



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 02.07.2021

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THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.D.AUDIKESSAVALU

W.P. (MD) No. 611 of 2014

and

M.P. (MD) No. 1 of 2014

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M.Vairamuthu

... Petitioner

-vs-

1.The State of Tamil Nadu,
Represented by its Principal Secretary,
Department of School Education,
Fort St. George,
Chennai - 09.

2.The Director of School Education,
College Road, Chennai - 06.

3.The Secretary,
Teachers Recruitment Board,
EVK Sampath Maligai,
DPI Compound, College Road,
Chennai - 06.

... Respondents

Prayer:- Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, seeking for a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent No.3 to provide full grace marks for the questions Nos. 35,36,38,45,51,58,70,75,76,89,92,96,97,105,109,113,115,117,128,144,145 of the Booklet Series B of Written Competitive Examination for Direct Recruitment of Post Graduate Assistants (2012-2013) for the subject of Tamil and consequently to consider the petitioner for recruitment to the post of Post Graduate Assistant (Tamil) within the time stipulated by this Court.

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

For Respondents : Mr. V. R. Shanmuganathan
Standing Counsel for R3
Mr. D.Gandhiraj,
Govt Advocate for R1&2

ORDER
(through video conference)

This Writ Petition has been filed directing the respondent No.3 to provide full grace marks for the questions Nos.35,36,38,45,51,58,70,75,76,89,92,96,97,105,109,113,115,117,128,144,145 of the Booklet Series B of Written Competitive Examination



for Direct Recruitment of Post Graduate Assistants (2012-2013) for the subject of Tamil and consequently to consider the petitioner for recruitment to the post of Post Graduate Assistant (Tamil) within the time stipulated by this Court.

2. It is brought to notice that the Division Bench of this Court by common order dated 20.02.2020 in W.P. (MD) No. 507 of 2014 etc., batch has dismissed the Writ Petitions filed by persons who are similarly placed to the Petitioner seeking the said relief giving elaborate reasons and a copy of the said order has been placed on record. Though Learned Counsel for the Petitioner seeks to re-agitate the matter, it is not possible for this Court to take any different view from the aforesaid binding ruling, which governs the controversy involved.

In the result, the Writ Petition is dismissed. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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To

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State of Tamil Nadu,
Department of School Education,
Fort St. George,
Chennai - 09.

2.The Director of School Education,
College Road, Chennai - 06.

+1 CC to M/s.T.LAJAPATHI ROY, Advocate (SR-21278[F] dated 06/07/2021)

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