

## COURT OF STATE COMMISSIONER FOR RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES TELANGANA

## SMT. B. SHAILAJA, M.A., L.L.B STATE COMMISSIONER

## **NOTICE**

Case No. RPwD Act/LC/127/2019

Date:02.02.2020

The Collector & District Magistrate, Hyderabad Dist.

.....Respondent

Sub:- RPwD Act, 2016 - Court of the State Commissioner RPwDs - News item published on 16-08-2019 in Andhra Jyothi daily news paper - Sexual abuse on a mentally retarded woman in a Basti located in Jubilee Hills - Action taken Report called for - Report not received - Notice issued - Reg.

Ref:-1)Paper clipping Dt 16-08-2019 published in Andhra Jyothi daily news paper.

2)Case No. RPwD Act/LC/127/2019 dated 27-08-2019 addressed to the District Collector under copy to the AD, WD & SC Department, Hyderabad District.

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The Court of the State Commissioner, RPwDs has called for an ATR from the Collector & District Magistrate, Hyderabad District on the news item published in Andhra Jyothi daily newspaper on 16-08-2019 regarding sexual abuse on mentally retarded woman in a basthi located in Jublihills, Hyderabad. But the ATR is not received so far.

The District Collector shall take action on the news item and has to furnish the ATR to the Court of the State Commissioner, RPwDs failing which it will attract the provisions of Section 93 of the RPwD Act, 2016 which read as follows:

## Section 93 - Punishment for failure to furnish information:

"Whoever, fails to produce any book, account or other documents or to furnish any statement, information or particulars which, under this Act or any order, or direction made or given thereunder, is duty bound to produce or furnish or to answer any question put in pursuance of the provisions of this Act or of any order, or direction made or given thereunder, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to twenty-five thousand rupees in respect of each offence, and in case of continued failure or refusal, with further fine which may extend to one thousand rupees for each day, of continued failure or refusal after the date of original order imposing punishment of fine."

The District Collector shall furnish an ATR on the incident within (15) days from the date of receipt of this Notice.

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Copy to the A.D., WD & SC Department, Hyderabad District to pursue the matter.

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