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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 26.02.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **D. BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY**

W.P.No.21983 of 2010  
and MP.Nos.1 & 2 of 2010

Dr.K.Purushotham

... Petitioner

-Vs-

1. State of Tamil Nadu  
Rep.by the  
Secretary to Government  
Health & Family Welfare Department,  
Fort St.George, Chennai 600 009.
2. Director of Medical Education  
Kilpauk, Chennai 600 010.
3. Deputy Director of Medical Education  
O/o.The Director of Medical Education  
Kilpauk, Chennai 600 010.
4. Dr.E.Dhandapani

... Respondents

**Prayer :-** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus calling for the records of the first respondent comprised in G.O.(Rt) No.982, Health & Family Welfare Department dated 03.08.2010 and that of the 3rd respondent in Ref.No.52130/E1/2/2010 dated 05.08.2010 and to quash the orders of the 1st and 3rd respondents dated 03.08.2010 and 05.08.2010 respectively in so far as it relates to the 4th respondent and consequently direct the 2nd respondent



herein to conduct fresh counselling to the post of Associate Professor of Medicine, Madras Medical College and General Physician, Government General Hospital, Chennai.

For Petitioner : No appearance

For Respondents : Mr.S.Rajesh  
Government Advocate

### **ORDER**

This writ petition has been filed to call for the records of the first respondent comprised in G.O.(Rt) No.982, Health & Family Welfare Department dated 03.08.2010 and that of the 3rd respondent in Ref.No.52130/E1/2/2010 dated 05.08.2010 and to quash the orders of the 1st and 3rd respondents dated 03.08.2010 and 05.08.2010 respectively in so far as it relates to the 4th respondent and consequently direct the 2nd respondent herein to conduct fresh counselling to the post of Associate Professor of Medicine, Madras Medical College and General Physician, Government General Hospital, Chennai.

2. By filing the writ petition, the petitioner has challenged the G.O.(Rt).No.982, Health & Family Welfare Department, dated 03.08.2010, in and by which among other persons, the petitioner Dr.K.Purushotham who was



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working as Associate Professor of Medicine at Vellore Medical College was transferred and posted as Associate Professor of Medicine and Senior General Physician at Tamil Nadu Government Dental College, Chennai.

3. In view of the efflux of time and also considering the fact that the petitioner has superannuated from service, nothing survives for further adjudication in this writ petition. Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are also closed.

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Index : Yes/No  
Speaking order/Non-speaking order  
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To

1. The Secretary to Government  
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