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W.P.No.15271 of 2022

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 20.09.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE S.SOUNTHAR

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and

W.M.P.Nos.14443, 14446 and 14449 of 2022

S.SELVAKUMAR

... Petitioner

VS.

1.The Registrar of Co-operative Societies

No.170, NV Natarajan Maaligai

EVR High Road,

Kilpauk

Chennai 600 010

2.The Joint Registrar of Co-operative Societies

Tiruvannamalai Reign,

Tiruvannamalai.

3.The Managing Director,

Tiruvannamalai District Central cooperative Bank,

Tiruvannamalai

... Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records pertaining to the impugned circular issued by the 1st respondent in (Na.Ka.No.72225/2021/ sa na1) Circular No.06/2022/san a 1 dated



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22.03.2022 and quash the same for being arbitrary, illogical, irrational besides being ultra virus the Act and consequentially direct the Respondents herein to not interfere with the day to day management of the No. H.H.486 T. Kaleri Primary Agricultural Co-operative Credit Society Ltd.

For Petitioner : Mr.L.P.Shanmugasundaram

For Respondents : Mr.J.Ravindran
Additional Advocate General-IX
Assisted by Mr.A.Selvendran
Special Government Pleader

ORDER

The petitioner, who is elected as President of No. H.H.486 T. Kaleri Primary Agricultural Co-operative Credit Society Ltd., is challenging the Circular issued by the 1st respondent dated 22.03.2022 empowering the Secretary of the Society to sign the cheques.

2. When the writ petition is taken up for hearing, Mr.J.Ravindran, learned Additional Advocate General-IX assisted by Mr.A.Selvendran, learned Special Government Pleader for the respondents submitted that the petitioner's term as President of Board of Directors is already over and now, the Society is under the administration of the Administrator. Since the



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petitioner is no longer holding the post of President of the Cooperative Society, the prayers sought for in this writ petition has become infructuous.

However, it is made clear, in case, the petitioner is elected as President of any Cooperative Society in future, he is entitled to challenge the circular.

3. With the above observation, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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Index : Yes/No

Speaking order: Yes/No

Neutral Citation: Yes/No

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