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W.P.No.16690 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 09.07.2024

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THE HONOURABLE **DR.JUSTICE ANITA SUMANTH**

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1 Rajaprabha.R

... Petitioner

Vs

1. The Principal Secretary to Government,
Department of Higher Education,
Government of Tamilnadu, Chennai.
2. The Director of Collegiate Education,
Directorate of College Education,
577, Anna Salai, Saidapet, Chennai – 15.
3. The Principal,
Presidency College (Autonomous),
100, Kamarajar Salai, Chepauk,
Chennai – 5.

.... Respondents

Prayer: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to admit the petitioner in the 3rd respondent college to the B.A., (Political Science) course for the academic year 2024-2025 as per the provisional rank list published by the 3rd respondent.

For Petitioner : Ms.Pooja J.
For Respondents : Mr.D.Ravichander
Special Government Pleader



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ORDER

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The prayer of the petitioner is for a mandamus directing the respondents to admit the petitioner in the 3rd respondent college to the B.A., (Political Science) course for the academic year 2024-2025 as per the provisional rank list published by the 3rd respondent.

2. Today, Mr.Ravichander, learned Special Government Pleader would submit, per counter of R3, that the petitioner will be accommodated in the 20% increased seats sanctioned by the Department of Higher Education.

3. Paragraph 8 of the counter affidavit filed by R3 dated 09.07.2024, reads thus:

'8. I state that however, the Presidency College will accommodate the student in the "20% increased seats" sanctioned by the Department of Higher Education, Tamilnadu (G.O.No.178 dated 28-06-2024) subject to the approval of the University of Madras, with which the Presidency College is affiliated.'

4. Recording the aforesaid contentions in the counter, this Writ

Petition is disposed. No costs.

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Index:Yes/No

Speaking order:Yes

Neutral Citation:Yes



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