

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE P.N.RAVINDRAN
&
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE BABU MATHEW P.JOSEPH**

MONDAY, THE 23RD DAY OF NOVEMBER 2015/2ND AGRAHAYANA, 1937

WP(C).No. 30536 of 2013 (N)

PETITIONER:

**T.K SURESH BABU, 50 YEARS,
S/O.LATE T.K.BALAKURUP, A7-DEVASWOM STAFF QUARTERS
NENMINI P.O., PIN-680 104, GURUVAYOOR
THRISSUR.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.BABU CHERUKARA
SMT.ROSAMMA MATHEW
SRI.P.A.SALIM
SRI.ANZAR BASHEER
SRI.P.ANTO THOMAS
SRI.K.S.GIREESAN**

RESPONDENTS:

- 1. STATE OF KERALA
REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE (DEVASWOM),
GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 001.**
- 2. THE COMMISSIONER,
GURUVAYOOR DEVASWOM, SECRETARIAT,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695 001.**
- 3. THE GURUVAYOOR DEVASWOM MANAGING COMMITTEE,
REPRESENTED BY IT'S ADMINISTRATOR,
GURUVAYOOR DEVASWOM OFFICE, GURUVAYOOR-680 101.**
- 4. N. RAJU,
SOUPARNIKA HOUSE, CHAMUNDESSARI ROAD,
GURUVAYOOR-680 101.**
- 5. T.V.CHANDRAMOHAN
GOVIND HOUSE, HARISREE, MURUKA NAGAR
POONKUNNAM, THRISSUR-2.**

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**6. ADV.M.JANARDHANAN
JANEENAM, PALLIYIL PARAMBU, PUTHIYARA
KOZHIKODE-673 029.**

**7. K.SIVASANKARAN
SOUMYA VIHAR, PALIYAMKADAVU ROAD, CHENDAMANGALAM P.O.
N.PARUR-683 513.**

**R1 & R2 BY SR. GOVERNMENT PLEADER SRI.M.K.ABOOBACKER
R3 BY ADV. SRI.P.GOPAL
R4 BY ADVS. SRI.K.JAJU BABU (SR.)
SRI.B.UNNIKRISHNA KAIMAL
R5 -R 7 BY ADVS.SRI.P.RAVINDRAN (SR.)
SRI.SREEDHAR RAVINDRAN**

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING BEEN FINALLY HEARD ON 23-11-2015,
THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:**

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P.N.RAVINDRAN & BABU MATHEW P. JOSEPH, JJ.

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Dated this the 23rd day of November, 2015

JUDGMENT

P.N.Ravindran, J.

The main relief sought in the instant writ petition filed by a serving employee of Sreekrishna Temple, Guruvayoor is to set aside Ext.P1 Government order whereby respondents 4 to 7 were nominated to the Managing Committee of Guruvayoor Devaswom and to remove them from office forthwith. The petitioner has also prayed for a writ in the nature of mandamus commanding the State of Kerala to make nominations to the Managing Committee of Guruvayoor Devaswom only in accordance with the Guruvayoor Devaswom Act, 1978 and the principles laid down by a Division Bench of this court in **Gopalakrishnan Nair v. State of Kerala** [1992 (2) KLJ 724], the judgment in O.P.No.2071 of 1993 and Ext.P10 interim order in O.P.No.27853 of 1999.

Ext.P1 Government order is dated 15.11.2013. It discloses that the Guruvayoor Devaswom Managing Committee was reconstituted by nominating respondents 4 to 7. As per the provisions contained in the Guruvayoor Devaswom Act, 1978, the term of the committee is two

years. The said period of two years has come to an end. In such circumstances, we are of the opinion that the reliefs prayed for in the instant writ petition have become infructuous. It is accordingly closed as infructuous.

Sd/-

**P.N.RAVINDRAN
JUDGE**

Sd/-

**BABU MATHEW P. JOSEPH
JUDGE**

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P.A. To Judge