**

**It is not clear as to how the said post can be filled up by some other person, it is the subject matter of W.P.No.13366 of 2020 when there is such a direction by this Court.**

**To ascertain the facts, learned Government Pleader is given time till 18.08.2020.**

**Post these writ petitions along with W.P.No.16470 of 2018.**

**In the meanwhile, the respondents shall not declare any results on the basis of the interview process that is being taken up and no appointments shall be made for a period of two (2) weeks.”**

**Sd/-K.TataRao**

**ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

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**For ASSISTANT REGISTRAR**

**To,**

1. The Principal Secretary, State of Andhra Pradesh, Women and Child Welfare Department, Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
2. The Commissioner, Women and Child Welfare Department, Jampani Towers, Amaravathi Road, Guntur.
3. The District Collector and Chairman, District Selection Committee of Anganwadi Workers and Helpers, YSR Kadapa District

4. The Project Director, District Women and Child Welfare Department, YSR Kadapa District.
5. The Child Development Project Officer, ICDS Project, kamalapuram, YSR Kadapa District
6. The Director, O/o the Director of Women Development and Child Welfare and Disabled welfare, Andhra Pradesh. (1 to 6 by RPAD)
7. One CC to Sri Sridhar Tummalapudi, Advocate [OPUC]
8. Two CCs to GP for Women Development & Child Welfare, High Court of Andhra Pradesh. [OUT]
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**HIGH COURT**

**RRRJ**

**DATED: 13/08/2020**

**POST THESE WRIT PETITIONS ALONG WITH W.P.NO.16470 OF 2018**

**ORDER**

**WP.NOS: 13376 OF 2020 & 21869 OF 2018**

**DIRECTION**

