

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED :09.11.2020

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

W.P.No.14560 of 2020

I.Aravind  
S/o.C.Iyyanar

..Petitioner

.Vs.

1.The Secretary  
Higher Education Department  
Government of Tamil Nadu  
Secretariat, St.George Fort,  
Rajaji Salai, Chennai-600 009

2.The Vice Chancellor  
Anna University  
Guindy, Chennai, Tamil Nadu-600 025

3.The Registrar  
Anna University  
Guindy, Chennai-600 025

4.Controller of Examination  
Anna University  
Guindy, Chennai-600 025

..Respondents

Prayer:- Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent herein namely the Vice Chancellor, Anna University, Chennai to permit the petitioner to remit the arrear examination fees for the period of 2020 MAY/JUNE Semester Examination.

For Petitioner : Mr.A.D.Janarthanan

For Respondents: Mr.Vijay Kumar,  
Standing Counsel

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for the issue of a writ of mandamus directing the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent University to permit the petitioner to remit the arrear examination fees for the semester examination.

2. Mr.Vijay Kumar, learned Standing counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent University submitted that the petitioner has misconstrued the entire scope of the arrears examination for which the students were asked to pay the examination fees. The learned counsel submitted that the arrears examination in question is a special arrears examination that was sought to be conducted by the respondent University for those students who are having arrears for years together. The learned counsel submitted that this arrears exam called for by the Anna University does not pertain to the regular arrears examination for those students who are undergoing the course. The learned counsel further submitted that the matter is now pending adjudication before the Division Bench and only after final orders are passed by the Division Bench, the Anna University will move forward to conduct the arrears examination and at that point of time, the students will be put on notice.

Recording the submissions of the learned Standing counsel, this writ petition is closed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS VI)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

To

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+lcc to Mr.Vijayakumar, Advocate, S.R.No.36368

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