

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
DATED : 17.11.2016
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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.SUBBIAH
Writ Petition No.40441 of 2016

K.Sundaram

.. Petitioner

Vs

- 1 The Principal Secretary to
Government Social Welfare & Nutritious Meal
Programme Department Secretariat Chennai 9
- 2 The Director of Social
Welfare Chennai 32

... Respondents

Writ petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for a Writ of mandamus directing the first respondent herein to consider and pass orders on the appeal dated 29.3.2016 preferred by the petitioner as against the orders passed by the second respondent in and by proceedings No.183/Admn. 5 (3)/2012 dated 15.3.2016.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Sathish Rajan
For Respondents : Mr.K.Dhananjayan,
Spl. Govt. Pleader.

ORDER

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

2. The petitioner has come up with the present writ petition for a mandamus, directing the first respondent to consider and pass orders on the appeal dated 29.3.2016 preferred by him as against the orders passed by the second respondent in and by proceedings No.183/Admn. 5 (3)/2012 dated 15.3.2016.

3. Though very many contentions have been raised in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, at the time of arguments, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that the appeal dated 29.3.2016 preferred by the petitioner is pending before the first respondent and it would suffice, if a direction is given to the first respondent to

dispose of the said appeal within a specified time. In view of the said submissions made by the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, I am of the opinion, it is not necessary for this Court to traverse the entire averments made in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition.

4. Hence, without going into the merits of the claim projected by the petitioner, this Court directs the first respondent to dispose of the appeal dated 29.3.2016 preferred by the petitioner, on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. The writ petition is disposed of accordingly. No costs.

-s/d-
Assistant Registrar

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

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To

1 The Principal Secretary to
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