



W.P.(MD) No.2399 of 2022

WEB COPY BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 29.07.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

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T.Muthuramalingam

... Petitioner

Vs.

1.The Director / Appellate Authority,
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department (E4),
Panagal Maligai Building,
Saidapet, Chennai – 15.

2.The District Collector,
Collectorate,
Ramanathapuram District.

3.The Block Development Officer,
Muthukulathur,
Ramanathapuram District.

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India to issue a writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent No.1 to dispose the appeal preferred by the petitioner, dated 18.01.2022, for taking appropriate steps to refix the petitioner's seniority for the post of Assistant from the year 1997 and to provide notional promotion to the petitioner for the post of Block



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For Petitioner : Mr.I.Pinaygash

For Respondents : Mr.M.Siddharthan
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

By consent of both the parties, this writ petition is taken up for final disposal.

2.The limited prayer sought for in the present writ petition is for a direction to the first respondent to dispose of the appeal filed by the petitioner, dated 18.01.2022.

3.Since the appeal is still pending, it would be appropriate to direct the first respondent to dispose of it expeditiously, within a stipulated time.

4.In view of the above observations, there shall be a direction to the first respondent to dispose of the appeal filed by the petitioner, dated 18.01.2022 as expeditiously as possible, in any event, within a period of three (3) months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, if not already disposed of.



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5. With the above direction, the Writ Petition stands disposed of. No costs.

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Index : Yes / No
Speaking Order/ Non Speaking Order

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M.S.RAMESH,J.

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