

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 21.11.2016

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The HON'BLE MR.SANJAY KISHAN KAUL, CHIEF JUSTICE
AND
The HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE R.MAHADEVAN

W.P.No.40810 of 2016

K.Sudhan

.. Petitioner

Versus

1. The Chief Secretary,
Government of Tamil Nadu
Fort St.George, Chennai 600009.

2.The Principal Secretary,
Department of Home,
Prohibition and Excise,
Government of Tamil Nadu
Fort St.George,
Chennai 600 009.

3.The Director General of Police,
Government of Tamil Nadu
Radhakrishnan Salai,
Mylapore, Chennai 600004.

.. Respondents

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to direct the respondents to order all the Women Sub-Inspectors who were promoted and posted as Inspector of Police in Civil Supplies Criminal Investigation Department (CSCID) to report to their new posting in CSCID with immediate effect, in accordance with the orders of the 3rd respondent in Office Memorandum RC.No.999/NGB.V (1)P-03/C 2016-17/2016 dt.21.9.16 so that gender discrimination perpetuated in the CSCID could be curtailed.

For Petitioner

: Mr.Sankara Subbu
for Mr.M.Duraimurugan

For Respondents

: Mr.C.Manishankar
Additional Advocate General
assisted by
Mr.M.K.Subramanian
Government Pleader
for R.1 to R.3

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by the Hon'ble Chief Justice)

We have heard the learned counsel for the petitioner.

2. The petitioner, an Advocate, seeks to raise an issue in a public interest litigation in respect of promotion and posting of Inspectors of Police, alleging that it is 'Gender Discrimination'. We are not satisfied that such a public interest litigation can be maintained at the behest of the petitioner in respect of a posting matter of third parties and thus, we are not inclined to entertain this writ petition.

3. The writ petition is thus dismissed, leaving the parties to bear their own costs.

Sd/-
Asst.Registrar (CS VII)

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Sub Asst. Registrar

To

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