

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 09.09.2015

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.SATHYANARAYANAN

W.P.No.28430 of 2015

and

M.P.No.1 of 2015

E.A.Prabu

.. Petitioner

- Vs -

The District Collector,
Collectorate, Salem.

.. Respondent

Prayer:- Writ Petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Mandamus directing the respondent to consider the representation dated 31.07.2015 and to promote the petitioner to the post of Deputy Tahsildar with effect from 17.04.2015 and place the petitioner above his immediate junior who is in S.No.13 in the proceedings Pdl.30/2014 (A7), dated 17.04.2015 by the Collector published in Salem District Gazette dated 21.05.2015.

For Petitioner : Mr.Naveen Murthy
for Mr.K.Ramasamy

For Respondent : Mr.S.Gunasekaran
Government Advocate

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By consent, the writ petition is taken up for final disposal.

2. The petitioner was appointed as a Junior Assistant and according to him, he has rendered unblemished service to the satisfaction of his superior officers and he has also cleared all the requisite examinations and he is fit for consideration for promotion to the post of Deputy Tahsildar. The grievance expressed by the petitioner is that six of his juniors were promoted and posted as Deputy Tahsildars and though he has rendered unblemished service, his claim for the post of Deputy Tahsildar has been overlooked. In this regard, he submitted a representation dated 31.07.2015 to the respondent and since no orders came to be passed, he has come forward to file this writ petition.

3. Heard the submissions of the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and Mr.S.Gunasekaran, learned Government Advocate who accepts notice on behalf of the respondent.

4. Though the petitioner prays for a larger relief, this Court without going into the merits of the representation of the petitioner, directs the respondent to consider and dispose of the representation of the petitioner dated 31.07.2015, on merits and in accordance with law, after putting on notice the persons concerned and pass orders within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and communicate the decision taken, to the petitioner as well as the persons concerned. The writ petition is disposed of accordingly. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed. No costs.

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s/d-
Assistant Registrar (CS-IV)

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The District Collector,
Collectorate, Salem.

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