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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 24.09.2024

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

W.P.No.28301 of 2024
and WMP No.30838 of 2024

P.Veeravetrivel

... Petitioner

Vs.

1. The Director General of Police,
Office of the Tamil Nadu Uniformed Services
Recruitment Board,
Egmore, Chennai – 08
 2. The Inspector General of Police,
Office of the Tamil nadu Unfiromed Services Recruitment Board,
Egmore, Chennai – 08
 3. The Additional Superintendent of Police,
Office of the District Superintendent of Police,
Vellore, Vellore District.
- ... Respondents

Prayer : Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to award proper marks by measuring my long jump in the physical test conducted on 07.11.2023 as per the RTI reply of the respondent dated 29.07.2024 and place the petitioner name in the appropriate place in the selection list and issue an order of



appointment.

For Petitioner : M.Cinnaduari
For Respondents : Mr.Sowri Dattan
Standing counsel for R1 and R2
Mr.P.Balathandayutham
Special Government Pleader
for R3

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed for the issue of writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to award proper marks to the petitioner in the physical test that was conducted on 07.11.2023 and to add the name of the petitioner in the selection list to the post of Sub-Inspector of Police.

2. Heard M.Cinnaduari, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.Sowri Dattan, learned Standing counsel for R1 and R2 and Mr.P.Balathandayutham, learned Special Government Pleader for R3.

3. In the considered view of this Court, the grievance expressed by the petitioner cannot be gone into by this Court in exercise of its jurisdiction



under Article 226 of the Constitution of India. According to the petitioner, he has jumped a distance of 4.50 meters in the long jump and whereas, the respondents have recorded /marked only 4.38 meters and as a result, he was not awarded with proper marks. The learned counsel for the petitioner also produced the snapshot of the video footages by way of filing typed set of papers. It is too difficult for this Court to get into this issue and find out regarding the exact distance which the petitioner had jumped. This Court must stay away from cases where it involves pure questions of fact.

4. In view of the above, the relief as sought for by the petitioner cannot be granted by this Court and accordingly, this writ petition stands dismissed. No costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

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