

**HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE VENKATESWARLU NIMMAGADDA**

**WRIT PETITION No.13915 of 2022**

**ORDER:**

This writ petition is filed by the petitioners under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the following reliefs:

*“...to issue a Writ, Order or Direction, more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus, declaring the impugned G.O.Ms.No.223, dated 18.09.2008, issued by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent, taking away the rights of the petitioners for promotional channel or Appointment by Transfer from the posts of School Assistants to Junior Lecturers and prescribed ratio of 40% of Junior Lecturer Posts to School Assistants and consequent inaction of the official respondents, as arbitrary, violative of Articles 14, 16 and 21 of the Constitution of India and provisions of A.P. Education Act and consequently set-aside the same and restore the Promotion/Appointment by Transfer Channel to the petitioners to the posts of Junior Lecturers, as prescribed in G.O.Ms.No.302, dated 30.12.1993 and direct the respondents to promote the petitioners notionally with all consequential benefits, with arrears of salary with interest @ 12% p.a. and grant costs of the proceedings and pass such other or further orders...”*

2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned Government Pleader for the Respondents.

3. When the matter is taken up for hearing, learned counsel for the petitioners mainly submits that the respondents may be directed to dispose of the representation dated 24.06.2019 filed by the

petitioner's Association seeking certain amendments in Service Rules for appointment of Junior Lecturers and Physical Directors, for which learned counsel for the respondents has expressed no objection.

4. Having regard to the submissions made by both the learned counsels and in the facts and circumstances of the case, without going into the merits of the case, the Writ Petition is disposed of with a direction to Respondent Nos.3 and 4 to consider the representation of the petitioner's Association dated 24.06.2019 and pass orders within a period of four (04) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, after providing an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner. No order as to costs.

As a sequel thereto, interlocutory applications, if any pending, shall stand closed.

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**VENKATESWARLU NIMMAGADDA, J**

10<sup>th</sup> May, 2023

Note: Issue CC by two days.

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