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W.A.Nos.3368 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 25.11.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.SUBRAMANIAN

AND

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.KUMARAPPAN

Writ Appeal No.3368 of 2024
and CMP No. 26114 of 2024

Satish Kumar V.
S/o. S. Venkatesan,
Senior Superintendent (SG),
Fire Service, Chennai International Airport,
Chennai 600 016.
Member of the Airports Authority Employees Union (AAEU),
Former All India Vice President, AAEU. ... Appellant

Vs.

1. L.George (Retd.)
S/o. S. Lourdusamy,
Ex.Branch Secretary /Ex. Regional Secretary – Metro,
Chennai Airport,
Airports Authority Employees Union,
Chennai International Airport,
Chennai 600 016.
2. R.Ravichnadrn,
Senior Manager (Operations)
Airport Authority of India,
AAEU Local Election (2024) Returning Officer,
Chennai International Airport,
Chennai 600 016.



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3. V. Baskaran
All India President,
Airport Authority of India,
AAEU Local Election (2024) Returning Officer,
Chennai International Airport,
Chennai 600 016.

4. Deepak
General Secretary,
Airports Authority Employees Union,
T-3/1-4, I.N.A.Colony,
New Delhi 110 023.

5. The Regional Executive Director,
Airport Authority of India,
Regional Headquater,
Southern Region, Chennai 600 016.

6. The Airport Director,
Airport Authority of India,
Chennai International Airport,
Chennai 600 016.

... Respondents

Prayer: Writ Appeal filed under Clause 15 of the Letters Patent, to allow the
Writ Appeal and set aside the order dated 28.08.2024 in WP No.16306 of
2024.

For Appellant : Mr.S.Kasiramalingam

Respondents : Mr.Balan Haridas

J U D G M E N T



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(Judgment of the Court was delivered by R.SUBRAMANIAN, J.)

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The prayer in the Writ Petition was for a Mandamus directing respondents 5 and 6 to annul the nomination of the first respondent. The Writ Court had held that in the absence of any prohibition in the Rules regarding contest by retired employees to the post of office bearers in the Employees Union, such a Mandamus cannot be issued.

2. Ms. Arul Mary learned counsel appearing for the Airport Authorities of India/respondents would submit that the elections are over and the results have also been declared.

3. In such situation, we do not see any reason to interfere with the order of the Writ Court, the Appeal fails and it is accordingly dismissed. There shall be no order as to costs. Consequently, the connected miscellaneous petition is closed.

(R.SUBRAMANIAN, J.) (C.KUMARAPPAN, J.)
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