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W.P.No.16851 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 26.06.2024

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY

W.P.No.16851 of 2024
and W.M.P.No.18535 of 2024

S.Ramakrishnan

.. Petitioner

Versus

1. The Appellate Authority,
Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority,
"Thalamuthu Natarajan Building",
No.1, Gandhi-Irwin Road,
Egmore, Chennai - 600 008.
 2. The Member-Secretary,
Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority,
"Thalamuthu Natarajan Building",
No.1, Gandhi-Irwin Road,
Egmore, Chennai - 600 008.
 3. The Inquiry Officer/Senior Planner i.c.
Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority,
"Thalamuthu Natarajan Building",
No.1, Gandhi-Irwin Road,
Egmore, Chennai - 600 008.
- .. Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, pleased to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus calling for the records of the second respondent bearing Proc.No.E2/8270/2021, dated 30.06.2023



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confirming the report of the third respondent, dated 25.01.2023 and to quash the same with consequential directions to the second respondent to release the terminal benefits as well as the amount of Rs.4,88,019/- recovered from the petitioner towards the pecuniary loss said to have been resulted on account of his alleged lapses.

For Petitioner : Mrs.P.Bhuvaneswari

For Respondents : Mrs.P.Veena Suresh

ORDER

This Writ Petition is filed seeking to quash the proceedings of the second respondent, dated 30.06.2023 confirming the report of the third respondent, dated 25.01.2023 with consequential directions to the second respondent to release the terminal benefits as well as the amount of Rs.4,88,019/- recovered from the petitioner towards the pecuniary loss said to have been resulted on account of his alleged lapses.

2. By the order, dated 30.06.2023, the respondents awarded a penalty of recovery of pecuniary loss of Rs.4,88,019/-. As against the said punishment, the petitioner already filed an appeal on 29.08.2023 before the first respondent/appellate authority. It is seen that the same is yet to be disposed of.



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3. *Mrs.P.Veena Suresh*, learned Counsel takes notice for the respondents.

4. In the above circumstances, this Writ Petition is disposed of by directing the first respondent/appellate authority to consider the appeal filed by the petitioner, dated 29.08.2023 after affording an opportunity of personal hearing to the petitioner and dispose of the appeal in accordance with law within six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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Neutral Citation : no
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To

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