



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 11.03.2022

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.M. SUBRAMANIAM

W.P. (MD) No. 1281 of 2019
and
W.M.P. (MD) No. 1091 of 2019

M.Mamundi,
Grade-I Warder (Retired),
3/3, Kalliamman Kovil Street,
Thirupathur,
Sivagangai District.

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Special Secretary to Government,
Secretariat,
Fort St. George,
Chennai.

2. The Additional Director General of Police (Prisons),
Whannels Road,
Egmore,
Chennai.

3. The Deputy Inspector General (Prisons),
Trichy,
Trichy District.

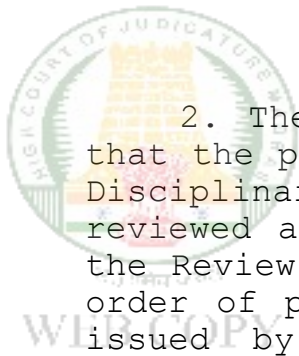
... Respondents

PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for issuance of Writ of Certiorari calling for the records of impugned G.O.(Valayam) 2670 dated 25.06.1996 passed by the first respondent.

For Petitioner : No appearance
For Respondents : Mr.N.Satheesh Kumar
Additional Government Pleader

O R D E R

The order of punishment issued in impugned G.O.(Valayam) 2670 dated 25.06.1996 confirming the order of punishment issued by the Original Authorities is under challenge in the present Writ Petition.



2. The perusal of the order impugned dated 25.06.1996 reveals that the petitioner was imposed with the punishment by the Original Disciplinary authority and he preferred an appeal. Thereafter reviewed and the Government issued an order of rejection rejecting the Review Petition. The petitioner has not challenged the original order of punishment. The petitioner challenged the appellate order issued by the Government dated 25.06.1996. However, the Writ Petition itself was filed on 22.01.2019 after a lapse of about 23 years from the date of passing of the orders.

3. This being the factum, this Writ Petition is dismissed on the ground of laches. However, there shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-II)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

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+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-12195[F] dated 15/03/2022)

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