



W.P(MD)No.8178 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 11.04.2023

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.R.SWAMINATHAN

W.P(MD)No.8178 of 2023

and

W.M.P.(MD)No.7550 of 2023

K.Veerapandi

... Petitioner

Vs.

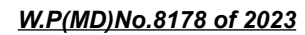
1.The Director,
Tamil Nadu Fire & Rescue Services,
Rukmani Lakshmipathy Road,
Egmore,
Chennai-600 008.

2.Tamil Nadu Uniformed Services Recruitment Board,
Represented by its Chairman,
Old Commissioner Office Campus,
Pantheon Road,
Egmore,
Chennai-600 008.

3.The Director General of Police,
O/o. The Director General of Police,
Chennai-4.

4.The Superintendent of Police,
O/o. The Superintendent of Police,
Sivagangai District.

... Respondents





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Vide order dated 13.10.202, I had held that the amended Rule namely Special Rules for Tamil Nadu Fire Subordinate Service will have only prospective effect. Questioning the same, the department filed W.A.(MD)Nos.232 & 233 of 2023. Vide order dated 08.03.2023, the Hon'ble Division Bench held that even while holding that the amended rule will have only prospective effect, granted liberty to the appointing authority namely the Director of Fire and Rescue services to consider the suitability of the candidates in terms of Rule 5 B (1) (2) and take appropriate decision.

3. Even while setting aside the order impugned in the writ petition, the first respondent is directed to revisit the issue in the manner laid down by the Hon'ble Division Bench in the aforesaid order. Such decision will be taken by the appointing authority within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

4. This Writ Petition is allowed on these terms. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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