



W.P.No.3830 of 2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

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DATED: 10.02.2025

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THE HON'BLE Mr. JUSTICE **C.V.KARTHIKEYAN**

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D.Ashok Kumar

.. Petitioner

Vs.

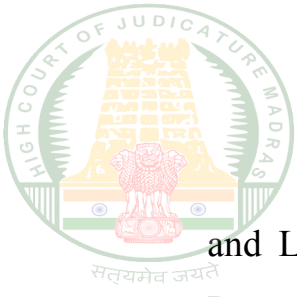
1. The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Home Department,
Secretariat, Chennai – 600 009.

2. The Director General of Police,
Head of Police Force – Tamil Nadu,
Chennai – 600 004.

3. The Common Inquiry Officer,
H.M.Jayaram IPS,
The Additional Director General of Police,
State Crime Records Bureau,
Greenways Road,
Chennai – 600 028.

.. Respondents

Prayer: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the third respondent to expedite the disciplinary proceedings in G.O. (Ms). No.50, Home (SC) Department dated 12.01.2024 by fixing a time period as per G.O. (Ms) No.81, Human Resources Management (N) Department dated 04.08.2022



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and Letter (Ms.) No.66/N/2024-1 dated 23.07.2024 of Human Resources Department.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Deivanandam

For Respondents : Mr.Yeshwanth,
Additional Government Pleader

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed in the nature of a Mandamus, seeking a direction to the third respondent to expedite the disciplinary proceedings in G.O. (Ms) No.50, Home (SC) Department, dated 12.01.2024.

2. It is stated that as against the petitioner, who was working as Superintendent of Police, a charge memo has been issued and an Enquiry Officer had been appointed on 12.01.2024. Out of seven witnesses, six witnesses have been examined in chief; the petitioner has not chosen to cross-examine any one of them.

3. The petitioner now, by this Writ Petition, seeks a direction to expedite the disciplinary proceedings. If the petitioner is not co-operating with the enquiry proceedings, a direction cannot be issued to expedite the disciplinary proceedings. The Writ Petition has been filed more to coerce a



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response and to come to a conclusion, and to apply pressure on the respondents. I am not inclined to grant any Mandamus as sought for in this Writ Petition.

4. In the result, this Writ Petition is dismissed. No costs.

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Index: Yes/No
Internet: Yes/No
Neutral Case Citation: Yes/No
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