



Cont.P(MD).No.464 of 2020

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 17.08.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

Cont.P(MD).No.464 of 2020

in

W.P(MD).No.1017 of 2019

V.S.Shree Devi

... Petitioner

/Vs./

1.Krishnamoorthi

District Educational Officer,
Sivakasi Educational District,
Sivakasi, Virudhunagar District.

(formally known as District Elementary Educational
Office, Virudhunagar District)

2.Selvalakshmi

The Block Educational Officer,
Sivakasi Union,
Sivakasi Educational District,
Virudhunagar District.

(formally known as Additional Assistant Elementary
Educational Office, Sivakasi Union, Virudhunagar District.)

...Respondents

Prayer: Contempt Petition filed under Section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act 1971, to punish the respondents/contemnors under Section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 for disobeying and defying the order dated 18.03.2019 passed in W.P(MD).No.1017 of 2019 on the file of this Court in accordance with law.



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For Petitioner : Mr.P.M.Vishnuvarthanan
For Respondents : Mr.S.Shaji Bino
Special Government Pleader (for R1 to R4)

ORDER

The learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the respondents has produced a copy of the proceedings in Na.Ka.No.2318/A3/2021, dated 23.02.2022 issued by the District Educational Officer, Sivakasi, which has also been served on the petitioner herein.

2.Earlier, the order of the Writ Court passed in WP(MD)No.1017 of 2019 dated 18.03.2019, was to the effect that the respondents shall rectify the pay anomaly in respect of the petitioner and accordingly, step-up her pay on par with her juniors.

3.The petitioner seems to be aggrieved against the present proceedings issued by the District Educational Officer, Sivakasi, in Na.Ka.No. 2318/A3/2021, dated 23.02.2022. If that be so, it is always open to the petitioner to challenge the proceedings in Na.Ka.No.2318/A3/2021, dated 23.02.2022.



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4.Rejection of the petitioner's request may not amount to wilful disobedience as such. Accordingly, the petitioner is granted liberty to challenge the proceedings of the District Educational Officer, Sivakasi, in Na.Ka.No. 2318/A3/2021, dated 23.02.2022, in accordance with law.

5.With the above liberty, this Contempt Petition stands closed.

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