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W.P.No.20126 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 25.07.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE G.K.ILANTHIRAIYAN

**W.P.No.20126 of 2024**

**and**

**W.M.P.Nos.22027 & 22028 of 2024**

K.Rajalakshmi

... Petitioner

-Vs-

1.The Secretary  
School Education Department,  
Fort St.George, Secretariat,  
Chennai-600 009.

2.The Joint Director of Elementary Education (Admn),  
Nungambakkam, Chennai.

3.The District Educational Officer,  
(Elementary Education),  
Cuddalore.

4.The Block Educational Officer,  
Anna Gramam Block,  
Anna Gramam, Panruti Taluk,  
Cuddalore District.

... Respondents

**Prayer:-** Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India for the issuance of Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, calling for the records on the file of the 3<sup>rd</sup> respondent in Na.Ka.No.243/Aa2/2022 dated



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28.06.2024 removing the petitioner from service and quash the same and direct the respondents to pay all the monetary benefits to the petitioner including continuity of service.

For Petitioner : Mr.J.Shanmuga Sundara Babu

For Respondents : Mr.S.Mythreye Chandru  
Special Government Pleader

**ORDER**

This Writ Petition has been filed as against the order passed by the third respondent dated 28.06.2024, thereby removed the petitioner from service.

2. Heard the learned counsel appearing on either side and perused the materials available on record.

3. On perusal of the impugned order reveals that it is appealable one before the Directorate of Elementary Education. Therefore, the writ petition is not maintainable.

4. Accordingly, this writ petition stands dismissed. The petitioner is at liberty to file an appeal before the Appellate Authority



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within a period of two weeks from today. On receipt of such appeal, the Appellate Authority is directed to dispose the appeal within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of appeal. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed. No costs.

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Internet : Yes

Index : Yes/No

Speaking order/Non-speaking order

Neutral Citation : Yes/No

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**Note : Registry is directed to return the original order.**

To

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