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W.P.No.19130 of 2017

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 04.01.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE M.S.RAMESH

W.P.No.19130 of 2017
and WMP No.20637 of 2017

G.Bharathi

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department, Secretariat,
For St.George, Chennai-600 009.
2. The Principal Secretary/
Commissioner of Revenue Administration
Ezhilagam, Chennai-600005.
3. The District Revenue Officer,
Villupuram, Villupuram District.
4. The Secretary,
Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission,
Frazer Bridge Road,
VOC Nagar, Park Town,
Chennai-600 003

... Respondents

Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the 2nd and 4th respondent to consider the representation sent by the petitioner dated 14.06.2017 and dispose of the same



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and consequently direct the 3rd respondent to fix the date of joining of the petitioner as 12.03.2012 in the combined seniority list issued by the 4th respondent dated 23.03.2017 and place the petitioner at Serial No.3.

For petitioner	...	Mr.Aravind for Ms.S.Varsha
For Respondents	...	Mr.T.Chezhiyian AGP For R.1 to R.3 Mr.R.Bharanidharan For R.4

ORDER

The petitioner herein had made a representation to the respondents 2 and 4 seeking for fixing his date of joining as 12.03.2012 in the combined seniority list issued on 23.03.2017 and also for revision of seniority list. Since his representation was not considered in time, he has filed this writ petition seeking for disposal of his representation in this regard.

2. The learned Additional Government Pleader placed reliance on the counter affidavit and submits that the petitioner has filed an appeal on 14.06.2017 before Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration, which was



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under consideration in the year 2019. While the petitioner had parallely preferred an appeal before the Government, consideration of the present prayer in this writ petition would not be appropriate. However, if the concerned respondent is directed to consider the appeal and pass orders within the stipulated time, ends of justice could be served.

3. In the light of the above observation, there shall be a direction to the Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration to consider the petitioner's appeal dated 14.06.2017 and pass final orders, if not already passed, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. With the above direction, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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