

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE K.VINOD CHANDRAN

WEDNESDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2015/4TH AGRAHAYANA, 1937

WP(C).No. 30668 of 2015 (G)

PETITIONER:

**BABU JACOB, AGED 50 YEARS
S/O.JACOB, THOTTAMVILA HOUSE, EAST MARADI.P.O
MUVATTUPUZHA.**

**BY ADVS.SRI.A.X.VARGHESE
SRI.A.V.JOJO
SRI.S.MOHAMMED SHIJI**

RESPONDENTS:

- 1. STATE OF KERALA,
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT,
SECRETARIAT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695001.**
- 2. VAZHAKULAM AGRO & FRUIT PROCESSING COMPANY LTD,
REPRESENTED BY MANAGING DIRECTOR, AVOLI.P.O
MUVATTUPUZHA-686670.**

**R2 BY ADVS. SRI.C.P.SABARI
SRI.RAJAN VISHNURAJ
R1 BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SMT. M.J. RAJASREE**

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING BEEN FINALLY HEARD ON 25-11-2015,
THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:**

APPENDIX

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS

- P1 TRUE COPY OF THE LETTER DATED 24/7/2015**
- P2 TRUE COPY OF THE SHOW CAUSE NOTICE DATED 31.7.2015**
- P3 TRUE COPY OF THE REPLY DATED 3/8/2015**
- P4 TRUE COPY OF THE ORDER OF SUSPENSION DATED 6/8/2015.**
- P5 TRUE COPY OF THE CHARGE SHEET.**

RESPONDENTS' EXHIBITS

NIL

//TRUE COPY//

P.A. TO JUDGE

JJJ

K. VINOD CHANDRAN, J.

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Dated this the 25th day of November, 2015

J U D G M E N T

The petitioner's contention is that the petitioner has been proceeded against departmentally on allegation of misconduct and has been suspended from service. The petitioner contends that the proceedings may be expedited, since he is out of employment.

2. The learned counsel appearing for the 2nd respondent contends that proceedings have been initiated against two drivers, one of whom is the petitioner. Both the drivers have not, till date, appeared before the Enquiry Officer.

3. In such circumstance, on the appearance of the petitioner and the other delinquent employee the matter shall be expedited and shall be completed, if possible, within a period of four months from the date of appearance.

It is made clear that the petitioner also has to co-operate in the enquiry.

Writ petition is disposed of.

Sd/-
K.VINOD CHANDRAN,
JUDGE