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BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: 01.12.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE DR.JUSTICE ANITA SUMANTH

W.P. (MD)Nos.17248 & 17249 of 2018

W.M.P. (MD) .Nos.15189 to 15192 of 2018

S.Sundara Singh

...Petitioner
in W.P. (MD) .No.17248 of 2018

R.Raja

...Petitioner
in W.P. (MD) .No.17249 of 2018

/Vs./

1.The Government of Tamil Nadu
Rep.by its Principal Secretary/
Commissioner,
Refugee Camp and Welfare Board of
Tamil People in the other states,
Chepauk,
Chennai-600 005.

2.The District Collector,
Ramanathapuram District,
Ramanathapuram.

3.The Special Sub-Collector,
Mandapam Camp,
Mandapam,
Ramanathapuram District.

...Respondents in both petitions

COMMON PRAYER:- Writ Petitions are filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents to disburse the petitioners salary arrears' in the post of helper to the electrician as from 25.11.2013 which being the date of appointment by means of G.O. Bearing No.1328 (General) M.V.-1, Department issued by the first respondent within a time frame as stipulated by this Court and also to regularize the petitioners service in the said post from the date of issuance of the above said G.O. and further permit them to continue their residence at Door Nos.OP 40, OP 21/3, Government Refugee Camp, Mandapam, Ramanathapuram District forthwith.

In both petitions

For Petitioners

: Mr.S.Palani Velayutham

For Respondents

: Mr.A.K.Manikkam

Special Government Pleader



C O M M O N O R D E R

The petitioners are refugees from Ceylon who have been allotted quarters in the Mandapam Refugee Camp and are residing therein from 2006 onwards. They claim to have been temporarily appointed as helpers to electricians on daily wages.

2. The prayers in these writ petitions are for a Mandamus directing the respondents, Government of Tamil Nadu/R1, District Collector, Ramanathapuram/R2 and Special Sub-Collector/R3 to disburse arrears of salary in the post of helper to electrician from 25.11.2013, in terms of G.O.Ms.No.1328 (General) M.V-1, Department, dated 25.11.2013 issued by the State. They also seek a direction to be permitted to continue in residence in their present quarters.

3. No counter has been filed by the respondent herein. Thus, this Court is unable to look into or verify the veracity or otherwise of the various factual aspects that have been put forth by the petitioner in the writ petition. That apart, prayers being for mandamus simpliciter, it would be appropriate for the petitioners to put forth their claims to the concerned Authorities and for the authorities to take a considered view in the matter after looking into representation of the petitioners.

4. Granting such liberty, these writ petitions stand disposed. No costs. Connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

Sd/-

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To

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Order made in
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