



W.P.(MD).No.4989 of 2024

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

Dated: 29.11.2024

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE R.VIJAYAKUMAR

**W.P.(MD).No.4989 of 2024
and WMP(MD).Nos.4769 & 4770 of 2024**

T.Manikandan

.....Petitioner

Vs

1.The District Collector
Tirunelveli District
Tirunelveli

2.The Sub Collector
Seranmahadevi Division
Seranmahadevi
Tirunelveli

.....Respondents

Prayer: This Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorarified Mandamus, to call for the records in pursuant to the impugned suspension order issued by the second respondent in Na.Ka.A2/5174/2020 dated 11.09.2020 and quash the same and consequently direct the respondents to reinstate the petitioner as Village Administrative Officer in Tirunelveli District with all attendant and monetary benefits and to treat the period of suspension as duty.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Saravanakumar

For Respondents : Mr.D.Sasikumar
Additional Government Pleader



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ORDER

The instant writ petition has been filed by a Village Administrative Officer challenging an order of suspension dated 11.09.2020 and to reinstate him in service.

2.A perusal of the impugned order of suspension reveals that the petitioner has been implicated in a criminal case wherein it is alleged that the petitioner was involved in committing irregularities in the village administrative officer examination in which he got appointment. It could be further seen that so far charge sheet has not yet been laid as against the writ petitioner. When the appointment of the writ petitioner is alleged to be on the basis of certain irregularities in the examination conducted by TNPSC, the question of reviewing the order of suspension does not arise. Unless the criminal case is disposed of in favour of the writ petitioner, the question of reinstating the petitioner as Village Administrative Officer does not arise.

3.With the above said observations, this writ petition stands dismissed.
No costs. Consequently, connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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