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WP No. 20367 of 2012



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 17-02-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

WP Nos. 20367, 20368 & 20369 of 2012

and

M.P.Nos.1 to 3 of 2012 & 1+1 of 2012

WP No. 20367 of 2012

Mr.R.Radhakrishnan,
Managing Director, Seagull Clearing
And Forwarding Agencies (p) Ltd.,
No.20, Beach House, 2nd Line Beach,
Chennai-1

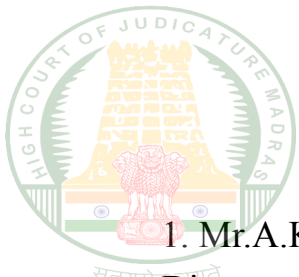
Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. The Regional Provident Fund
Commissioner Regional Office,
Chennai Region, No.37, Royapettah
High Road, Chennai-14

2.The Recovery Officer,
Employment Provident Fund
Organisation Regional Office, No.37,
Royapettah High Road, Chennai-14

Respondent(s)



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1. Mr.A.K.Jayaseelan,
Director, Seagull Clearing And
Forwarding Agencies (p) Ltd., No.20,
Beach House, 2nd Line Beach,
Chennai-1

Petitioner(s)

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1. Mr.R.Haridas,
Director, Seagull Clearing And
Forwarding Agencies (p) Ltd., No.20,
Beach House, 2nd Line Beach,
Chennai-1

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PRAYER

Calling for the records of the 2nd respondent in respect of this impugned communications bearing; i) No.CHN/Recy/ TN/48400/Regl/2010 dated 21.7.2010, Notice of demand of defaulter for interest and penalty u/s 7Q and 14B of the P.F. Act; ii) No.CHN/Recy/ TN/48400/ Regl/2012 dated 20.6.2012, for Notice to Show Cause why a Warrant of Arrest should not be issued and iii) No.CHN/Recy/ TN/48400/Regl/2012 dated 20.6.2012 received by hand on 9.7.2012 for notice of attachment issued by the 2nd respondent and quash the same and direct the respondent to permit the petitioner to pay the provident fund arrears in 12 equal monthly instalment basis.

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PRAYER

Calling for the records of the 2nd respondent in respect of this impugned communications bearing No.CHN/Recy/ TN/48400/Regl/2012 dated 20.6.2012, for Notice to Show Cause why a Warrant of Arrest should not be issued and quash the same

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PRAYER

Calling for the records of the 2nd respondent in respect of this impugned communications bearing No.CHN/Recy/ TN/48400/Regl/2012 dated 20.6.2012 for notice to show cause why a warrant of arrest should not be issued and quash the same

In all W.P.'s

For Petitioner(s): M/s.R.Vasudevan



For Respondent(s): M/s. K. Venkatesan

COMMON ORDER

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Since the issue involved in the present writ petitions are one and the same, they are disposed of by way of this common order.

2. It is the case of the petitioners that they are the Managing director of the M/s.Seagull Clearing and Forwarding Agencies (P) Ltd. Due to financial crisis the petitioner company fell behind in payment of provident fund contribution to the respondents. Subsequently, demand notices u/s.14B and 7Q of the Employees Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 have been issued to the respective petitioners. All of a sudden, the respondents issued warrant of arrest to the respective petitioners. Challenging the aforesaid orders u/s.14B and 7Q of the Act and the warrant of arrest, the present writ petitions have been filed.

3. When the matters were taken up for hearing, the learned counsel for the petitioner in respective writ petitions submitted that during the pendency of the



above writ petitions, the entire amount due from the petitioner to the respondent has been paid. Hence, no further order is necessary in these writ petitions.

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4. With the above observation, these writ petitions are closed. No costs.

Consequently connected miscellaneous petitions are closed.

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