

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED 08.11.2017

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM

W.P.No.6736 of 2014

and

M.P.No.1 of 2014

1. P.Rajappa .. Petitioner

Versus

1. The Managing Director,
Central Organization, ECHS,
Adjutant General Branch,
Integrated HQ of MOD (Army),
Maude Lines, Delhi Cantt.,
Delhi - 10.

2. The Directorate of A.V.,
Air Headquarters,
SMC Building,
Subroto Park,
New Delhi - 10.

3. The Senior Medical Officer,
6 Air Force Hospital,
Red Fields, Coimbatore - 18.

... Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for the issuance of writ of mandamus, directing the 1st respondent to consider the petitioner's representation dated 27.01.2014 and reimburse the medical expenses paid by the petitioner under the Ex-Servicemen Contributory Health Scheme (ECHS).

For Petitioner : Ms.P.T.Rama Devi

For Respondents : No Appearance

W E B C O P Y
O R D E R

The relief sought for in this writ petition is to direct the first respondent to consider the representation submitted by the writ petitioner on 27.01.2014 to reimburse the medical expenses sustained by the writ petitioner under the Ex-Servicemen Contributory Health Scheme (ECHS).

2. The learned counsel appearing for the writ petitioner made a submission that the Ex-Servicemen Contributory Health

Scheme (ECHS) is applicable to the writ petitioner and he is subscribing for the medical scheme. In spite of the fact that the petitioner is eligible to avail benefit of medical reimbursement under the scheme cited supra, his case has not been considered without any valid reasons. In this regard, the writ petitioner made a representation to the first respondent on 27.01.2014 and the same is yet to be considered.

3. Thus, without going into the merits of the matter the first respondent is directed to consider the representation submitted by the writ petitioner on 27.01.2014 and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. The writ petitioner is directed to enclose the copy of the representation along with the order passed in this writ petition.

4. Accordingly, the writ petition stands disposed of. However, there is no order as to cost. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petition is also closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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