

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE OF MADRAS

DATED: 04.03.2019

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S. RAMESH

WP.No.4905 of 2019

T.P.Ramesh

...Petitioner

Vs

1. The Secretary to Government,
School Education Department,
Secretariat,
Chennai - 600009.

2. The Director of
Elementary Education,
DPI Complex,
College Road,
Chennai - 600006.

3. The Chief Educational Officer,
Tiruvarur District,
Tiruvarur.

4. The District Elementary
Educational Officer,
Tiruvarur District.

5. The President,
Annam Charitable and
Educational Trust,
VKS Plaza, South Main Street,
Tiruvarur - 610002.

...Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue Writ of Mandamus directing the 1st Respondent, the Secretary to Government, School Education Department to consider the representation submitted by the petitioner dated 24.09.2018 to appoint the Special Officer as under Section 18-A of the Tamil Nadu Recognized Private Schools (Regulation) Act, 1973 and to take over the administration of the School immediately, within a reasonable period.

For Petitioner : Mr.T.Ranganathan

For Respondents: Mrs.K.Bhuvaneswari, AGP
for R1 to R4

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Requesting for an appointment of Special Officer under the provisions of the Tamil Nadu Recognized Private Schools (Regulation) Act, 1973, the petitioner herein had made a representation dated 24.09.2018 to the 1st respondent herein. Since the representation was kept pending without any consideration, the present Writ Petition has been filed.

2. Taking into account of the limited prayer sought for in the Writ Petition and also the fact that the non-consideration of the representation within a reasonable time will amount to dereliction on the part of the officials of the 1st respondent herein, there shall be a direction to the 1st respondent to consider the petitioner's representation, within a period of 8 weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

3. Accordingly, the Writ Petition stands ordered. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS V)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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+lcc to Mr.T.Ranganathan, Advocate sr.20357
+lcc to the Government Pleader sr.20535

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