

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE

TUESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2015/5TH PHALGUNA, 1936

WP(C) .No. 5896 of 2015 (J)

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PETITIONER:

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A.ANILKUMAR AGED 42 YEARS  
S/O.APPU, FARM ASSISTANT (VETERINARY) SENIOR GRADE  
FARMING SYSTEM RESEARCH STATION, SADANANDAPURAM

BY ADV. SRI.R.T.PRADEEP

RESPONDENT:

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KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY  
REP BY ITS REGISTRAR, KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY  
VELLANIKKARA 680654

R BY SRI.BABU JOSEPH KURUVATHAZHA, SC, KERALA AGRICULTURA

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON  
24-02-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

APPENDIX

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS:

EXT P1 : TRUE COPY OF FIRST STATUTES OF AGRICULTURE AND VETERINARY BROUGHT OUT BY NOTIFICATION DTD 03.03.1993 BY RESPONDENT

EXT P2 : TRUE COPY OF ORDER DTD 01.08.2007 BY WHICH THE FARM STAFF IN the CATEGORY OF AGRICULTURE GOT REDESIGNATED AS FARM OFFICER, FARM MANAGER AND FARM SUPERINTENDENT

EXT P3 : TRUE COPY OF REPRESENTATION DTD 10.08.2007 SUBMITTED BY THE PETITIONER THROUGH PROPER CHANNEL

EXT P4 : TRUE COPY OF REPRESENTATION DTD 23.10.2014 BY THE PETITIONER BEFORE RESPONDENT

EXT P5 : TRUE COPY OF FORWARDING COMMUNICATION DTD 27.10.2014 OF EXT.P4 BY the HEAD OF ESTABLISHMENT TO UNIVERSITY

RESPONDENT'S EXHIBITS: NIL

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P A to Judge

**A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE, J.**  
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**Dated this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015**

**JUDGMENT**

Petitioner is working as Farm Assistant (Veterinary) Senior Grade at Farming System Research Station, Sadanandapuram under the Kerala Agricultural University. Petitioner submits that even though separate Farm Assistants in the service of University are borne out in two categories-Agriculture and Veterinary, petitioner is in the category of Veterinary. The University enacted separate first statute for both the categories prescribing method of appointment and qualifications. However, it is submitted that the hierarchy of post and salary and allowances are identical in both the categories. The post in the category of Agriculture were re-designated as Farm Officer, Farm Manager and Farm Superintendent without any monetary benefits as per Ext.P2 in the year 2007. Petitioner also sought for re-designation of the post of Farm Assistant (Veterinary) Senior Grade inpari materia with the re-designated post allowed by Ext.P2. This request was produced as Ext.P3. It is submitted that no response has been received on Ext.P3 even though it is made as early as in the year, 2007. Ext.P4 is the reminder to

Ext.P3.

2. In view of the limited request made before this Court, there shall be a direction to the respondent to consider Exts.P3 and P4 and take appropriate decision thereon within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of this judgment.

The Writ Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-  
**A.MUHAMED MUSTAQUE, JUDGE.**

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