



W.P.No.17533 of 2012

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 19.12.2023

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MUMMINENI SUDHEER KUMAR

WP.No.17533 of 2012
& MP.Nos.2, 3 & 4/2012
& MP.Nos.1 & 2/2013

A.Kaliaperumal

...Petitioner

-Vs-

1.Union of India,
represented by Secretary to Government,
Ministry of Finance,
Department of Financial Services,
Jeevan Deep, III Floor,
Parliament Street,
New Delhi.

2.Union Bank of India,
Rep. by its Chairman &
Managing Director,
Central office,
Union Bank Bhavan,
239, Vidhan Bhavan Marg,
Nariman Point,
Mumbai 400 021.



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3.General Manager (HRM),
Union Bank of India,
Manpower Planning & Recruitment Division,
Human Resource Management Department,
Central Office,
Union Bank Bhavan,
239, Vidhan Bhavan Marg,
Nariman Point, Mumbai 400 021.

...Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records from the Respondents 1 to 3 relating to Circular bearing Reference No.Nil dated 14.2.2012 and the consequential Circulars of the 3rd Respondent bearing Reference No. Staff Circular No.5839 dated 11.4.2012, Staff Circular No.5842, dated 11.4.2012 read with Staff Circular Nos.5843, 5844, 5845, 5846 all dated 17.4.2012 as modified by the Circular order of the 1st Respondent dated 3.5.2012 and the consequential Staff Circular order No.5854 dated 8.5.2012 and quash the same in so far as it provides that for promotion under the Fast Track Channel, the Officer should have got 75%, 60% of Annual Appraisal for each of the preceding 3 years unlike before when it was only the average of 75% as it has no legal sanction; and consequently direct the Respondents 1 to 3 to consider and promote the Petitioner from Scale III to IV by allowing him to appear for the written test without reference to the requirement of 75% / 60% marks in the Annual Performance Appraisal Report and also direct the Respondents not to relax the requirement of Rural Experience being



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branch/circle/Regional head in terms of Clause 10 of the 1st Respondent Circular dated 14.03.2012 for considering the candidates for promotion.

For Petitioner : Mr.S.Ayyathurai
For R1 : Mr.V.T.Balaji, CGSPC
For R2 and R3 : Mr.Raghunathan
for M/s.T.S.Gopalan & Co.

ORDER

It is represented by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the relief sought in the Writ Petition has become infructuous in view of the fact that the Writ Petitioner has already retired.

2.In view of the same, the Writ Petition is closed as having become infructuous. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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To

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