



Contempt Petition No.214 of 2021
and W.P.No.20154 of 2020

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 17.06.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE D. KRISHNAKUMAR

Contempt Petition No.214 of 2021

and

W.P.No.20154 of 2020 & WMP.Nos.24886 & 24887 of 2020

Contempt Petition No.214 of 2021

K.Gopalakrishnan

..Petitioner

Vs

1. Dr.Tmt.Beela Rajesh, IAS,
The Secretary to Government,
Commercial Taxes and Registration Department,
Secretariat, Chennai 9.
2. Dr.P.Sankar, IAS,
The Inspector General of Registration,
No.100, Santhome High Road,
Pattinampakkam, Chennai 600 028.

..Respondents

PRAYER : Petition filed under section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act, to punish the respondent herein under the Contempt of Courts Act for willfully disobeying the interim order of this Court dated 23.12.2020 in WMP.No.24887 of 2020 in WP.No.20154 of 2020.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.G.R.Prasad,
assisted by Mr.V.Stalin
For Respondents : Mr.P.Ganesan, G.A.



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Writ Petition No.20154 of 2020

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Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Secretary to Government,
Commercial Taxes and Registration Dept.,
Secretariat,
Chennai 9.
2. The Inspector General of Registration,
Chennai 28.
3. The Personal Assistant to the
Inspector General of Registration,
Chennai 28.
4. S.Raja

Respondents

Prayer:- This Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, seeking for a Writ of Certiorari to call for the records on the file of the first respondent in connection with the order of transfer passed by the first respondent in G.O.(Rt) No.431, Commercial Taxes and Registration (H) Department, dated 21.12.2020 and quash the same.

For Petitioner : Mr.N.G.R.Prasad
assisted by Mr.V.Stalin

For Respondents
for RR1 to 3 : Mr.P.Ganesan, G.A.
for R4 : Mr.A.R.Balaji



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COMMON ORDER

This contempt petition has been filed alleging non-compliance of the order and direction issued by this Court in WMP.No.24887 of 2020 in WP.No.20154 of 2020, dated 23.12.2020.

2. The Writ Petition has been filed for issuance of a Writ of Certiorari to call for the records on the file of the first respondent in connection with the order of transfer passed by the first respondent in G.O.(Rt) No.431, Commercial Taxes and Registration (H) Department, dated 21.12.2020 and quash the same.

3. The learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondents submitted that the official respondents have considered the request of the petitioner by transferring him from North Chennai to Permabalur and he also joined duty on 09.05.2022. A joining report, dated 10.5.2022 has also been filed to that effect.



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4. The above submission of the learned Government Advocate has not been refuted by the learned counsel for the petitioner. However, it is submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has not been allowed to rejoin the posting during the period of stay granted by this Court. Hence, he sought liberty to regularise that period with all consequential benefits.

5. Recording the above submissions of the learned counsel appearing for both sides, this Contempt Petition is closed. Consequently, connected Writ Petition and the Miscellaneous petition are also closed. However, liberty is given to the petitioner to approach the concerned authority regarding regularisation. No costs.

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pvs

To

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