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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 18.08.2017

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**THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE T.RAJA**

W.P.(MD)No.14855 of 2017  
and  
W.M.P.(MD)No.11705 of 2017

M.Muthuramalingam

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Member Secretary,  
The Tamil Nadu Uniformed Services Recruitment Board,  
Egmore, Pantheon Road,  
Chennai - 600 008.

2.The Chairman,  
Recruitment Sub-Committee,  
Tamil Nadu Uniformed Services Recruitment Board,  
Virudhunagar Centre. ... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records relating to the impugned order passed by the second respondent in C.No.R2/150/2017 dated 27.07.2017 and quash the same and consequently direct the respondents herein to allow the petitioner to participate in the Endurance Test, Physical Efficiency Test and other process of selection of Police Constable Grade-II for the Tamil Nadu Special Police, Tamil Nadu Armed Police of Tamil Nadu Police Department, Jail Warders Grade II of Tamil Nadu Prison Department and Firemen of Tamil Nadu Fire Department for the year 2017.

For Petitioner : M/s.M.Padmavathy  
For Respondents : Mr.B.Pugazhendhi  
Additional Advocate General  
Assisted by Mr.A.K.Baskara Pandian,  
Special Government Pleader.

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By consent of both sides, this writ petition itself is taken up for final disposal.

2.The petitioner, having passed S.S.L.C, applied for the post of Grade-II Police Constables / Grad-II Jail Warders / Fireman - 2017, when applications were called for by the respondent Police



Department. Subsequently, after passing the written examination, the petitioner was called for for the Physical Endurance Test.

3. Now, the grievance of the petitioner appears to be that the respondents have not measured the height of the petitioner properly. As a result, he has been found disqualified.

4. In view thereof, when the matter was earlier listed before this Court, this Court directed the respondents to produce the video recordings taken at the time of measurement.

5. As per the said direction, the learned Additional Advocate General appearing for the respondent Police Department produced the video recordings and the same was played before me in the presence of the learned counsel on either side and also the petitioner.

6. A perusal of the same would go to show that the petitioner's height is found to be 168.1 c.m. while recording manually and 168.5 c.m while recording digitally which is less than the actual level for being qualified. Hence, the petitioner is rightly found disqualified by the respondent Police Department.

7. Accordingly, this Writ Petition is dismissed. No costs. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

To

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+One cc to The Special Government Pleader, SR.No.73847

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