

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR

WEDNESDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2015/27TH KARTHIKA, 1937

WP(C).No. 34870 of 2015 (G)

PETITIONER(S):

**SUNNY GEORGE, AGED 57 YEARS,
S/O.VARKEY GEORGE KONDODICKAL HOUSE,
UMBIDI P.O., THOTTAKKADU, CHANGANACHERRY.**

BY ADV. SRI.S.NIDHEESH

RESPONDENT(S):

- 1. THE REGIONAL TRANSPORT OFFICER,
(TAXATION OFFICER), REGIONAL TRANSPORT OFFICE,
KOTTAYAM - 686 002.**
- 2. THE DEPUTY TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER,
CENTRAL ZONE (APPELLATE AUTHORITY),
ERNAKULAM - 682 030.**

BY GOVERNMENT PLEADER SMT.LILLY K.T.

**THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON
18-11-2015, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:**

msv/

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APPENDIX

PETITIONER(S)' EXHIBITS:

EXT.P1: TRUE COPY OF THE REQUEST/PETITION DTD.7.8.2013 SUBMITTED TO THE RESPONDENT.

EXT.P2: TRUE COPY OF THE ENQUIRY REPORT OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTOR.

EXT.P3: TRUE COPY OF THE DEMAND NOTICE ISSUED BY THE RESPONDENT.

EXT.P4: TRUE COPY OF THE NOTICE OF HEARING ISSUED BY THE RESPONDENT.

EXT.P5: TRUE COPY OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE 1ST RESPONDENT DTD.29.9.2015.

EXT.P6: TRUE COPY OF THE APPEAL MEMORANDUM DTD.3.11.2015.

EXT.P7: TRUE COPY OF THE CHALLAN DTD.6.11.2015.

EXT.P8: TRUE COPY OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE RTA, KOTTAYAM DTD.6.7.2015.

EXT.P9: TRUE COPY OF THE JUDGMENT IN WP(C) 25027/2015 DTD.21.8.2015.

RESPONDENT(S)' EXHIBITS:

NIL

//TRUE COPY//

P.S.TO JUDGE

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A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR, J.

W.P.(C).NO.34870 OF 2015 (G)

Dated this the 18th day of November, 2015

J U D G M E N T

The limited prayer of the petitioner in the writ petition is for a direction to the 2nd respondent, before whom the petitioner has preferred Ext.P6 appeal, against a demand of motor vehicle tax, to consider and pass orders on the said appeal, expeditiously, after hearing the petitioner.

2. I have heard the learned counsel for the petitioner as also the learned Government Pleader for the respondent.

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 2nd respondent to consider and pass orders on Ext.P6 appeal, after hearing the petitioner, within a period of one month from the date of receipt of a copy of this judgment. Recovery steps for recovery of amounts confirmed against the petitioner shall

be kept in abeyance till such time as orders are passed by the 2nd respondent, as directed and communicated to the petitioner.

A.K.JAYASANKARAN NAMBIAR
JUDGE

prp/18/11/15