



W.P.No.1356 of 2023

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 21.03.2024

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.S.SUNDAR
AND
THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE N.SENTHILKUMAR

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S.Palthai .. Petitioner

v.

1. The Chairman
Chennai Port Trust
Rajaji Salai
Chennai 600 001
2. The Financial Adviser &
Chief Accounts Officer
(Accounts Department) HoD
Chennai Port Trust
Rajaji Salai, Chennai 600 001
3. The Member Secretary /
Director of Tribal Welfare
Office of Directorate of Tribal Welfare
Chepauk, Chennai 600 005
4. The Government of India
rep.by its Secretary to Government
Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT)



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North Block, Central Secretariat
New Delhi 110 001

(R4 impleaded vide order dated
11.04.2023 in WMP.10191/23
in WP.1356/23)

.. Respondents

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for issuance of a Writ of Certiorari, to call for the records relating to the impugned show cause notice issued by the 3rd respondent in Na.Ka.No.Pa.May/Aa2/4368/2016 dated 10.11.2022 and to quash the same.

For Petitioner :: Mr.J.Jayamalan

For Respondents :: Mr.Arun Dhanapalan
Standing Counsel for R1 & R2
Mrs.V.Yamuna Devi
Special Government Pleader for R3
No appearance for R4

ORDER

(Order of the Court was made by S.S.SUNDAR,J.)

The petitioner has questioned the show cause notice issued by the third respondent. This Court has already seen that the issue is covered by a judgment of the Division Bench, where the very question was answered against the petitioner. Since the writ petition is filed only against the show cause notice, this Court is not inclined to entertain the same. Accordingly, the writ petition is dismissed. However, it is open to the petitioner to reply



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to the show cause notice and face the enquiry on merits before the State

Level Scrutiny Committee. Consequently, W.M.P.No.1410 of 2023 is also

dismissed. No costs.

Index : yes/no
Neutral citation : yes/no

(S.S.S.R.,J.) (N.S.,J.)
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