



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 10.02.2020

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE **MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH**

W.P. (MD) No.2467 of 2020

and

W.M.P. (MD) Nos.2106 and 2109 of 2020

T.Thirukumar

... Petitioner

/vs./

1.The Chairman cum Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu General and Distribution
Corporation Limited,
No.144, Anna Salai, Chennai 600 002.

2.The Chief Engineer (Personnel)
Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution
Corporation Limited,
No.144, Anna Salai, Chennai 600 002.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the entire records pertaining to the impugned notification issued by the second respondent in connection with recruitment of Assessor post in Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited vide notification No.1/2020 dated 08.01.2020 and quash the same insofar as it relates to the restrictions of age limit is concerned and consequently direct the second respondent to issue a fresh notification for recruitment to the post of Assessor without any outer age limit.

For Petitioner : Mr.R.Anand
For Respondents : Mr.T.Sakthikumaran
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The fixing of the age limit for recruitment to the post of Assessor is the prerogative of the respondent Corporation. However, such prescription of the age limit should be based on the decision taken by the concerned committees of the Corporation.

2.In the instant case, the age limit of 32 years for the post of Assessors, as per the notification dated 08.01.2020, has been taken through the Board proceedings in B.P.(FB).No.1, dated



18.01.2000, which has been consistently followed even in the year 2013, the proof of which has been produced before this Court.

3.As such, the petitioner's presumption that the age limit in the impugned notification has been fixed arbitrarily is baseless. Accordingly, the Writ Petition stands dismissed. No costs. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous Petitions are closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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+1 CC to M/s.S.SATHYA CHIDAMBARAM, Advocate (SR-5443[F] dated
10/02/2020)

+2 CC to M/s.T.SAKTHI KUMARAN, Advocate (SR-5463[F] dated
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Order made in
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