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W.P.No.24658 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 22.08.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN**

W.P.No.24658 of 2023
and W.M.P.No.24100 of 2023

A.Maria Usha

... Petitioner

-Vs-

1. The Government of Tamil Nadu,
represented by its Secretary,
The Department of School Education,
Fort St.George, Chennai-600 009.
 2. The Director of School Education,
DPI Campus,
College Road,
Chennai-600 006.
 3. The District Educational Officer (Anglo-Indian),
The Office of the District Educational Officer,
No.9, Kamarajar Salai,
Triplicane, Chennai-05.
 4. The Correspondent,
St.Mary's Anglo-Indian Higher Secondary School,
110, Armenian Street,
Chennai-600 001.
- ... Respondents

Prayer:- Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India for the issuance of Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondents 1 to 3 to issue orders approving the appointment of the petitioner Ms.A.Maria Usha, as B.T. Asst (Maths) in the fourth respondent St.Mary's Anglo- Indian Higher Secondary



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School, 110, Armenian Street, Chennai-600 001 w.e.f. 11.06.2019, with all service and monetary benefits.

For Petitioner : Dr.Xavier Arulraj, Standing Counsel
for Father Xavier Associates

For R1 to R3 : Mr.M.Alagu Goutham
Government Advocate

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed for direction directing the respondents 1 to 3 to issue orders to approve the appointment of the petitioner.

2. Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned counsel for the respondents 1 to 3 and perused the materials available on record.

3. The petitioner was appointed as B.T.Assistant (Maths) in the fourth respondent School, with effect from 11.06.2019 in the vacancy arising out of one P.J.Irudayaraj as P.G.Assistant on 03.06.2019. Thereafter, the proposal for approval of her appointment as B.T.Assistant (Maths) with effect from 11.06.2019 was sent on 17.12.2019. The Staff fixation for the fourth respondent School for academic year 2018-2019 to 2022-2023 revealed the eligibility for the said post from the records issued by the authorities. Therefore, once again the fourth respondent had sent proposal for approval of



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the petitioner's appointment. However, it is still pending.

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4. Considering the above facts and circumstances of the case, the third respondent is directed to consider the proposal sent by the fourth respondent for approval of the petitioner's appointment in the post of B.T.Assistant (Maths) and pass orders on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. With the above directions, this Writ petition is disposed of. Consequently, connected Miscellaneous petition is closed. No costs.

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To

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