## HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA AT HYDERABAD

THURSDAY, THE TWENTY FIRST DAY OF MARCH
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR

#### :PRESENT:

## THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE PULLA KARTHIK

WRIT PETITION NO: 7461 OF 2024

## Between:

K.Kavitha, D/ o K.Dasu, R/o H.No.4-41, Kachiguda Thanda, Kollicherla Village, Kottur Mandal, Ranga Reddy District

....Petitioner

#### AND

- 1. Telangana Residential Educational Institutions Society, Rep. by its Secretary, Hyderabad.
- 2. The Executive Officer (Convenor), Telangana Residential Educational Institutions Recruitment Board (TREI-RB), 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 a writ order or direction especially one in the nature of **writ of mandamus** declaring that,

- a) The action of the Respondents in not including the Hall Ticket number of the Petitioner in the final select list published on 01.03.2024 and not appointing the Petitioner as Trained Graduate Teacher in Hindi in pursuance of Notification No.9 of 2023 issued by the Respondents as illegal and arbitrary and discriminatory violating Article 14 and 16 of Constitution of India.
- b) further declare that, the Respondents shall treat the certificates of the Petitioners obtained from Hindi Prachar Sabha as legal and valid and accordingly Petitioner shall be appointed as Trained Graduate Teacher in Hindi in pursuance of their provisional selection dated 25.02.2024;

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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 appoint the Petitioner as Trained Graduate Teacher in Hindi in pursuance of their provisional selection published on 25.02.2024, pending disposal of the Writ Petition, 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 upon hearing the arguments of Sri Srinivasa Rao Madiraju, Advocate for the Petitioner, Sri S. Bhupal Reddy, Standing Counsel for the

Respondent No.1 and Sri Nayakawadi Ramesh, Standing Counsel for the Respondent No.2 and the Court made the following.

ORDER

Notice before admission.

Sri S. Bhupal Reddy, learned Standing Counsel for Telangana State Welfare Residential Educational Institutions Society, takes notice on behalf of respondent No.1 and waives further notice.

Sri Nayakawadi Ramesh, learned Standing Counsel for Telangana Residential Educational Institutions Recruitment Board, takes notice on behalf of respondent No.2 and waives further notice.

Registry is directed not to take out notices to respondent Nos.1 and 2, in view of the above waiver.

Sri Srinivas Rao Madiraju, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, submits that the petitioner has completed her Degree from Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha and passed B.Ed./H.P.T., and she is fully qualified and eligible for the post of Trained Graduate Teacher (Hindi). Therefore, in response to Notification No.9 of 2023 dated 05.04.2023 issued by respondent No.2, the petitioner has applied for the post of Trained Graduate Teachers (Hindi), participated in the selection process and appeared in the written tests with Hall Tickets bearing No.2302014862. Thereafter, her name was enlisted in the provisional selection list of eligible candidates for certificate verification in the ratio of 1:2, dated 25.02.2024, and she has appeared for certificate verification on 28.02.2024. Thereafter, the respondents have issued a provisional selection list on 01.03.2024. However, though the petitioner has secured higher merit than the other candidates, her name was not found in the said list, on the ground that the petitioner produced Degree certificate secured from Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Madras.

Learned Standing Counsel for respondent No.2, on instructions, submits that in compliance of the orders of this Court dated 15.09.2023 in W.P.No.1315 of 2018 and Batch, and based on the report of the Three Member Expert Committee constituted by the Telangana State Council of Higher Education, Hyderabad, the Government has decided that Hindi Vidwan/ Madhyama/ Visharadha course/ Examination conducted by Hindi Prachar Sabha, Hyderabad or Hindi Sahitya Sammelan, Allahabad or Dakshin

Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Madras, is not equivalent to the Graduation offered by any University recognized by the University Grants Commission, New Delhi. Therefore, the certificate of the petitioner is not valid. However, learned Standing Counsel seeks further time to file a detailed counter affidavit.

Having regard to the rival submissions made by the respective parties, this Court is of the view that the only objection taken by the respondents is that the petitioner has obtained her B.A./M.A. Degrees from Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Madras. Admittedly, the petitioner has completed Bachelors Decree in Hindi/M.A. in Hindi, from Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Madras. In this regard, it is evident from the material on record, more particularly, the Public Notice issued by the University Grants Commission vide F.No.14-21/2021(CPP-II) dated 05.08.2021, that Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Madras, is a recognized institution for the purpose of conferring or granting degrees and the degrees awarded by DBHPS, Madras, may be recognized for all purposes including higher education and employment. The same is also supported in the letters dated 27.01.2021 and 07.10.2020, addressed by the Registrar and Secretary of Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Hyderabad, respectively.

In view of the above, there shall be an interim direction to the respondents to consider the case of the petitioner for appointment to the post of Trained Graduate Teachers (Hindi), in pursuance of the provisional selection list published on 25.02.2024, as per her merit in the written examination.

Post this matter along with W.P.No.6459 of 2024 on 06.06.2024, for counter.

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SD/- T. JAYASREE ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

SECTION OFFICER

To,

- 1. The Secretary, Telangana Residential Educational Institutions Society, Hyderabad.
- The Executive Officer (Convenor), Telangana Residential Educational Institutions Recruitment Board (TREI-RB), Hyderabad. (Addresses 1 & 2 By RPAD)
- 3. One CC to Sri Srinivasa Rao Madiraju, Advocate [OPUC]
- 4. One spare copy

**HIGH COURT** 

PK,J

DATED:21/03/2024

# NOTE: POST THIS MATTER ALONG WITH W.P.No.6459 of 2024 ON 06.06.2024

ORDER

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