



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 27.08.2019

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE D.KRISHNAKUMAR

W.P. (MD)No.18503 of 2019

Dhanasekar

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.State of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by its Principal Secretary to Government,
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department,
Fort St. George,
Chennai - 9.

2.The Director of Rural Development
and Panchayat Raj,
Panagal Building,
Saidapet,
Chennai - 15.

3.The District Collector,
Virudhunagar District,
Virudhunagar.

... Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the first respondent to pass final order on the disciplinary proceedings initiated against the petitioner vide Charge Memos issued by the third respondent dated 17.05.2018 in Na.Ka.No.R1/30505-4/2015 and dated 18.05.2018 in Na.Ka.No.R1/11764/2018, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.P.Athimoolapandian

For Respondents : Mr.M.Pandiarajan

Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking a direction to the first respondent to pass final order on the disciplinary proceedings initiated against the petitioner, vide Charge Memos issued by the third respondent in Na.Ka.No.R1/30505-4/2015, dated 17.05.2018, and Na.Ka.No.R1/11764/2018, dated 18.05.2018, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

2.According to the petitioner, pursuant to the charge memos issued to him on 17.05.2018 and 18.05.2018, he submitted his explanation on 23.05.2018 and an enquiry officer was appointed and the enquiry officer completed the enquiry and submitted the enquiry report to the first respondent on 31.03.2019, but, so far no final order has been passed. Hence, the present Writ Petition.



3.Mr.M.Pandiarajan, learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for the respondents submitted that the first respondent would pass appropriate orders in accordance with the rules, within a time frame to be fixed by this Court.

4.Recording the submission made by the learned Additional Government Pleader, without going into the merits of the case, this Court directs the first respondent to pass final order on the disciplinary proceedings initiated against the petitioner, vide Charge Memos issued by the third respondent in Na.Ka.No.R1/30505-4/2015, dated 17.05.2018, and Na.Ka.No.R1/11764/2018, dated 18.05.2018, based on the enquiry report dated 31.03.2019, as expeditiously as possible, preferably within five months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5.This Writ Petition is disposed of, with the above direction. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

To

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+1 CC to M/s.P.ATHI MOOLA PANDIAN, Advocate (SR-83701[F] dated 28/08/2019)

+1 CC to M/s.SPLGP (SR-83837[F] dated 28/08/2019)
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