

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 24.06.2015

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE D.HARIPARANTHAMAN

W.P.No.18203 of 2015

N.Karthikeyan

... Petitioner

-Versus-

1. The Secretary to Government,
Industries Department,
Fort St. George,
Chennai 600 009.
2. The Director of Sugar,
690, Anna Salai,
Nandanam, Chennai 600 035.
3. The Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu Sugar Corporation,
690, Anna Salai,
Nandanam,
Chennai 600 035.
4. The Chief Executive,
Arignar Anna Sugar Mills,
Kurungulam 613 303,
Thanjavur District.

... Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the relief of issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 14.04.2015 regarding revision of seniority in the post of Asst. Engineer (Mech.) w.e.f. 14.12.1988 with all consequential service and monetary benefits in the 4th respondent Sugar Mills within a time frame to be fixed by this court.

For petitioner : Mr.R.Chandrasekaran

For Respondents : Mr.Bala Ramesh,
Additional Government Pleader for R1 to R4

ORDER

Considering the limited scope of the prayer, by consent, the writ petition itself is taken up for final disposal.

2. The petitioner claims that he is a Diploma Holder in Mechanical Engineering (DME). In the year, 1983 he was appointed as Draughtsman (Mechanical) in the 4th respondent Sugar Mills through Employment Exchange and from 14.12.1988 onwards, he has been looking after the duties of the Assistant Engineer. According to the petitioner, he is eligible for promotion to the post of Assistant Engineer w.e.f. 14.12.1988. Now, the grievance of the petitioner is that his experience has not been looked into with proper merit for promotion as Deputy Engineer & Chief Engineer. In this regard, he has also made a representation to the 4th respondent mill to absorb him as Asst. Engineer with effect from 14.12.1998 and to promote him as Chief Engineer from 01.02.2011 retrospectively. Hence, he has come forward with this writ petition.

3. I have heard the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Additional Government Pleader for the respondents.

4. Considering the submissions made on either side and taking into consideration of the fact that the representation of the petitioner is pending with the 4th respondent, without going into the merits of the case, the 4th respondent is directed to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 14.04.2015 on merits and in accordance with law and to pass orders thereon within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS IV)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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+1cc to Mr.R.Bala Ramesh, Advocate, S.R.No.31119
+1cc to the Government Pleader, S.R.No.31285

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