

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE THE AG.CHIEF JUSTICE MR.ASHOK BHUSHAN
&

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE A.M.SHAFFIQUE

FRIDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2015/24TH MAGHA, 1936

WA.No. 303 of 2015 () IN WP(C).29435/2014

AGAINST THE JUDGMENT IN WP(C) 29435/2014 of HIGH COURT OF KERALA
DATED 20-11-2014

APPELLANT(S)/RESPONDENTS 2 TO 4 :-

1. THE MANAGING DIRECTOR,
KERALA WATER AUTHORITY, JALA BHAVAN
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 001.
2. THE CHIEF ENGINEER (SOUTH) ,
KERALA WATER AUTHORITY, JALA BHAVAN
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 001.
3. THE ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
WATER SUPPLY SUB DIVISION, KWA, SASTHAMKOTTA
KOLLAM DISTRICT

BY ADV. SRI.GEORGE MATHEW, SC, KWA

RESPONDENT(S)/PETITIONER & 1ST RESPONDENT :-

1. THE MANAGER,
N.SREEKANTAN NAIR SHASHTIPOORTHI MEMORIAL UPPER PRIMARY SCHOOL
PATHARAM, KAKKAKUNNU P.O., SOORANAD
KOLLAM-695 522.
2. STATE OF KERALA,
REP. BY THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
WATER RESOURCE DEPARTMENT, GOVT. SECRETARIAT
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 001.

R2 BY SR.GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI.P.I.DAVIS

R1 BY ADV. SRI.JOHN JOSEPH VETTIKAD

THIS WRIT APPEAL HAVING BEEN FINALLY HEARD ON 13-02-2015, THE
COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

**ASHOK BHUSHAN, Ag. C.J &
A.M. SHAFFIQUE, J.**

W.A. No.303 of 2015

Dated this the 13th day of February 2015

J U D G M E N T

Ashok Bhushan, Ag.CJ

Heard the learned counsel for the appellants as well as the learned Government Pleader and the learned Standing Counsel.

2. This writ appeal has been filed against the judgment dated 20.11.2014 passed in W.P.(C) No.29435 of 2014. The writ petition was filed by an educational institution praying for quashing Ext.P5, the meter reading bill issued by the Kerala Water Authority. The writ petitioner had claimed for payment of water charges as a domestic consumer by virtue of Sec.37 of the Kerala Water Supply and Sewerage Act, 1986.

3. Learned counsel appearing for both parties agreed that the issues, which are raised in this writ appeal have

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already been decided by this Court in the judgment dated 6.2.2015 passed in W.A.No.126 of 2015.

Following the aforesaid judgment, this appeal is also dismissed.

Sd/-
ASHOK BHUSHAN
Ag. CHIEF JUSTICE

Sd/-
A.M. SHAFFIQUE
JUDGE

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P.A. TO JUDGE

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