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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 31.01.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM

W.P.No.33738 of 2015
& M.P.No.1 of 2015

M.Soundarya

... Petitioner

Vs

1.The Chairperson,
Tamil Nadu State Commission for Women,
No.735, Devaneya Bavanar Noolagam,
2nd Floor, Anna Salai,
Chennai - 600 002.

2.The Director,
Medical and Rural Health Services,
Chennai - 600 006.

3.GVK Emergency Management &
Research Institute,
Government Kasturibai Gandhi Hospital
for Women & Children,
Triplicane, Chennai - 600 005.

... Respondents

PRAYER : Writ Petition filed Under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorari, to quash the order L.Dis.No.83383/IC1/2/2014 passed by the 2nd respondent dated 05.01.2015 and consequently direct him to enquire the petitioner complaint as directed by the 1st respondent vide its order Na.Ka.No.3076/MA.AA/A1/2014 dated 21.11.2014.

For Petitioner : Mr.K.Kathiresan

For Respondents

R1 & R2 : No appearance

R3 : Mr.Patrick
for Mr.K.Rajasekaran

ORDER

The writ petition has been filed to quash the order dated 05.01.2015 and direct the second respondent to conduct an enquiry in respect of the complaint submitted by the writ petitioner.



2.The petitioner filed a complaint to the first respondent on 13.11.2014 setting out certain allegations against the officials of the Medical Department. However, the first respondent instead of conducting an enquiry forwarded the complaint to the second respondent and thus the petitioner is constrained to move the present writ petition.

3.The learned counsel appearing on behalf of the third respondent made a submission that they have no objection for conducting enquiry by the second respondent.

4.The second respondent is the Director of Medical and Rural Health Services and competent to conduct an enquiry in respect of such allegation of women harassment. In view of the fact that the petitioner has given a complaint against some officials, the second respondent is directed to look into the complaint, conduct an enquiry and take appropriate decision by following the procedures as contemplated under law.

With these directions, the writ petition stands disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

Sd/-
Assistant Registrar(CS-VII)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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+1cc to M/s.K.Kathiresan, Advocate, S.R.No.5761

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