



IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE D. K. SINGH

THURSDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF MARCH 2025 / 6TH CHAITHRA, 1947

WP(C) NO. 12312 OF 2025

PETITIONER/S:

- 1 SACHIN P
AGED 29 YEARS
S/O SURENDRAN M, UPSANA KUDUKKIMOTTA, P.O EACHUR, KANNUR, PIN - 670591
- 2 SRUTHI. K. P
AGED 33 YEARS
D/O BHARATHAN. K. P, KUVVIL PURAYIL (H) MAYANAD. P. O KOZHIKODE, PIN - 673008
- 3 SANDRA V, AGED 23 YEARS
D/O VINODKUMAR N RAGAMALIKA THIRUVIZHA ALAPPUZHA S N PURAM PO, PIN - 688582
- 4 REMYA KRISHNAN R
AGED 32 YEARS
D/O: S UNNIKRISHNAN NAIR PERINGIZHAYIL HOUSE KAYIPPURAM MUHAMMA P.O. ALAPPUZHA DISTRICT, PIN - 688525
- 5 AISWARYA A.S
AGED 28 YEARS
D/O SAMIKUTTY A.M ALIPURAKKAL HOUSE, ERATTAPUZHA P O BLANGAD, THRISSUR, PIN - 680506
- 6 SRUTHY MS
AGED 25 YEARS
D/O MOHAN KUMAR M PERMANENT ADDRESS : VASANTHAM, KOPPAM
PIRAPPANCODE PO TVM, COMMUNICATION ADDRESS: MOHANAM, MULAMKUNNU ROAD, THYCADU PIRAPPANCODE PO TVM, PIN - 695607
- 7 FARSANA M
AGED 29 YEARS
D/O KUNHIMOHAMMED M MANAPPATTIL HOUSE URDUNAGAR KODUR(P. O) MALAPPURAM, PIN - 676504



- 8 ATHIRA M S
AGED 27 YEARS
D/O MADHU K POOCHEDIVILA PUTHENVEEDU ENIKKARA KARAKULAM P O ,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695564
- 9 .NIVYA.T
AGED 30 YEARS
D/O BALAKRISHNAN.T KALATHINGAL PARAMBA HOUSE RAMANATTUKARA.P.O,
KOZHIKODE, PIN - 673633
- 10 SHAKIR AZHAR K C
AGED 31 YEARS
S/O MUHAMMED BASHEER KC, KOLOCHALIL (HOUSE) ELETIL (POST) KODUVALLY
KOZHIKODE, PIN - 673572
- 11 DHANJUSHA.A.K
AGED 29 YEARS
D/O A.K.USHA, CHALIL HOUSE POROLAM (P.O) KUTTIATTOOR (VIA) MAYYIL KANNUR,
PIN - 670602
- 12 ATHIRA. M
AGED 26 YEARS
D/O LAKSHMANAN.M , CHETTI VEEDU KALLAKKOLLI CHEMBRAKANAM VALIYAPOIL
PO THIMIRI KASARGOD, PIN - 671313
- 13 ANITHA. S
AGED 25 YEARS
D/O SETHUMADHAVAN P M, NISA NIVAS KILIPPAYI PARAMBU ,WEST KALLAI NANMA
C-9 KALLAI P O,KOZHIKKODE, PIN - 673003
- 14 JEENA S CHANDRAN
AGED 27 YEARS
D/O JAYACHANDRAN T T S BHAVAN, KAKKALAMKANAM
NELLIKAKUZHI,KANJIRAMKULAM P O, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695524
- 15 SHAMEENA K
AGED 35 YEARS
W/O NAZEER M SINANCOTTAGE EDAVANASSERY,MYNAGAPPALLY P.O KOLLAM, PIN -
690519
- 16 ATHIRA.K.M.
AGED 29 YEARS
AGE- 29YEARS D/O SASIDHARAN.K.M KARIGANCHERIMEETHAL, PANTHEERANKAVE



(PO) KOZHIKODE, PIN - 673019

- 17 GAYATHRI GOPAL.M
 AGED 28 YEARS
 W/O SARATH C.M SOWPARNIKA, KODOOR VENKODE P.O, VATTAPPARA
 THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695028
- 18 NYLE NAZAR
 AGED 28 YEARS
 W/O ASIF C JABBAR CHEEMBARAYIL HOUSE MUTHALAKODAM PO THODUPUZHA,
 IDUKKI, PIN - 685605
- 19 AFEEFA PV
 AGED 29 YEARS
 D/O MOHAMMED PV MANNARAM KANDY (H) VAZHAYOOR VAZHAYOOR EAST (PO)
 MALAPPURAM, PIN - 673633
- 20 ROSHNI K R
 AGED 33 YEARS
 D/O RAVEENDRAN K,KODAMALAPATTA (H) SULTHAN BATHERY, PAZHUPPATHOOR
 P.O, WAYANAD, PIN - 673592
- 21 AISWARYA TK
 AGED 28 YEARS
 W/O PRAJOSH C CHUNDATH (H),PALODE PO, THACHANATTUKARA
 MANNARKKAD,PALAKKAD, PIN - 678583
- 22 SHAMSI RAHIM
 AGED 33 YEARS
 KATTUVILA KIZHAKKATHIL KAMPALADY PORUVAZHY P.O . KOLLAM, PIN - 690520
- 23 RESHMA REMESH
 AGED 33 YEARS
 D/O REMESAN T V RESHMALAYAM CHETHY P O, CHERTHALA ALAPPUZHA, PIN -
 688530
- 24 ROSHINI P M
 AGED 32 YEARS
 D/O MANIKANDAN P B, PALLIYIL HOUSE, P O KANDASSANKADAVU THRISSUR, PIN -
 680613
- 25 ATHIRA K R
 AGED 26 YEARS
 D/O RADHAKRISHNAN KP, KAITHAVALAPPIL(H), CHIRAYUM PANAYIKULAM P.O.,



ERNAKULAM, PIN - 683511

BY ADVS.
A.ARUNA
P.V.UTTARA
JISHA SHAJI

RESPONDENT/S:

- 1 STATE OF KERALA
REPRESENTED BY CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, SECRETARIAT,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695001
- 2 SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION, GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695001
- 3 SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR AND SKILLS, SECRETARIAT,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695001
- 4 KERALA WATER AUTHORITY
REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR, JALA BHAVAN, VELLAYAMBALAM,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695033
- 5 KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY, PATTOM, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695004
- 6 SECRETARY, KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, PATTOM,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695004

SMT.MARY BEENA JOSEPH-SR.GP, SRI.P.C. SASIDHARAN-SC, MS JEONA JAMES

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 27.03.2025, THE COURT ON
THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:



JUDGMENT

The present writ petition has been filed by the petitioners who are candidates for the post of Surveyor Grade II in the Kerala Water Authority.

2. Ms Jeona James learned Counsel appearing for the Kerala Public Service Commission, does not dispute the assertion of the learned Counsel for the petitioner that the subject matter of the writ petition is covered by the judgment dated 03.03.2025 of this Court in W.P.(C) No.2159/2025.

3. As the subject matter of the present writ petition is covered by the judgment of this Court dated 03.03.2025 passed in W.P.(C) No.2159/2025, the present writ petition is also allowed in terms of the said judgment, however without costs.

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D. K. SINGH

JUDGE



APPENDIX OF WP(C) 12312/2025

PETITIONER EXHIBITS

Exhibit P1	TRUE COPY OF THE NOTIFICATION DATED 30.12.2023 FOR SELECTION AND APPOINTMENT OF SURVEYOR GRADE II IN THE KERALA WATER AUTHORITY (CAT. NO. 683/2023) ISSUED BY THE 6TH RESPONDENT
Exhibit P2	TRUE COPY OF THE APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY PETITIONER NO.1 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Exhibit P3	TRUE COPY OF THE SHORT LIST SL.NO. 111/2024/ERIVB DATED 02.12.2024 FOR THE CATEGORY NO. 683/2023 ISSUED BY THE 6TH RESPONDENT
Exhibit P4	TRUE COPY OF THE G.O(RT) NO. 1717/2021/HEDN DATED 24.12.2021, ALONG WITH ITS TRANSLATED TYPED COPY
Exhibit P5	TRUE COPY OF THE G.O (RT) NO. 1677/2021/HEDN DATED 16.12.2021
Exhibit P6	TRUE COPY OF THE G.O.(RT) NO.1171/2022/HEDN DATED 30.07.2022
Exhibit P7	TRUE COPY OF THE COMMUNICATION NO. KTU/ASST1 (ACADEMIC)/5077/2019 ISSUED BY THE REGISTRAR OF THE APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY DATED 12.07.2022 TO THE ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY, HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
Exhibit P7(a)	TRUE COPY OF THE G.O(MS) 232/71/PD DATED 12.08.1971
Exhibit P8	TRUE COPY OF THE RELEVANT PAGES OF PROSPECTUS FOR ADMISSION TO DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES THROUGH LATERAL ENTRY IN POLYTECHNIC COLLEGES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION 2021-22 ISSUED BY THE DIRECTORATE OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM
Exhibit P9	TRUE COPY OF THE RELEVANT PAGES OF THE ADVERTISEMENT NO. 02/2023/RECTT.CELL/PERS./DDA ISSUED BY DELHI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY RECRUITMENT CELL
Exhibit P10	TRUE COPY OF THE NOTIFICATION FOR SELECTION TO THE POST OF JUNIOR INSTRUCTOR (SURVEYOR) (CAT. NO. 398/2021) DATED



30.09.2021 ISSUED BY THE 6TH RESPONDENT

- Exhibit P11 TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF THE PETITIONER NO. 1 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(a) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 2 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(b) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 3 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(c) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 4 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(d) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 5 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(e) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 6 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(f) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 7 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



- Exhibit P11(g) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 8 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(h) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 9 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(i) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 10 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(j) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 11 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(k) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 12 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(l) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 13 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(m) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 14 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(n) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 15 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO



CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF
KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

- Exhibit P11(o) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 16
TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF
KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(p) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 17
TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF
KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit 11(q) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 18
TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF
KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(r) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 19
TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF
KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(s) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 20
TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF
KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(t) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 21
TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF
KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(u) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 22
TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO
CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF
KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



- Exhibit P11(v) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 23 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(w) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 24 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P11(x) TRUE COPY OF THE MESSAGE 31-12-2024 WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 IN THE PROFILE OF PETITIONER NO. 25 TOGETHER WITH REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION WITH RESPECT TO CATEGORY NUMBER 683/2023 DOWNLOADED FROM THE PORTAL OF KERALA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
- Exhibit P12 TRUE COPY OF THE COMMUNICATION NO. P3/58/2021 DATED 15.02.2021 SUBMITTED BY THE JOINT DIRECTOR, STATE INSTITUTE OF TECHNICAL TEACHERS' TRAINING & RESEARCH TOGETHER WITH THE RELEVANT PAGES OF THE REPORT, ALONG WITH A TRANSLATED TYPED COPY OF THE RELEVANT PAGES
- Exhibit P13 TRUE COPY OF THE DETAILS REGARDING STATE INSTITUTE OF TECHNICAL TEACHERS' TRAINING & RESEARCH, KALAMASSERY DOWNLOADED FROM THEIR OFFICIAL WEBSITE WWW.SITTTRKERALA.AC.IN
- Exhibit P14 TRUE COPY OF THE RELEVANT PAGES OF THE CIRCULAR NO. 10369/E2(A)/2020/KWA 23.03.2023 ALONG WITH THE PRELIMINARY SENIORITY LIST OF HEAD SURVEYORS AND SURVEYORS AS ON 28.02.2023 ISSUED BY THE CHIEF ENGINEER (HRD&GL)
- Exhibit P15 TRUE COPY OF THE RANKED LIST NO. 425/2023/ERIII DATED 14.06.2023 FOR THE CATEGORY NO. 400/2021 ISSUED BY THE 6TH RESPONDENT
- Exhibit P16 TRUE COPY OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR, SOIL SURVEY AND CONSERVATION DEPARTMENT ORDER NO.SSSC/153/2024-O AND M1 DATED 07.03.2024 TOGETHER WITH THE SENIORITY LIST, ALONG WITH A TRANSLATED TYPED COPY OF THE RELEVANT PAGES
- Exhibit P17 TRUE COPY OF THE G.O(RT) NO. 57/2023/LBR DATED 17.01.2023,



ALONG WITH ITS TYPED TRANSLATED COPY

Exhibit P18

TRUE COPY OF THE INTERIM ORDER DATED 10.09.2024 IN OP(KAT)
NO. 359 OF 2024 ISSUED BY THE HON'BLE HIGH COURT OF KERALA

Exhibit P19

TRUE COPY OF THE JUDGMENT DATED 03.03.2025 IN WP(C)
NO.2159/2025 (VYSAKH P. V. STATE OF KERALA AND OTHERS) ISSUED
BY THE HON'BLE HIGH COURT OF KERALA