

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 28-01-2015

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THE HONOURABLE MR.SANJAY KISHAN KAUL, CHIEF JUSTICE  
AND  
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.SUNDRESH

WRIT PETITION No.6173 of 2010  
and  
M.P.No.3 of 2010

K.R.Ramasamy @ Traffic Ramaswamy ... Petitioner

vs

- 1.Union of India  
Rep. By its Secretary  
Ministry of Environment and Forests  
New Delhi
- 2.State of Tamil Nadu  
Rep. By its Secretary  
Department of Environment and Forests  
Fort St. George, Chennai 600 009
- 3.The Chairman  
Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board  
No.76, Mount Road  
Guindy, Chennai 600 032.
- 4.S.Selvam
- 5.S.Stella
- 6.T.Thilagavathy
- 7.B.Indira
- 8.R.Thamilamudhan
- 9.K.Samivel
- 10.L.Rajagopal
- 11.M.Prema
- 12.P.Suganthi Rani
- 13.Paul David

(RR4 to 13 impleaded as per order  
dated 13.8.2010 in M.P.No.2/2010)

.. Respondents

Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for a writ of mandamus directing the respondents 2 and 3 to forthwith recruit adequate staff members including filling up the vacancies in the third respondent Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.T.Perumal  
For Respondents : Mr.P.Mahadevan for R1

Mr.S.T.S.Moorthy  
Government Pleader for R2

Mrs.Rita Chandrasekar for R3

Mr.S.Ilamvaludhi for RR4 to 13

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by THE HON'BLE CHIEF JUSTICE)

The petitioner filed this Public Interest Litigation in the year 2010 seeking directions to fill up the vacancies in the Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board/third respondent as it was affecting the efficiency of the organisation.

2.Learned Counsel appearing for third respondent, states that there were vacancies existing on account of Service Rules not being finalised. These Service Rules were finalised in November, 2010, whereafter vacancies have been filled up as per the revised Service Rules. She also states that this process of appointment was assailed in the Courts; but, the private respondents 4 to 13 did not succeed in the same, an aspect confirmed by the learned Counsel representing the private respondents.

3.In view of the vacancies having been filled up, as submitted by the learned Counsel for third respondent, the said statement is taken on record and the writ petition is disposed of as having become infructuous. No costs. Consequently, connected MP is closed.

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Assistant Registrar

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Ministry of Environment and Forests  
New Delhi

2.The Secretary to Government  
Department of Environment and Forests  
Fort St. George, Chennai 600 009

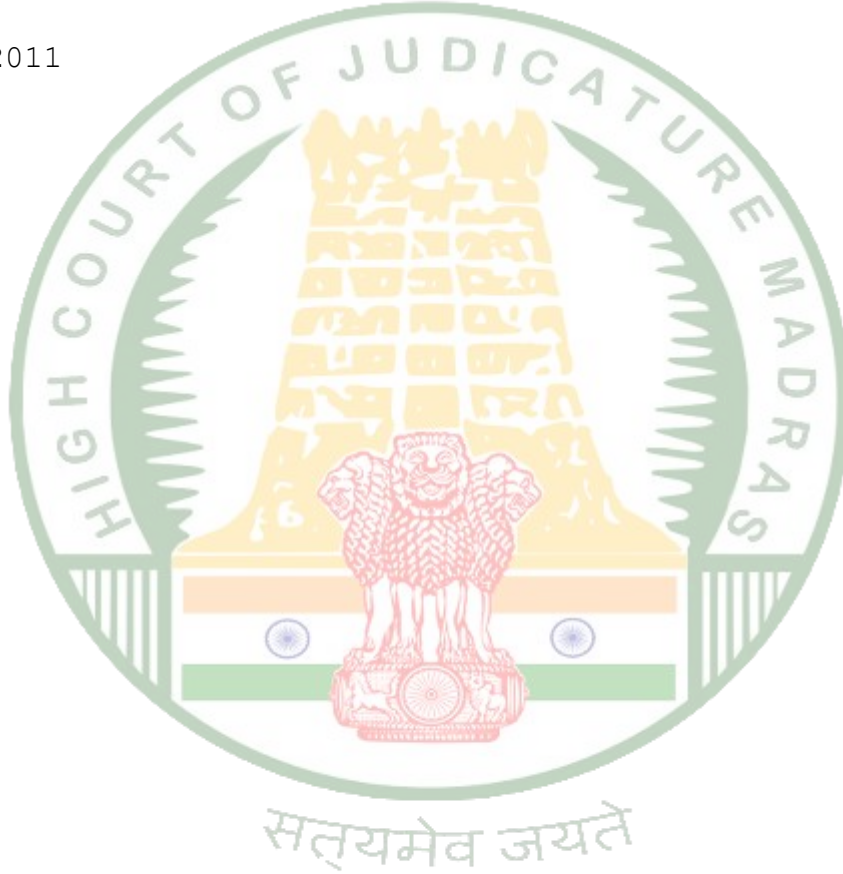
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1 cc to Mrs.Rita Chandrasekar,Advocate, SR.No.4162

1 cc to Government Pleader,Sr.No4268

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