



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 19/11/2021

CORAM :

THE HON`BLE MR.JUSTICE B.PUGALENDHI

W.P(MD) Nos.20300 to 20302 of 2021

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A.Natarajan

Petitioner in
WP(MD) No.20300 of 2021

S.Murugesan

Petitioner in
WP(MD) No.20301 of 2021

R.Ravi

Petitioner in
WP(MD) No.20302 of 2021

Vs.

1.The Director,
Directorate of Backward Classes Welfare,
Ezhilagam,
Chepauk,
Chennai - 600 005.

2.The District Collector,
O/o The District Collector,
Tirunelveli District,
Tirunelveli.

3.The Welfare Officer,
Directorate of Backward Classes Welfare,
O/o, the Welfare Officer,
Directorate of Backward Classes Welfare,
Tirunelveli District,
Tirunelveli.

Respondents in all WPs

COMMON PRAYER: Writ Petitions are filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to consider the petitioners' appointment to the post of Cook in the available vacancies as per the press release dated 20.09.2020 or any other suitable post by considering their representation dated 07.10.2021, within the time stipulated by this Court.

For Petitioner : Mr.G.Karthik
for Mr.T.Lajapathi Roy

For Respondents : Mr.V.Nirmal Kumar
Government Advocate

(in all Wps)



C O M M O N O R D E R

These writ petitions are filed seeking for Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 consider the petitioners for appointment to the post of 'Cook' by considering their representations dated, 07.10.2021.

2.The learned counsel for the petitioners submits that these petitioners are physically challenged and are working in Government Backward Classes Welfare Students Hostel and Government Denotified Communities Students Hostel in Tirunelveli District over a period of seven years as Sweepers and also rendering assistance for cooking purpose. Now, the Department has notified vacancies for the post of Cook. Since these petitioners are having experience for the past seven years, they can be accommodated in the post of Cook, provided they are eligible for the said post. In this regard, the petitioners have also made representations dated 07.10.2021 and the same was not considered. Hence, this Writ petition.

3.Mr.V.Nirmal Kumar, learned Government Advocate takes notice for the respondents.

4.In view of the limited prayer sought for by the petitioners, without expressing anything on the claim of the petitioners, this Court is inclined to dispose of these writ petitions, with a direction to consider the case of these writ petitioners, by age relaxation, if any, and of course, sympathetically on merits and in accordance with law, if they have sufficient qualification and experience to be appointed in the vacancy as 'Cook'.

5.With the above direction, these Writ Petitions are disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

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+3 CC to M/s.T. LAJAPATHI ROY, Advocate (SR-35277[F] dated
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+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-35359[F] dated 22/11/2021)

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