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W.P.No. 13990 of 2018

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 23.02.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE BATTU DEVANAND

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V. Artchounane

... Petitioner

Vs.

- 1.Union of India, represented by
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Government of Union Territory of Puducherry,
Puducherry.
- 2.The Secretary to Government,
Housing Department,
Government of Union Territory of Puducherry,
Puducherry.
- 3.The Chairman,
Puducherry Housing Board,
Puducherry.
- 4.The Secretary,
Puducherry Housing Board,
Puducherry.
- 5.The Secretary to Government,
Adi Dravida Welfare Department,
Government of Union Territory of Puducherry,
Puducherry.
- 6.The Schedule Caste Commission,
5th Floor, Lok Nayak Bhawan,
Khan Market, New Delhi – 110 003.
- 7.Ashokaramasekar,



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Executive Engineer,
Puducherry Housing Board,
Nellithope, Anna Nagar,
Puducherry – 605 005.

... Respondents

Writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, to direct the respondents 1 to 6 to remove the seventh respondent from service in accordance with law and take such further action against the seventh respondent in accordance with law.

For Petitioner : Mr. Kamalakumar

For Respondents : Dr. B. Ramaswamy, for R1 & R5
Additional Government Pleader (Pondy)
Mr. T.M. Naveen, for R2 to R4
Standing Counsel
No Appearance for R7

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking a writ of mandamus to direct the respondents 1 to 6 to remove the seventh respondent from service in accordance with law and to take such further action against the seventh respondent.

2. During the course of hearing, Dr.B.Ramaswamy, the learned Additional Government Pleader appearing for Puducherry Government and Mr.T.M.Naveen, learned Standing Counsel appearing for Puducherry Housing Board submits that the Puducherry Housing Board has cancelled the appointment of the seventh respondent by order dated 09.10.2023. The learned Standing Counsel has placed a copy of the



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order dated 09.10.2023 of the Puducherry Housing Board before the Court. The said order is placed on record.

3. As the seventh respondent is already removed from the service, in our considered opinion, no further adjudication is required in this writ petition.

4. Accordingly, this Writ Petition is dismissed as infructuous.

5. There shall be no order as to costs.

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Index :Yes/No

Neutral Citation :Yes/No

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