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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 28.03.2022

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE D.KRISHNAKUMAR

W.P.No.7132 of 2022

and

W.M.P.No.7146 of 2022

1.L.Kumar
2.N.Thangavel
3.A.Kothandam
4.A.Gunasekaran
5.V.Jothi
6.V.Baskar
7.K.S.Selvaraj
8.R.Chandrasekaran
9.M.P.Raman
10.M.Jothi
11.K.Vaidyanathan
12.M.Sivakumar
13.M.Valarmathi

... Petitioners

vs.

1.Union Territory of Puducherry
Represented by The Chief Secretary
Government of Puducherry
Chief Secretariat
Beach Road
Puducherry - 605 001.

2.The Managing Director
Pondicherry State Weavers Co-operative Society
Industrial Estate
Thattanchavadi
Puducherry - 605 009.

3.The Registrar of Co-operative Societies
Co-operative Department
Government of Puducherry
D-Lane, V.V.P.Nagar
Thattanchavadi
Puducherry - 605 009.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, directing the Respondents to disburse the amount due to them on the Petitioners' retirement as set out in their representations dated 03.09.2019, 26.05.2020, 03.08.2020, 04.02.2022, 17.02.2022 and 28.02.2022.



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For Petitioners : Mr.S.Subramanian
For Respondents : Mr.J.Kumaran
Additional Government Pleader
(Puducherry)

O R D E R

By consent of both parties, this Writ Petition is taken up for final disposal at the admission stage itself.

2. This writ petition has been filed seeking to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents to disburse the amount due to them on the petitioners' retirement as set out in their representations dated 03.09.2019, 26.05.2020, 03.08.2020, 04.02.2022, 17.02.2022 and 28.02.2022.

3. According to the petitioners that the petitioners had already retired from service and they have made representations dated 03.09.2019, 26.05.2020, 03.08.2020, 04.02.2022, 17.02.2022 and 28.02.2022 to the respondents for disbursement of their retirement benefits. However, till date no order has been passed. Hence, the present writ petition has been before this Court.

4. The learned Additional Government Pleader (Puducherry) appearing for the respondents submitted that the representations of the petitioners would be considered by the authorities concerned and appropriate orders will be passed on its own merits and in accordance with law, within a time frame as fixed by this court.

5. In view of the above submissions made by the parties and also considering the limited scope of prayer, this Court is inclined to direct the 2nd respondent to consider the petitioners' representations dated 03.09.2019, 26.05.2020, 03.08.2020, 04.02.2022, 17.02.2022 and 28.02.2022 and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible, within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. The petitioners are directed to furnish the copy of the representations along with this order before the 2nd respondent.

6. With the above directions, the writ petition stands disposed of at the admission stage itself. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed. No costs.

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Assistant Registrar(CS V)

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