

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR

TUESDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF JULY 2015/16TH ASHADHA, 1937

WP(C).No. 19530 of 2015 (M)

PETITIONER :

**MANAGER,
SREE SETHU PARVATHY BHAI HIGH SCHOOL,
KADAKKAVUR, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM DISTRICT -695 306**

**BY SMT.VP.SEEMANDINI, SENIOR ADVOCATE
ADVS. SMT.K.P.GEETHA MANI
SMT.P.A.RINUSA
SRI.M.R.ANISON**

RESPONDENT(S):

- 1. STATE OF KERALA,
REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL EDUCATION, GOVT. SECRETARIAT,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM -695 001**
- 2. THE DIRECTOR OF HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM -695 001**

BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SMT. M.J.RAJASREE

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 07-07-2015, ALONG WITH WPC.NO. 19846/2015 AND WPC.NO.20183/2015,
THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:**

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APPENDIX

PETITIONER(S)' EXHIBITS

- P1: TRUE COPY OF JUDGMENT DATED 09.04.2015 IN WPC.NO.24338/2014**
- P2: TRUE COPY OF DETAILED ARGUMENT NOTE SUBMITTED BEFORE THE SIX MEMBER COMMITTEE**
- P3: TRUE COPY OF REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE SIX MEMBER COMMITTEE.**

RESPONDENT(S)' EXHIBITS: **NIL**

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P.A.TO JUDGE

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A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR, J.
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W.P.(C).Nos.19530, 19846, & 20183 of 2015
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Dated this the 7th day of July, 2015

J U D G M E N T

In all these writ petitions, the petitioners represent Schools that have been claiming the grant of Higher Secondary Course, pursuant to the policy decisions taken by the State Government in 2013 and 2014. Pursuant to a judgment dated 09.04.2015 of this Court in W.P. (C).No.20384 of 2014 and connected cases, where the case of the petitioners was directed to be looked into by the Six Member Committee that was constituted by the Government to scrutinise the applications for grant of Higher Secondary Course, the Six Member Committee has now recommended the case of the petitioners Schools for the grant of higher Secondary Course. The limited prayer in the writ petitions is for a direction to the Government to pass consequential orders, taking note of the recommendations in favour of the petitioners by the Six Member Committee, as directed in the earlier round of litigation.

2. I have heard the learned Senior counsel for the petitioners and also the learned Government Pleader for the respondents.

On a consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case and the submissions made across the bar, I dispose these writ petitions with a direction to the State Government to consider and pass consequential orders, based on the recommendations of the Six Member Committee in favour of the petitioners Schools, within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this judgment.

A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR
JUDGE

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