

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM**

**PRESENT:**

**THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR**

**THURSDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF JULY 2015/11TH ASHADHA, 1937**

**WP(C).No. 19228 of 2015 (C)**  
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**PETITIONER(S):**  
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**SREENIVASAN POTTY.P.K.  
MELSANTHI, ANIYIL SREE KRISHNASWAMY TEMPLE  
ELAMKUNNAPUZHA DEVASWOM, THIRUVANCHIKULAM GROUP  
KOCHI-682015.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.S.KRISHNAMOORTHY  
SRI.P.KRISHNANKUTTY NAIR (KOLLAMALA)**

**RESPONDENT(S):**  
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- 1. COCHIN DEVASWOM BOARD  
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY, DEVASWOM BUILDINGS  
TRICHUR-680001.**
- 2. SPECIAL DEVASWOM COMMISSIONER  
COCHIN DEVASWOM BOARD, DEVASWOM BOARD BUILDING  
TRICHUR-680001.**
- 3. SHRI.RAMESH KUMAR  
MELSANTHI, TRIPUNITHURA DEVASWOM, TRIPUNITHURA-682301.**
- 4. HARIDASAN EMBRANTHIRI  
ELAMKUNNAPPUZHA DEVASWOM, ELAMKUNNAPPUZHA.682503**
- 5. AJITH  
KUZHIPPALLY DEVASWOM, THIRUVANCHIKULAM GROUP  
NAYARAMBALAM.682 509**

**R1-R2 BY SRI.KRISHNA MENON, SC, COCHIN DEVASWOM BOARD**

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON  
02-07-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE  
FOLLOWING:**

**WP(C).No. 19228 of 2015 (C)**  
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**APPENDIX**

**PETITIONER(S)' EXHIBITS**  
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**EXHIBIT-P1: TRUE PHOTOS OF THE DOCTOR'S CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY THE  
DOCTOR OF DEVI HOSPITAL, TRIPUNITHURA.**

**EXHIBIT-P2: TRUE COPY OF THE ORDER DATED 12.6.2015 ISSUED BY 2ND  
RESPONDENT.**

**EXHIBIT-P3: COPY OF THE PETITION/REPRESENTATION DATED 30.6.2015 OF  
THE PETITIONER.**

**RESPONDENT(S)' EXHIBITS:       NIL.**  
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**P.S. TO JUDGE**

**A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR, J.**

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**W.P.(C).NO.19228 OF 2015 (C)**  
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**Dated this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2015**

**J U D G M E N T**

The petitioner, who is working as a Melsanthi at Aniyil Sree Krishnaswamy Temply, is aggrieved by the order of transfer, whereby, he has been transferred to Tripunithura Devaswom. Agitating his grievance, he has preferred Ext.P3 representation before the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent, and the limited prayer of the petitioner, at this stage, is for a direction to the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent to consider and pass orders on Ext.P3 representation expeditiously, and to keep in abeyance Ext.P2 transfer order, in the meanwhile.

2. I have heard the learned counsel for the petitioner as also the learned Standing counsel for the respondent Board.

On a consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case as also the submissions made across the bar, I dispose the writ petition with a direction to the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent to consider and pass orders on Ext.P3 representation preferred by the petitioner, within a period of

one month from the date of receipt of a copy of this judgment, after hearing the petitioner. Till such time as orders are passed by the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent, as directed, and communicated to the petitioner, Ext.P2 order of transfer, to the extent it pertains to the petitioner, shall be kept in abeyance. The petitioner shall produce a copy of the writ petition together with a copy of the I.A. [I.A.No.9224/2015] and a copy of this judgment before the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent, for further action.

**A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR**  
**JUDGE**

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