

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 01.03.2021

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ABDUL QUDDHOSE

W.P.Nos.12880 of 2020 and 2859 of 2021
and

W.M.P.No.3192 of 2021

S.Ranganathan

... Petitioner in both W.Ps

Vs.

1.The Banking Ombudsman
C/o. Reserve Bank of India
Fort Glacis,
Chennai - 600 001.

2.The Branch Manager,
City Union Bank Ltd.,
No.16, Thuluka Street,
Kundrathur,
Chennai - 600 069.

... Respondents in both the W.Ps

PRAYER in W.P.No.12880 of 2020: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 1st respondent to dispose of the complaint of the petitioner dated 23.03.2020 lodged as against the 2nd respondent within the stipulated time that may be prescribed by this Hon'ble Court.

PRAYER in W.P.No.2859 of 2021: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, to forbear the 2nd respondent from taking any coercive action based on the notice dated 25.01.2021 till the disposal of the complaint dated 23.03.2020 which has been lodged before the 1st respondent which is the subject matter of the writ petition in W.P.No. 12880 of 2020.

For Petitioner: Mr.J.Deliban in both the W.Ps

For R1 : Mr.C.Mohan
for M/s.King & Partridge
in both the W.Ps

For R2 : Mr.R.Sivaraman in both the W.Ps

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These writ petitions have been filed seeking for the following directions viz., (a) to direct the 1st respondent to dispose of the complaint of the petitioner dated 23.03.2020 against the 2nd respondent within a time frame to be fixed by this Court and

(b) to forbear the 2nd respondent from taking any coercive action based on the notice dated 25.01.2021 till the disposal of the aforementioned complaint.

2. The learned counsel for the 1st respondent has placed before this court an order dated 13.07.2020 passed by the 1st respondent, subsequent to the filing of the Writ Petition, closing the complaint of the petitioner. The same is recorded.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner seeks liberty to challenge the above mentioned order dated 13.07.2020 passed by the 1st respondent in accordance with law.

4. Accordingly, both the writ petitions are disposed of. However, liberty is granted to the petitioner to challenge the order dated 13.07.2020 passed by the 1st respondent in a manner known to law. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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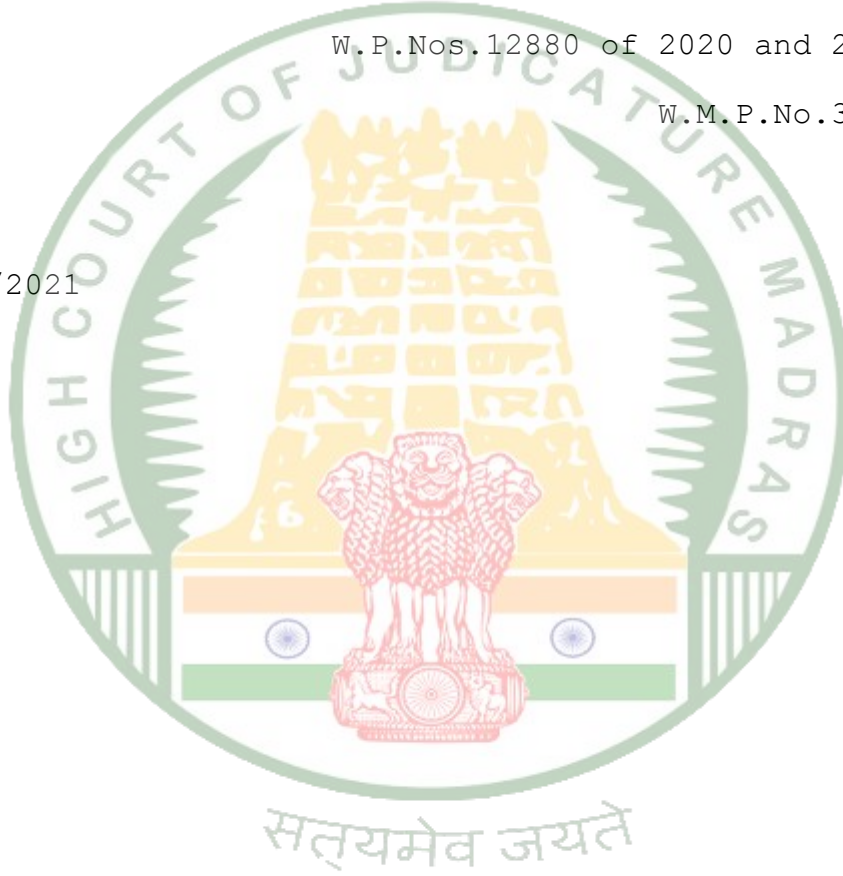
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