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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 11.02.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.MAHADEVAN

W.P.No.27448 of 2015 & M.P.No.1 of 2015

The Association of Tamil Nadu Highways Engineers,  
Rep. by General Secretary,  
No.35V, Taluk Office Road,  
Saidapet, Chennai - 600 015.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Govt. of Tamil Nadu  
Rep. by Principal Secretary to Govt.,  
Highways and Minor Ports Department,  
Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai - 600 009.
2. The Project Director,  
Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project II,  
Chennai - 600 025.
3. P.Packiam,  
Chief Engineer (Highways),  
Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project II,  
Chennai - 600 025.

... Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to forbear the respondents 1 and 2 or any one claiming under them from in any manner continuing the services of the third respondent herein as Chief Engineer, TNRSP-II in the State of Tamil Nadu beyond 02.09.2015 and direct the respondents 1 and 2 to fill up the said Post from among the available qualified Superintending Engineers in the Highways Department.

For petitioner : Mr.AR.L. Sunderasan, SC  
for Mr.MA. Gouthaman

For Respondents: A.N.Thambidurai  
1 & 2 Mr.J. Ramesh, AGP



ORDER

The petitioner has filed this writ petition to forbear the respondents 1 and 2 or any one claiming under them from in any manner continuing the services of the third respondent herein as Chief Engineer, TNRSP-II in the State of Tamil Nadu beyond 02.09.2015 and direct the respondents 1 and 2 to fill up the said Post from among the available qualified Superintending Engineers in the Highways Department.

2. Today, when the matter came up for hearing, the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, on instructions, submitted that subsequent to the filing of this writ petition, the issue involved herein has considered by a Division Bench of this Court in Writ Appeal Nos.1478 and 1489 of 2015 on 18.01.2016, and hence no further adjudication is required in the writ petition.

3. In view of the above submission made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

s/d-  
Assistant Registrar

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Sub-Assistant Registrar

To

1. The Principal Secretary to Govt.,  
Highways and Minor Ports Department,  
Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai - 600 009.
2. The Project Director,  
Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project II,  
Chennai - 600 025.

+1 CC to Mr.MA. Gouthaman, Advocate sr 8593.  
+1 CC to The Government Pleader sr 8274.

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