

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
DATED : 20.12.2018
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THE HONOURABLE Mr. JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM
W.P.No.36718 of 2004
W.P.M.P.No.44079 of 2004

R.Mohan Raj

..Petitioner

Vs

1. Assistant Director of Physical Education
Madras University Union
University of Madras
Chetpet, Chennai - 600 031.

2. Dr.kirubakaran
Physical Director
Y.M.C.A. Coach
YMCA Campus, Nandanam
Chennai - 600 035.

3. Dr.Sukumaran
M.C.C. Physical Director
Madras Christian College
Tambaram, Chennai

4. Stephen David
Sport Development Authority of Tamil Nadu
Near Nehru Park

5. Mr.Sathyaseelan
Physical Education Director
Loyola College
Chennai

..Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the Respondents to induct the petitioner in the 18 members Hockey team and allot him a seat in the team as per the letter of Assistant Director of the Madras University Union dated 27.11.2004.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.Raja Senthoo Pandian

For Respondent : Mr. L.P.Shanmuga Sundaram,
for R1.
R2 & R3 Dismissed Vide Court order
dated 30.09.2011.
R4 & R5 - No appearance

O R D E R

The relief sought for in the present writ petition is for a direction to direct the respondents to induct the petitioner in the 18 members Hockey team and allot him a seat in the team as per the letter of Assistant Director of the Madras University Union dated 27.11.2004.

2. The claim set out in the writ petition is incapable of being considered after a lapse of about 14 years in view of the letter of the Assistant Director. Even at the time of filing of the writ petition, the age of writ petitioner was 24 years and now, he would be around 38 years. The relief sought for is to induct the writ petitioner in the Hockey Team as per the letter of the Assistant Director of Physical Education, Madras University. Inducting a sports person in the team involves assessment of merit and all other criteria, which can neither be considered nor the relief can be granted in the present writ petition.

3. Accordingly, the writ petition stands dismissed. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

Assistant Director of Physical Education
Madras University Union
University of Madras
Chetpet
Chennai - 600 031.

+1cc to the Government Pleader, S.R.No.90012

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