

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.R.RAMACHANDRA MENON

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF JANUARY 2015/26TH POUSHA, 1936

WP(C).No. 1520 of 2015 (L)

PETITIONER:

**ARDRA S.(MINOR), AGED 16 YEARS,
REPRESENTED BY HER FATHER PRASAD,
PULLIYIL VEEDU, THAZHATHETHEKKATHIL,
,KOOTTIKADA P O, KOLLAM, PIN-691020.**

BY ADV. SRI.S.S.RAJESH

RESPONDENT(S):

- 1. STATE OF KERALA, REPRESENTED BY
THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
GENERAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,
GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695001.**
- 2. THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695001.**
- 3. THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION,
KOLLAM, OFFICE OF THE DDE, THEVALLY,
KOLLAM, PIN - 691009.**
- 4. THE GENERAL CONVENER,
KERALA STATE SCHOOL KALOTSAVAM 2014-2015,
KOZHIKODE, PIN - 673001.**
- 5. THE CONVENER, PROGRAMME COMMITTEE,
KERALA STATE SCHOOL KALOTSAVAM 2014-2015,
KOZHIKODE, PIN - 673001.**
- 6. THE CONVENER, PROGRAMME COMMITTEE,
KOLLAM REVENUE DISTRICT SCHOOL KALOTSAVAM 2014-2015,
KOLLAM, PIN - 691009.**

BY SENIOR GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI.JOSEPH GEORGE

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 16-01-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE
FOLLOWING:**

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APPENDIX

PETITIONER(S)' EXHIBITS:

- P1:- TRUE COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY THE VANCHINADU SHODAYA SCHOOL COMPLEX, (AN ORGANIZATION OF AFFILIATED CBSE SCHOOLS OF ALAPPUZHA, KOLLAM AND PATHANAMTHITTA) DURING NOVEMBER 2012.
- P2:- TRUE COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERIT ISSUED BY THE VANCHINADU SHODAYA SCHOOL COMPLEX, TO THE PETITIONER AWARDING A GRADE IN 'THIRUVATHIRA' FOR SARGOTSAVAM 2013.
- P3:- TRUE COPY OF THE RECEIPT NO.33 EVIDENCING REMITTANCE OF PETITIONER TOWARDS APPEAL FEE OF RS 1,500/-.
- P4:- TRUE COPY OF THE ORDER NO.C2/15551/2014/2014(16-HIGHER SECONDARY) DATED 11/1/2015 BY THE APPEAL COMMITTEE REJECTING THE APPEAL.

RESPONDENT(S)' EXHIBITS: - NIL

/TRUE COPY/

P.A. TO JUDGE

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P.R. RAMACHANDRA MENON, J.

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W.P.(C). No. 1520 of 2015

Dated this the 16th day of January, 2015

JUDGMENT

The petitioner's team participated in the event 'Thiruvathirakali' in the District Level School Kalolsavam and could secure only the third place. The appeal was rejected by the Appeal Committee as per Ext.P4 order allegedly without considering the contention that the evaluation of judges was not proper and hence the writ petition.

2. The learned Government Pleader submits on instructions that, there is no pith of substance in the contentions raised. There is a difference of 18 marks when compared with the 1st place. The video has been viewed and the ground of challenge is not correct or sustainable.

3. After going through the pleadings and proceedings and the submissions of the learned Government Pleader, this Court finds that the petitioner has not established any tenable ground to call for interference. Accordingly, interference is declined and the writ petition is dismissed.

**P.R. RAMACHANDRA MENON,
JUDGE.**