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W.P.No.31568 of 2024

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

Dated: 29/10/2024

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THE HONOURABLE Mr.JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

Writ Petition No.31568 of 2024

a n d

W.M.P.No.34310 of 2024

Arcot Sri Mahalakshmi Women's College of Education
rep. By its Secretary
Mr.AL.Ravi
Arani Main Road, Vellapakkam
Vellore District.

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Petitioner

Vs

1. National Council for Teacher Education
Appellate Authority
G 7 Section 10, Dwaraka
New Delhi 110 075.

2. National Council for Teacher Education
Southern Regional Committee
G 7 Section 10, Dwaraka
New Delhi 110 075.

3. The Registrar
Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University
Gangaiammam Koil Street
Karapakkam
Chennai 600 097.

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Respondents



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PRAYER: Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying for the issuance of a writ of mandamus to direct the third respondent to open the portal for petitioner Institution to upload the students details and grant continuous affiliation and approval of admission of 100 students in B.Ed Course for the academic session 2024 – 2025 and for remittance of fee.

For petitioner ... Mr.G.Sankaran
Senior Counsel

For respondents ... Mr.J.Harikrishna
for R.R.1 and 2.

Mr.D.Ravichandran
Special Government Pleader
for R.3.

ORDER

This writ petition has been filed to direct the third respondent to open the portal for petitioner Institution to upload the students details and grant continuous affiliation and approval of admission of 100 students in B.Ed Course for the academic session 2024 – 2025 and for remittance of fee.



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2. The facts in a nutshell are as follows:-

The petitioner Institution was originally established and maintained by Mahalatshmi Educational Charitable Trust. By a Resolution dated 25/10/2012, Trust have resolved to merge the administration of the petitioner Institution with Sri Matha Bhuvaneswari Educational Trust by way of Gift Deed. Accordingly, an application dated 20/3/2015 was forwarded to the second respondent to accept and approve the change in the name of the Trust. By way of communication dated 16/8/2016, the second respondent has sought for further documents. In the meanwhile, second respondent had issued a show cause notice for submission of certain documents and by communication dated 2/9/2021, second respondent passed an order withdrawing recognition granted to the petitioner Institution and the same was also confirmed by the first respondent, on an appeal preferred by the petitioner.

3. Being aggrieved, the petitioner has filed W.P.Nos.28294 and 28705 of 2023 and by an order dated 5/6/2024, this Court has disposed of the writ petitions with a direction to the respondents to consider the application of the petitioner after documents were submitted by the petitioner afresh. Pursuant



to this order, the first respondent, after hearing the representative of the petitioner Institution, decided to keep the matter in abeyance till the legal opinion is awaited.

4. The third respondent, by Circular dated 8/10/2024 have announced for uploading the details of the students admitted in B.Ed/B.Ed Spl for the academic year 2024 – 2025 and the last date for uploading and remittance of fee is 4/11/2024. Since the recognition for the petitioner Institution was withdrawn by the order of the second respondent and the same is under consideration with the first respondent, order of recognition cannot be submitted by the petitioner. Further, name of the petitioner Institution is not listed in the Online portal enabling the petitioner Institution to access and upload the details.

5. By the order of this Court, petitioner Institution was able to upload the details and get the admission of students recognised. Further, orders were passed for remittance of semester examination fee and allowing students to write their examination. The petitioner Institution has admitted the students in B.Ed course for the academic year 2024 – 2025 and unless their details are uploaded and necessary fee is paid, their admission cannot be



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recognised. Hence, approached this Court by way of a writ petition for the relief stated supra.

6. Heard Mr.G.Sankaran, learned Senior Counsel for the petitioner, Mr.J.Harikrishna, learned counsel for the respondents 1 and 2 and Mr.D.Ravichandran, learned Special Government Pleader for the third respondent.

7. The learned counsel appearing for the first and second respondents submitted that the appeal filed by the petitioner will be decided and appropriate decision will be taken on 11/11/2024.

8. Recording the submission of the learned counsel appearing for the respondents 1 and 2, this Court directs the third respondent to allow the petitioner Institution to upload the students list for the academic year 2024 – 2025, subject to the decision taken by the first respondent in the appeal preferred by the petitioner.

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9. With the above direction, this writ petition is disposed of. No costs. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petition is closed.

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