

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DAMA SESHADRI NAIDU

FRIDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF APRIL 2015/27TH CHAITHRA, 1937

WP(C).No. 12553 of 2015 (T)

PETITIONER : -

DR RANJEET K , AGED 40 YEARS,
S/O.NARAYANANKUTTY,
RESIDING AT 203 C, RUBY ENCLAVE,
POTTAYIL LANE, POOTHOLE P.O., THRISSUR-680004.

BY ADV.SRI.ISAAC KURUVILLA ILLIKAL

RESPONDENTS : -

1. KERALA UNIVERSITY OF FISHERIES AND OCEAN STUDIES,
REPRESENTED BY ITS REGISTRAR, PANAGAD P.O.,
KOCHI-682506.
2. UNIVERSITY GOVERNING COUNCIL,
REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRMAN, THE VICE CHANCELLOR,
KERALA UNIVERSITY OF FISHERIES AND OCEAN STUDIES,
PANAGAD P.O., KOCHI-682506.
3. VICE CHANCELLOR,
KERALA UNIVERSITY OF FISHERIES AND OCEAN STUDIES,
PANAGAD P.O., KOCHI-682506.

BY ADV.SRI.MILLU DANDAPANI, SC

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON
17-04-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

APPENDIX

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS :

EXHIBIT P1 : COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF THE PETITIONER IN Msc MARINE BIOLOGY.

EXHIBIT P1(a) : COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF PhD IN MARINE SCIENCE.

EXHIBIT P1 (b) : COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF NET.

EXHIBIT P2 : COPY OF THE NOTIFICATION ISSUED BY THE 1st RESPONDENT UNIVERSITY DATED 05.08.2014.

EXHIBIT P3 : COPY OF THE APPLICATION FORM SUBMITTED BY THE PETITIONER DATED 25.08.2014.

EXHIBIT P4 : COPY OF CHAPTER IX OF THE KERALA UNIVERSITY OF FISHERIES AND OCEAN STUDIES FIRST STATUTES 2013.

RESPONDENTS' EXHIBITS : NIL.

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P.A. TO JUDGE

DMR/-

DAMA SESHADRI NAIDU, J.

W.P.(c) No. 12553 of 2015

Dated this the 17th day of April, 2015

JUDGMENT

The petitioner has approached this Court with the following prayers :

(i) Issue a writ of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, direction or order directing the respondents to approve the select list and to publish the Select List for making appointment to the post of Associate Professor, Biological Oceanography in Fishery Biology Department under the 1st respondent University forthwith or at any rate, within a time frame that may be fixed by this Hon'ble Court.

(ii) Issue a Writ of mandamus or other appropriate writ, direction or order directing the respondents to make appointment to the post of Associate Professor, Biological Oceanography in Fishery Biology Department under the 1st respondent University from the date of occurrence of vacancy without regard to the delay caused in making appointments with all consequential benefits;

(iii) Issue such other appropriate writ, direction or order which this Honourable Court deems fit and proper in the circumstances of the case;

(iv) Award cost to the petitioner.

In view of the reliefs sought by the petitioner, I am of the view that the select list for the appointment of the petitioner for the post of Associate Professor, Biological Oceanography in Fishery Biology Department, shall be finalized within a period of one month from the date of receipt of a copy of this judgment.

With the above observation, this writ petition is disposed of.

DAMA SESHADRI NAIDU
JUDGE

DMR/-