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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 18-03-2026

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THE HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE P.T. ASHA

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Radhabaikaarupannan
W/o.T.A.Karuppannan(Died)
W/o.T.A.Karupannan
No.1, Vidya Nagar, Civil Aerodrome post
Coimbatore-14

..Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. Government of Tamilnadu
Rep by finance secretary,
Secretariat
Chennai-600 009
2. Government of Tamilnadu
Rep by its Higher Education secretary
secretariat,
Chennai-600 009
3. Director of Treasuries accounts and Department
3rd floor, Perasiriyar K.Anbalagan Maaligai
No.571, Anna salai
Nandanam
Chennai-600 035
4. Director of Collegiate Education
No.577, Anna salai,
Saidapet
Chennai-600 015



5. Director of Pension
3rd floor, Perasiriyar K.Anbalagan Maaligai
No.571, Annasalai,
Nandanam
chennai-600 035
6. Regional JOint Director of collegiate Education
Race course Road(Next to Income Tax office)
Coimbatore-641 018
7. Treasury officer
District Treasury
collectorate compound
Coimbatore-641 018
8. The Principal
PSG College of Arts and science,
Civil Aerodrome post
Coimbatore-641 014

..Respondent(s)

Prayer:- directing the 7th respondent to calculate the revised pension payable to the petitioners husband and also the revised family pension payable to the petitioner after the death of petitioners husband and disburse the arrears after adjusting the amounts paid by the 7th respondent as per representation dt.8.10.2024

For Petitioner(s): Mr.B.Ravi

For Respondent(s): Mr.M.R.Gokul Krishnan, AGP for R.1, 2, 4 to 6



ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed for the following reliefs:-

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“directing the 7th respondent to calculate the revised pension payable to the petitioners husband and also the revised family pension payable to the petitioner after the death of petitioners husband and disburse the arrears after adjusting the amounts paid by the 7th respondent as per representation dated 08.10.2024.”

Brief Facts:-

2. The petitioner is the widow of late Thiru T.A. Karuppannan, who had served as Lecturer and Professor in the 8th respondent College from 1951 to 1988. His pay was revised in accordance with Government Orders and aligned with the UGC scale of Rs.37,400–67,000 with Grade Pay Rs.9,000/-

3. While the petitioner's late husband was drawing a pension of Rs.23,200/-, the 7th respondent had initiated a proceedings to recover a sum of Rs.21,11,139/-, which was quashed by this Court vide order dated 23.06.2022 in W.P. No.7377 of 2017 with a direction to initiate fresh proceedings.



4. After the demise of her husband, though the petitioner is entitled to a family pension of Rs.13,920/- with effect from 23.06.2017 and Rs.39,420/- with effect from 01.10.2017, she has been paid only Rs.7,850/- as family pension.

Aggrieved by the non-fixation of the correct pension and non-payment of arrears, the petitioner had submitted a representation dated 08.10.2024. However, the same has not been considered to date. Hence, the present Writ Petition.

5. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned AGP appearing on behalf of respondents 1, 2, 4 to 6.

6. Considering the limited relief claimed by the petitioner and taking note of the fact that the petitioner's representation dated 08.10.2024 has not been considered to date, the Writ Petition is allowed. The 7th respondent is directed to consider and pass orders on the petitioner's representation dated 08.10.2024 on merits and in accordance with law within a period of one month from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

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