

HON'BLE SMT JUSTICE KONGARA VIJAYA LAKSHMI

WRIT PETITION No.5317 of 2001

ORDER:

Petitioner seeks a direction to respondent to take necessary steps to realize pensionary dues through its Embassy at Iran.

Brief facts of the case are that the petitioner worked as an Engineer in the factory, M/s.Machine Sazi Arak, owned by the Government of Iran for more than 17 years; he retired from service; the Government of Iran sanctioned pension from the month of April, 1994; as per the directions of Indian Embassy, petitioner claims to have executed a registered General Power of Attorney (GPA) in the name of Indian Embassy at Tehran which would, in turn, act on his behalf for drawing pension and arrears thereof and remit into his account; in the years 1996 and 1998, GPAs were executed in favour of Indian Embassy at Teheran; on both occasions, arrears were realized from Government of Iran and remitted to his account; two years thereafter when the petitioner wanted to claim pension arrears from Government of Iran, he executed GPA in favour of Indian Embassy which, in turn, would send the same to Indian Embassy at Teheran for realizing the arrears but there was no response; and he states that despite several representations, along with necessary documents, respondent has not taken any action to receive

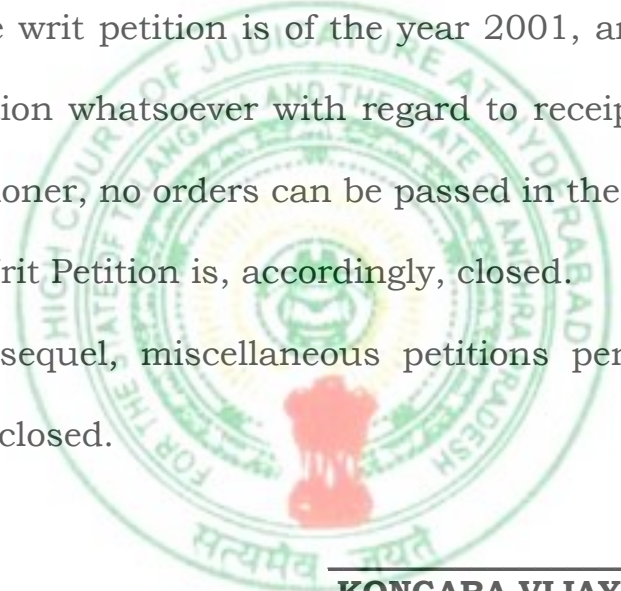
his pension from 1998 till date from the Government of Iran.
Hence the writ petition.

On 23.03.2001, while admitting the writ petition, this Court permitted the petitioner to take out personal notice on the respondent and file proof of service. No memo is filed by the counsel for the petitioner showing proof of service on the respondent. Today, when the matter came up for hearing, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he could not contact his client for getting latest instructions.

As the writ petition is of the year 2001, and as there is no information whatsoever with regard to receipt of pension by the petitioner, no orders can be passed in the writ petition.

The Writ Petition is, accordingly, closed.

As a sequel, miscellaneous petitions pending, if any, shall stand closed.



KONGARA VIJAYA LAKSHMI, J

Dt:23.02.2018
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