

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 11.03.2015

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.K.SASIDHARAN

Writ Petition No.4070 of 2015

A.Palaniraj

...Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by its Secretary to Government,
Environment and Forest Department,
Fort St.George, Chennai -9.
- 2.The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest
and Head of the Department,
Panagal Building, Saidapet,
Chennai - 15.

...Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for the issuance of writ of mandamus, directing the respondents to consider the petitioner's representation dated 30.01.2015 with regard to transfer to the place of Grizzled Squirrel Sanctuary, Srivilliputhur as per G.O.Ms.No.10 P & AR Department, dated 07.01.1994 and Government Letter No.21086/Per.S/94-1 dated 21.03.1994.

For Petitioner : Ms.K.Jenitha

For Respondents : Mr.N.Inbanathan
Govt. Advocate (F)

O R D E R

The petitioner is presently posted at Virudhunagar. He is working as Assistant Conservator of Forest. The petitioner submitted a representation on 30.01.2015 requesting the second respondent to transfer him to Srivilliputhur. Since the said representation was not taken up for consideration, the petitioner is before this Court.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Government Advocate on behalf of the respondents.

3. The document available on record shows that the petitioner has given representation only to the first respondent. According to the learned Government Advocate, the appropriate authority to consider the representation is none other than the second respondent.

4. The petitioner is given liberty to submit a representation to the second respondent. In case any such representation is given for transfer, the same shall be considered and disposed of by the second respondent on merits and taking into account the age and other factors as projected in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition. Such exercise shall be completed within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of representation.

5. The writ petition is disposed of with the above direction. No costs.

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-s/d-
Assistant Registrar (CO)
Dt:18/3/2015

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

To

1.The Secretary to Government,
The State of Tamil Nadu,
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Fort St.George, Chennai -9.

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+ 1 cc to M/s.K.Jenitha, Advocate SR 14139

+ 1 cc to Special Govt.Pleader (Forest) High Court, Madras SR 13827

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